



## Services & Music at the Priory Church of St Bartholomew the Great

*A Parish of the Church of England Diocese of London  
in the World-wide Anglican Communion*

# February 2008

**W**e extend a particularly warm welcome to new and regular visitors to this ancient church founded as a Priory of Augustinian Canons in 1123. The shrine-tomb of our blessed Founder, Prior Rahere, stands on the north side of the sanctuary. The Chapel of the Holy Icon of the Mother of God is set aside for private prayer. You may light a candle at the Shrine, in the Holy Icon Chapel or in the Lady Chapel. Requests for prayer may be left on the board next to the bookstall. It is possible to visit the church, other than during Divine Worship, on payment of an admission charge.

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3. **Candlemas: The Presentation of Christ in the Temple**  
9.00 a.m. **Holy Communion.** Preacher: The Rector  
11.00 a.m. **Solemn Eucharist with Candlemas Ceremonies**  
Missa Alma Redemptoris mater *Palestrina*  
Senex puerum portabat *Byrd*  
Preacher: The Rector  
Voluntary: Toccata in D *Weckmann*  
12.30 p.m. **Pre-Lent Wine Reception in the Cloister**  
6.30 p.m. **Choral Evensong with candlelit procession to the Lady Chapel**  
Magnificat primi toni *Victoria*  
Senex puerum portabat *Victoria*  
Preacher: The Rector  
Nunc dimittis (Gradualia) *Byrd*  
Alma redemptoris mater *Cavalli*  
Voluntary: Fantasia in G *Byrd*
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5. *Shrove Tuesday*  
12.30 p.m. Holy Communion
6. **Ash Wednesday: The beginning of Lent**  
8.30 a.m. **Holy Communion with ashing**  
9.15 a.m. **Morning Prayer**  
12.30 p.m. **Holy Communion with ashing**  
5.30 p.m. **Evening Prayer**  
7.00 p.m. **Solemn Eucharist with ashing**  
Missa Emendemus in melius *Palestrina*  
Emendemus in melius *Byrd*

Misere mei, Domine *Allegri*

Preacher: Fr Mark Young

7. 8.30 a.m. Holy Communion

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**10. The First Sunday of Lent**

**9.00 a.m. Holy Communion.** Preacher: The Rector

**11.00 a.m. Solemn Eucharist**

Missa Miserere mihi *Cardoso*

Lord, for thy tender mercies' sake *Hilton*

Preacher: The Rector

**4.45 p.m. Adult Confirmation Class (Cloister)**

**6.30 p.m. Choral Evensong, Sermon & Benediction  
of the Blessed Sacrament**

Short Service *Causton*

O Lord, in thy wrath *Gibbons*

Preacher: Fr Mark Young

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12. 12.30 p.m. Holy Communion

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14. 8.30 a.m. Holy Communion

15. 8.30 a.m. Holy Communion

16. 2.30 p.m. Wedding of Matthew Waite

& Leah Mitchell

**17. The Second Sunday of Lent**

**9.00 a.m. Holy Communion.** Preacher: The Rector

**10.00 a.m. Family Eucharist.** Preacher: The Rector

**11.00 a.m. Solemn Eucharist**

Mass for five voices *Byrd*

Miserere mei Domine *Byrd*

Preacher: The Rector

**4.45 p.m. Adult Confirmation Class (Cloister)**

**6.30 p.m. Choral Evensong & Sermon**

Dorian mode *Blow*

Hear my prayer *Purcell*

Preacher: Fr Mark Young

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19. 12.30 p.m. Holy Communion

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21. 8.30 a.m. Holy Communion

22. 8.30 a.m. Holy Communion

23. 11.00 a.m. Investiture Service, Order of Saint Lazarus

**24. The Third Sunday of Lent**

**9.00 a.m. Holy Communion.** Preacher: The Rector

**11.00 a.m. Solemn Eucharist.**

Missa Ut, re, mi, fa, sol, la *Palestrina*

Hide not thou thy face *Farrant*

Preacher: The Rector

**4.45 p.m. Adult Confirmation Class (Cloister)**

**6.30 p.m. Choral Evensong & Sermon**

Second Service *Leighton*

Wash me thoroughly *S.S. Wesley*

Preacher: Fr Mark Young

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26. 12.30 p.m. Holy Communion

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28. 8.30 a.m. Holy Communion

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**Rector: The Reverend Dr Martin Dudley**

**Director of Music: David Trendell**

**Organist: James Sherlock**

**Holy Communion** (said) is celebrated in the Lady Chapel on Sundays at 9.00 a.m. There are also weekday celebrations on Tuesday at 12.30 p.m. and Thursday at 8.30 a.m.

The Sunday **Solemn Eucharist**, beginning at 11.00 a.m., is sung by the full Choir under the direction of David Trendell. In addition to hymns, the introit, alleluia and communion sentence are sung (in Latin). There is a setting of the Kyrie, Gloria (except in Lent & Advent), Sanctus, Benedictus and Agnus Dei and an offertory motet. There is usually a sermon.

**Choral Evensong** at 6.30 p.m. completes the range of Sunday services. It comes from the Book of Common Prayer (1662) with readings from the Authorised Version (1611). The Choir sings the psalm or psalms, the Magnificat and Nunc dimittis, an anthem, and the final Marian anthem. There is usually a sermon. Once a month there is Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at the conclusion of Evensong.

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