



# St Edward's Church

## Roath & Cathays

### Ministry Area



#### Sexagesima: Creation Sunday

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Sunday, 4<sup>th</sup> February, 2024

Creation Sunday

8.00am Holy Eucharist. St Margaret's.

9.30am Holy Eucharist. St Margaret's. Anthem: For the beauty of the earth (Rutter). Hymns: 378, 714, 89, 37.

Eucharist Readings: Proverbs 8. 1, 22-31; Psalm 104. 24-35; Colossians 1. 15-20; John 1. 1-14.

11.00am Holy Eucharist. St Edward's. Anthem: The Marvellous Work (Haydn).

Hymns: Lord of beauty, thine the splendour; I am a new creation;  
Peace, perfect peace; O worship the King.

6.30pm Choral Evensong. St Edward's. Magnificat & Nunc Dimittis: *Weelkes Short Service*.

Psalm 65; Genesis 2. 4b-25; Luke 8. 22-35.

Introit: In the beginning (Haydn). Anthem: Be glad and rejoice (Statham).

Hymns: The spacious firmament on high; Fierce raged the tempest o'er the deep.

**Prayer Intentions.** We pray for **peace in the world**, remembering especially the people of **Ukraine, Gaza & Israel**. We pray for those who are impacted by the cost-of-living crisis. For all who work at the **steelworks in Port Talbot**, all who are facing anxiety and uncertainty. **Anglican Cycle:** The Anglican Church of South America. **Ecumenical Cycle:** Algeria, Libya, Morocco, Western Sahara, Tunisia. **Porvoo Diary:** Church in Wales: Diocese of Bangor; Church of Ireland: Diocese of Dublin and Glendalough. **Diocesan Cycle:** Roath & Cathays Ministry Area, Revd Canon Stewart Lisk, Mike Payne (Lay Chairperson), Rev Caroline Downs, Rev Irving Hamer, Revd Canon Jarel Robinson-Brown, and Readers Liz Haigh, Matthew Dixon, Edwina Jenkins and Geoff Smith, and (Permission to Officiate) Peter Swinbank and Michael Cook. Also Tredegarville Church in Wales Primary School and Headteacher Victoria Constantinou. We pray for the sick and those who care for them, especially John Matthias, Miriam Burnell, Jane Vincent, Andrew Edwards, Graham Cridland, Gill Day, Christos ØHatzimichael and Caroline Way. We pray for the repose of the souls of the departed, especially Edward Robert O'Donovan, Brian Shapcott, Olive Vincent Gatfield, Leslie James Rowe, Amelia Bessie Mills, Marie Schauerman, Sheila Satchell, whose anniversaries occur at this time.

## THIS WEEK

**Sun 4<sup>th</sup>** 1.30pm Wind Ensemble De Cymru. *St Edward's*.

**Mon 5<sup>th</sup>** 10am Drop-In Day. *Llangasty Retreat House*.  
7pm St Edward's Orchestra. *St Edward's*.  
7pm Jazz Workshop. *Community Room*.  
7.30pm Chatty Crafters. *Zoom*.

**Tue 6<sup>th</sup>** 2pm Forget Me Not Café. *St Edward's*.  
5pm Piano Students of Olga Olen recording. *St Edward's*.  
7pm Inner Voices rehearsal. *St Edward's*.

**Wed 7<sup>th</sup>** 9.30am Eucharist. *St Margaret's*.  
10.15am Eucharist. *St Edward's*.  
2pm WI Penylan Craft Group. *Community Room*.  
7pm South Wales Clarinet Choir rehearsal. *St Edward's*.  
7pm MAC Meeting. *St German's*.

**Thu 8<sup>th</sup>** 1.30pm Penylan Singers. *Community Room*.  
8pm Choir Practice. *St Edward's*.

**Fri 9<sup>th</sup>** 1.15pm Free Organ Recital. *Eglwys Dewi Sant*.  
6.30pm Recording session: Samantha Drees. *St Edward's*.

**Sat 10<sup>th</sup>** 9.15am Cathedral Choral Society. *St Edward's*.  
9.30am Come and Sing Choral Classics. *Eglwys Dewi Sant*.  
10am Majestas Kids. *Llandaff Cathedral*.  
11am Bute Wind Quintet. *Llandaff Parish Hall*.  
2.30pm Cantorion Taliesin rehearsal. *St Edward's*.  
7pm Piano Students of Olga Olen recording. *St Edward's*.

**Next Sunday** is **Quinquagesima (Transfiguration Sunday)**. The **Holy Eucharist** will be celebrated in St Margaret's at 8am and 9.30am, and at St Edward's at 11am, with **Choral Evensong** at St Edward's at 6.30pm. Eucharist readings: 2 Kings 2. 1-12; Psalm 50. 1-6; 2 Corinthians 4. 3-6; Mark 9. 2-9.

**ONLINE.** Zoom access is available for the 11am Eucharist via a hosted meeting at <http://bit.ly/3t7sHOg>.

**COFFEE** will be served after the Eucharist this morning and the 100 Club draw will take place.

**WELCOME** to Wind Ensemble De Cymru, who have their first rehearsal at St Edward's this afternoon.

**LLANDAFF CATHEDRAL.** Today at 4pm, in place of Choral Evensong, "A Sequence of Music and Readings: From Advent to Candlemas".

**FORGET ME NOT CAFÉ** meets on Tuesday at 2pm for a craft afternoon, and all the usual fun, quiz and bingo. If you would like to attend online contact Kathie [forgetmenot@roath.org.uk](mailto:forgetmenot@roath.org.uk) by Monday evening. Zoom Link: <http://bit.ly/3t7sHOg>.

**MINISTRY AREA COUNCIL** meets on Wednesday (7 Feb) at 7pm in St German's.

**WORKING PARTY.** Celebrate St David by "doing the little things" and come and join a working party doing some odd jobs in & around St Edward's 11-1 on Sat 2 March.

**ST EDWARD'S COMMITTEE** will meet in church on Sun 21 Apr at 4.30pm.

**ST EDWARD'S ORGAN PROJECT.** The first part of the work is now about 90% complete. We are still waiting for the delivery from Slovenia of the inverter to convert single phase to 3 phase power, which is needed for the new blower (to make it all work). We are hoping that it will arrive in time to use the organ on Good Friday for Fauré's Requiem. Now we must concentrate on raising the money for the second part!

**DISCUSSION GROUP.** The next meetings are on 18 Feb and 17 Mar. We meet in meeting room 2 of Roath Church House with hot drinks available from 7.15pm and the discussion taking place from around 7.30pm until 8.45pm. You're very welcome to attend any session even if you've never been before.

**LENT COURSE** at St Michael's, with Meditations on the Passion of Jesus. Thur 22 Feb, Thur 29 Feb, Wed 6 Mar, Sat 16 Mar (10am until midday, with a soup lunch). Apart from the Saturday, sessions start at 7.30pm (7.15pm for refreshments if wanted) and end at about 8.30pm.

**SAFEGUARDING TRAINING.** Training for Modules B and C has been arranged to take place at St German's Church Hall on Sat 24 Feb for our Ministry Area. 10am-12.30pm Module B; 1pm-4pm Module C. One or both can be taken, but please book prior to the event. There is a car park and disabled access. Module A can be taken online – you can start here: <https://bit.ly/3GCOVzy>

**DROP-IN DAY** at Llangasty Retreat House (near Llangors Lake) on Monday: an opportunity to pause for prayer and personal reflection – come for all or part of the day. Bring your own lunch. Coffee and tea provided. No charge, but donations welcome. 10am - 4pm with Eucharist at 12 noon. Details: <https://www.llangasty.com/>

**RSCM FREE ONLINE LECTURE.** Tuesday (6 Feb), 7.30-9.30pm. "Widening Participation in Sacred Music" by Mr Caius Lee (Worcester College, Oxford). <https://ismo.ssho.org.uk/events/>

**FREE ORGAN RECITAL** (Retiring Collection) at Eglwys Dewi Sant on Friday (9 Feb), 1.15-1.45pm, by David Geoffrey Thomas (Llandaff Cathedral).

**COME AND SING** Choral Classics with Cantemus Chamber Choir at Eglwys Dewi Sant on Saturday (10 Feb) at 9.30am. Adult £20, Student/u-18 £10 (from ticketsource).

**MAJESTAS KIDS.** FREE music group at Llandaff Cathedral, open to children aged 7-11. Saturday mornings during term time 10am-11am. Singing, rhythm, musical games and activities leading to performance opportunities. Contact: [rachelkilby@llandaffcathedral.org.uk](mailto:rachelkilby@llandaffcathedral.org.uk) or just come along.

**LLANDAFF FREE CONCERT.** The Bute Wind Quintet perform at Llandaff Parish Hall on Saturday (10 Feb) at 11am. Details: <https://bit.ly/3wbIL7u>

**STRASBOURG PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA** give a concert at Llandaff Cathedral on Fri 16 Feb, 7.30-9.30pm. Fauré, Rachmaninov, Ravel and Bizet.

**CARDIFF OPERA** present a programme of art song from across Europe: Brahms Liebeslieder-Walzer Op.52 and songs by Wolf, Ibert, Rodrigo, Elwyn-Edwards, Rimsky-Korsakov, Poulenc and others. At St Edward's on Sat 17 Feb at 7pm. Tickets £10/£5 on the door or <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/cardiff-opera>

**ROATH LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY** meets at St Edward's on Wed 14 Feb at 7.30pm for a talk by Professor Louise Miskell entitled "East Moors and the South Wales Steel Industry". All welcome. Guests in person or online £3; Annual membership £13. For live stream Zoom link please apply to [RLHSZoom@gmail.com](mailto:RLHSZoom@gmail.com) by Mon 12 Feb.

**VIRTUAL EXHIBITION & ATAXIA FUNDRAISER** "Through My Gaze" 4-31 March 2024. An opportunity to buy an artwork and support those affected by ataxia: <https://www.ataxia.org.uk/throughmygaze/>

**ST EDWARD'S COFFEE CONCERT** on Sat 17 Feb at 11am is a Recital of Lute Duets & Trios by Alison Dite, Jeremy Kinglake and Scott Baker.

**PHOENIC BRASS** (a brass ensemble currently residing at the Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama) will give a concert at St Edward's on the evening of Sat 24 Feb, as part of a series of concerts throughout February and March.

**PIANO RECITAL SERIES.** Our thanks to Elizabeth Williams, Daniella Acker and Susannah Rance for their excellent recital last Sunday (you can see it on YouTube: <https://youtu.be/seeJvkbTBjU>). The next Sunday 3pm recitals are: Simon Watterton on 25 Feb; Alison Dite on 28 Apr (Liszt & Bartok). Like the Coffee Concerts, these are in support of Ataxia UK.

**ST EDWARD'S JAZZ MONTH 2024.** Saturday mornings, 9-30 March. 9 March: Glen Manby and Mark Sambell; 16 March: James Chadwick & Bill Fletcher; 23 March: Trading Standards; 30 March: Julian Martin. Supporting Ataxia UK.

**ST EDWARD'S ORCHESTRA** will give a concert on Mon 11 March at 7.30pm: Elgar Dream Children, Schubert Symphony no.3 and the Bruch Violin concerto (in which Nori will play the solo).

**ST EDWARD'S ORCHESTRA SOLOISTS CONCERT** is on Mon 18 March at 7.30pm.

**ROATH & CATHAYS MINISTRY AREA.** You are warmly invited to the licensing of The Reverend Canon Jarel Robinson-Brown as Vicar on Sat 23 March at 2pm at St German's Church. Followed by refreshments. All welcome.

**"BREATHING SPACE"** is a relaxing easy Walking Retreat at Llangasty Retreat House (Brecon Beacons) 8-10 Apr. Llangasty is a well-known beautiful place where 'heaven & earth' seem to meet, providing a warm welcome, lovely food, and views to lift the soul! Cost £240. Details and booking: <https://bit.ly/4aPB2fz>

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of any sick person or any person who is in hospital.

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