



CHORAL EVENSONG

Thursday 25 January 2018

The Conversion of Paul

*Welcome to this service of Choral Evensong
sung by The Choir of Trinity College Cambridge*

*Please ensure that all electronic devices,
including cameras, are switched off*

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INTROIT sung from the Ante-Chapel

O salutaris hostia (2009)

O salutaris hostia quae coeli pandis ostium,
bella premunt hostilia: da robur, fer auxilium,
uni trinoque Domino sit sempiterna gloria,
qui vitam sine termino nobis donet in patria.

*O saving victim, open wide the gate of heaven to man
below; our foes press on from every side, thine aid
supply, thy strength bestow.*

*All praise and thanks to thee ascend for evermore, blest
One in Three; O grant us life that shall not end, in our
true native land with thee.*

Words: St Thomas Aquinas (1227–74) tr. J.M. Neale (1818–66)
Music: Ēriks Ešēnavalds (b. 1977)

All stand when the choir and clergy enter

RESPONSES

Rose

O Lord, open thou our lips.
And our mouth shall shew forth thy praise.

O God, make speed to save us.
O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be:
world without end. Amen.

Praise ye the Lord.
The Lord's name be praised.

All sit for PSALM 119: 73–80

Thy hands have made me and fashioned me: O give
me understanding, that I may learn thy
commandments.

They that fear thee will be glad when they see me:
because I have put my trust in thy word.

I know, O Lord, that thy judgements are right: and
that thou of very faithfulness hast caused me to be
troubled.

O let thy merciful kindness be my comfort: according
to thy word unto thy servant.

O let thy loving mercies come unto me, that I may
live: for thy law is my delight.

Let the proud be confounded, for they go wickedly
about to destroy me: but I will be occupied in thy
commandments.

Let such as fear thee, and have known thy testimonies:
be turned unto me.

O let my heart be sound in thy statutes: that I be not
ashamed.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son:
and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be:
world without end. Amen.

The FIRST LESSON is read

Isaiah 58: 1–8
(NRSV p. 630)

All stand for the MAGNIFICAT

Chichester Service

Walton

My soul doth magnify the Lord, and my spirit hath rejoiced
in God my Saviour. For he hath regarded the lowliness of
his handmaiden. For behold, from henceforth all generations
shall call me blessed. For he that is mighty hath magnified
me: and holy is his Name. And his mercy is on them that
fear him throughout all generations. He hath shewed
strength with his arm; he hath scattered the proud in the
imagination of their hearts. He hath put down the mighty
from their seat, and hath exalted the humble and meek.
He hath filled the hungry with good things; and the rich
he hath sent empty away. He remembering his mercy hath
holpen his servant Israel, as he promised to our forefathers,
Abraham and his seed, for ever. Glory be to the Father...

All sit for the SECOND LESSON Colossians 1: 24 – 2: 7
(NRSV p. 190)

All stand for the NUNC DIMITTIS

Chichester Service

Walton

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according
to thy word. For mine eyes have seen thy salvation, Which
thou hast prepared before the face of all people; To be a
light to lighten the Gentiles, and to be the glory of thy
people Israel. Glory be to the Father...

All turn East and say the APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth:**

**And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried:
he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand
of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick
and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost;
the Holy Catholick Church;
the Communion of Saints;
the forgiveness of sins;
the Resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

The Lord be with you.
And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

All kneel

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

RESPONSES

O Lord, shew thy mercy upon us.
And grant us thy salvation.

O Lord, save the Queen.
And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

Endue thy ministers with righteousness.
And make thy chosen people joyful.

O Lord, save thy people.
And bless thine inheritance.

Give peace in our time, O Lord.
Because there is none other that fighteth for us,
but only thou, O God.

O God, make clean our hearts within us.
And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, who, through the preaching of the blessed Apostle Saint Paul, hast caused the light of the Gospel to shine throughout the world: Grant, we beseech thee, that we, having his wonderful conversion in remembrance, may shew forth our thankfulness unto thee for the same, by following the holy doctrine which he taught; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE COLLECT FOR PEACE

THE COLLECT FOR AID AGAINST ALL PERILS

All sit for the ANTHEM

The Three Kings (2000)

O balow, balow la lay.

The first king was very young,
With doleful ballads on his tongue,
he came bearing a branch of myrrh
Than which no gall is bitterer,
Gifts for a baby King, O.

The second king was a man in prime,
The solemn priest of a solemn time,
With eyes downcast and reverent feet
He brought his incense sad and sweet,
Gifts for a baby King, O.

The third king was very old,
Both his hands were full of gold,
Many a gaud and a glittering toy,
Baubles brave for a baby boy,
Gifts for a baby King, O.

Words: Dorothy L. Sayers (1893–1957)
Music: Jonathan Dove (b. 1959)

All sit or kneel for the PRAYERS

All stand for the HYMN

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FINAL RESPONSES

Marlow

*All remain standing as the choir, clergy and Fellows recess;
please remain quiet until the end of the organ voluntary*

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The Holy Boy

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