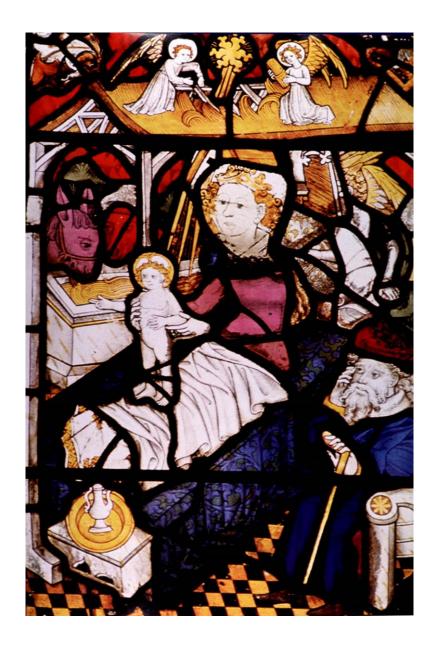


CHAPEL ROYAL HAMPTON COURT



SERVICES FOR NOVEMBER and DECEMBER 2019

WELCOME

WELCOME to Her Majesty's Chapel Royal, Hampton Court Palace for this service, and to a continuous tradition of worship that has been practised on this site for at least 800 years. This is one of the Queen's Chapels, and as such, not a parish church.

The original chapel was founded by the Knights Hospitaller long before Cardinal Wolsey began rebuilding it in 1528. The fine vaulted ceiling, dating from 1535, was the major addition by Henry VIII. Most of the chapel furnishings date from the late 17th and early 18th century and were designed by Sir Christopher Wren. The organ (although much altered and re-built) essentially dates back to 1711 and retains not only its fine case but much original pipework.

The Chapel Royal was not originally a building but a body of priests and singers that traditionally accompanied the monarch wherever he or she went. Only later did the buildings this body used become known by that name. Today, as well as Hampton Court, there are Chapels Royal at The Tower of London, The Queen's Chapel of the Savoy, and St James's Palace, which is the headquarters of the Chapel Royal. Services in all of Her Majesty's Chapels are based on those from the 1662 Book of Common Prayer, and you will have been handed an Order of Service with this booklet.

The Chapel Royal has an unrivalled continued tradition of choral music. Many of the greatest English composers have worked and composed pieces in and for this place, Tallis, Byrd, Gibbons, and Purcell among them. It is, therefore, wholly appropriate that worship is enhanced by music, which now may come from the English or European choral traditions. The texts are sung in their original language, usually English or Latin.

This booklet contains the details of that music, as well as the hymns and lessons for each choral service. These are correct at the time of publication. The hymns can found in the green New English Hymnal. In a tradition begun at the start of the Great War, we always end by singing the National Anthem, asking God to send his blessings upon the Queen.

Sunday 3 November

Trinity XX All Saints' Sunday

8.30am Holy Communion 11.00am Sung Eucharist

Setting Service in B flat and F	Stanford
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Hymns 197 omit vv. 4-6, 230(i),

338 omit v5, 198

Epistle Revelation 7: 2-12 Gospel Matthew 5: 1-12

Motet O quam gloriosum Victoria

Preacher The Chaplain

Voluntary (RF) Prelude and Fugue on a Britten

Theme of Vittoria

3.30pm Choral Evensong

Hymns 434, 243

Psalm 126 Garrett

First Lesson Ecclesiasticus 44: 1-15

Setting Service in B minor Noble

Second Lesson Hebrews 12: 18-24

Anthem Save us, O Lord Bairston
Voluntary (CJ) Placare Christe servulis Dupré

Tuesday 5 November

Feria

12.30pm Holy Communion

Wednesday 6 November

St Leonard

9.30am Holy Communion

Thursday 7 November

St Willibrord

O quam gloriosum

Tomás Luis de Victoria (1548-1611)

O quam gloriosum est regnum, In quo cum Christo, gaudent omnes Sancti, Amicti stolis albis, sequuntur Agnum Quocumque ierit.

O how glorious is the kingdom wherein all the Saints rejoice with Christ! Clothed in white robes, they follow the Lamb wherever He goes.

Save us, O Lord

Edward Bairstow (1874-1946)

Save us, O Lord, waking, Guard us sleeping, That awake we may watch with Christ, And asleep we may rest in peace. Amen.

Sunday 10 November

Trinity XXI Remembrance Sunday

8.30am Holy Communion 11.00am Choral Matins

(preceded by an Act of Remembrance in Clock Court at 10.45am)

Responses Gibbons & Barnard

Hymns 417, 494 (t413)

Psalm 116 Aldrich

First Lesson Ecclesiasticus 51: 1-12

Benedicite in F Dyson

Second Lesson Luke 15: 1-10

Benedictus Fauxbourdons Moore
Anthem Turn back O Man Holst

Preacher Matthew Austin SSH

Voluntary (RF) Nimrod Elgar

3.30pm Requiem Eucharist

Setting	Missa pro defunctis	G. F. Anerio

Hymns 396, 330 (t175), 462, 381 Epistle I Corinthians 15: 51-57

Gospel John 6: 35-40 Preacher Fr Alan Gyle

Voluntary (WF) Wir glauben all' an einen J.S. Bach

Gott BWV 680

Tuesday 12 November

Feria

12.30pm Holy Communion

Wednesday 13 November

St Britius

9.30am Holy Communion

Thursday 14 November

St Laurence O'Toole

Turn back O Man

Gustav Holst (1874-1934)

Turn back O Man, forswear thy foolish ways.
Old now is Earth, and none may count her days,
Yet thou, her child, whose head is crowned with flame,
Still wilt not hear thine inner God proclaim
"Turn back O Man, forswear thy foolish ways!"

Earth might be fair and all men glad and wise,
Age after age their tragic empires rise.
Built while they dream, and in that dreaming weep.
Would man but wake from out his haunted sleep.
Earth might be fair and all men glad and wise.

Earth shall be fair, and all her people one, Nor till that hour shall God's whole will be done. Now, even now, once more from earth to sky Peals forth in joy man's old undaunted cry: "Earth shall be fair, and all her folk be one!"

[Melody 'the old 124th Psalm' from the Genevan Psalter Words by Clifford Bax]

Sunday 17 November

Trinity XXII

8.30am Holy Communion 11.00am Sung Eucharist

Setting	Mass in G	Schubert

Hymns 349, 467, 448 (t351), 359
Epistle Philippians 3: 17-end
Gospel Matthew 22: 15-22

Motet Here, O my Lord Whitlock

Preacher Rev'd Dr Simon Thorne

Voluntary (RF) Prelude and Fugue in Mendelssohn

C minor, Op. 37

3.30pm Choral Evensong

Responses	Gibbons & Barnard
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Hymns 397, 461 (t700)

Psalm 132 Gauntlett,

Hanforth

First Lesson Daniel 6

Setting St John's Service Howells

Second Lesson Matthew 13: 1-23

Anthem Te lucis ante terminum Martin

Voluntary (CJ) Pasticcio Langlais

Tuesday 19 November

St Elizabeth

12.30pm Holy Communion

Wednesday 20 November

St Edmund

9.30am Holy Communion

Thursday 21 November

Feria

Here, O my Lord

Percy Whitlock (1903-1946)

Here, O my Lord, I see Thee face to face; Here faith can touch and handle things unseen; Here would I grasp with firmer hands Thy grace; And all my weariness upon Thee lean.

Here would I feed upon the Bread of God; Here drink with Thee the Royal wine of Heav'n; Here would I lay aside each earthly load, And taste afresh the calm of sin forgiv'n.

Te lucis ante terminum

Matthew Martin (b. 1976)

Te lucis ante terminum, Rerum Creator, poscimus, Ut pro tua clementia, Sis præsul ad custodia.

Procul recedant somnia, Et noctium phantasmata: Hostemque nostrum comprime, Ne polluantur corpora.

Præsta, Pater piissime, Patrique compar Unice, Cum Spiritu Paraclito, Regnans per omne sæculum. Amen. Before the ending of the day,
Creator of the world, we pray
That with thy wonted favour thou
Wouldst be our guard and keeper now.

From all ill dreams defend our eyes, From nightly fears and fantasies; Tread under foot our ghostly foe, That no pollution we may know.

O Father, that we ask be done, Through Jesus Christ, thine only Son; Who, with Holy Ghost and thee, Doth live and reign eternally. Amen.

[Latin, 5th or 6th century]

Sunday 24 November

Trinity XXIII Christ the King

8.30am Holy Communion

11.00am Choral Matins sung by the Gentlemen

Responses	Millington
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Hymns 345, 388(i), 433 omit*

Psalm 145 Fletcher

First Lesson Jeremiah 23: 1-6

Te Deum Wills

Second Lesson Luke 23: 33-43

Jubilate *Lloyd*

Anthem Let all the world Vaughan Williams

Preacher The Chaplain

Voluntary (WF) Justorum animae Stanford

4.00pm Choral Evensong

Responses Tomkins

Hymns 451, 363

Psalm 148 Robinson

First Lesson I Samuel 8: 4-20

Setting Fourth Service Tomkins

Second Lesson John 18: 33-37

Anthem Death is swallowed up Tomkins

Voluntary (RF) Gloria Tibi Trinitas Tomkins

Tuesday 26 November

Feria

12.30pm Holy Communion

Wednesday 27 November

Feria

9.30am Holy Communion

Thursday 28 November

Feria

Let all the world

Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King! The heavens are not too high, his praise may thither fly, the earth is not too low, his praises there may grow. Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!
The church with psalms must shout, no door can keep them out;
but, above all, the heart must bear the longest part.
Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!

[Words George Herbert (1593-1633)]

Turn unto the Lord

Thomas Tomkins (1572-1656)

Turn unto the Lord our God.

For the Lord is gracious,

His mercy is everlasting:
and his truth endureth from generation to generation.

Death is swallowed up

Thomas Tomkins (1572-1656)

Death is swallowed up in victory.

O death, where is thy sting?

O grave, where is thy victory?

The sting of death is sin,
And the strength of sin is the law.
But thanks be unto God
Which hath given us the victory,
Through our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Sunday 1 December

First Sunday in Advent

8.30am Holy Communion 11.00am Sung Eucharist

Setting Mass for five voices Byrd

Hymns 5, 14, 7, 292(ii)
Epistle Romans 13: 8-14
Gospel Matthew 21: 1-13

Communion Advent Prose (NEH 501)
Preacher Bishop Michael Colclough

Voluntary (CJ) Herr, send herab uns deinen Schreiber

Sohn

3.30pm Advent Carol Service

A separate Order of Service is provided

Tuesday 3 December

St Birinus

12.30pm Holy Communion

Wednesday 4 December

St John of Damascus

9.30am Holy Communion

Thursday 5 December

Feria

Advent Prose

Drop down, ye heavens, from above, And let the skies pour down righteousness.

BE not wroth very sore, O Lord, neither remember iniquity for ever; thy holy cities are a wilderness, Sion is a wilderness, Jerusalem a desolation: our holy and our beautiful house, where our fathers praised thee.

We have sinned, and are as an unclean thing, and we all do fade as a leaf: and our iniquities, like the wind, have taken us away; thou hast hid thy face from us: and hast consumed us, because of our iniquities.

Ye are my witnesses, saith the Lord, and my servant whom I have chosen; that ye may know me and believe me; I, even I, am the Lord, and beside me there is no Saviour: and there is none that can deliver out of my hand.

Comfort ye, comfort ye my people; my salvation shall not tarry; I have blotted out as a thick cloud thy transgressions: Fear not, for I will save thee: for I am the Lord thy God, the Holy One of Israel, thy redeemer.

Sunday 8 December

Second Sunday in Advent

8.30am Holy Communion 11.00am Choral Matins

Hymns 6, 18, 600 (opposite page)

Psalm 7 Barnby, S. Wesley

First Lesson Isaiah 11: 1-10

Benedicite in B flat Sumsion

Second Lesson Matthew 3: 1-12

Benedictus Windsor Service Howells
The Litany (BCP page 30) Tallis

Preacher Canon Peter Galloway

Voluntary (WF) Toccata and Fugue F. Jackson

3.30pm Choral Evensong

Responses	Tomkins

Hymns 8, 15

Psalm 67 Bairston

First Lesson I Kings 18: 17-39

Setting Sixth Service Weelkes

Second Lesson John 1: 19-28

Anthem Prepare ye the way Wise Voluntary (WF) Organ Sonata, movement II Bairstow

Monday 9 December

Feria

7.30pm Historic Royal Palaces Members' Carol Service

Tuesday 10 December

Feria

12.30pm Holy Communion

7.30pm Royal Tennis Court Carol Service

Wednesday 11 December

St Damasus

9.30am Holy Communion

Thursday 12 December

Feria

Prepare ye the way

Michael Wise (c.1648-1687)

Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make straight in the desert a highway for our God.

Ev'ry valley shall be exalted and ev'ry mountain and hill shall be made low, and the crooked shall be made straight and the rough places shall be made plain.

And the glory of the Lord shall be revealed and all flesh shall see it together.

And the voice said cry, (What shall I cry?) all flesh is grass, and the goodliness thereof is as a flower that is in the field.

The grass withereth, the flower fadeth, but the word of the Lord shall stand fast forever.

O Zion, that bringeth glad tidings, get thee up into the mountains.

O Jerusalem, that bringeth glad tidings lift up thy voice with strength and say unto Judah, "behold thy God".

[Isaiah 40: 3-9]

Hymn 600

HARK what a sound, and too divine for hearing, Stirs on the earth and trembles in the air! Is it the thunder of the Lord's appearing? Is it the music of his people's prayer?

Surely he cometh, and a thousand voices Shout to the saints, and to the deaf and dumb; Surely he cometh, and the earth rejoices, Glad in his coming who hath sworn: I come!

This hath he done, and shall we not adore him? This shall he do, and can we still despair? Come, let us quickly fling ourselves before Him, Cast at his feet the burden of our care.

Through life and death, through sorrow and through sinning, He shall suffice me, for he hath sufficed: Christ is the end, for Christ was the beginning, Christ the beginning, for the end is Christ.

Sunday 15 December

Third Sunday in Advent

8.30am Holy Communion 11.00am Sung Eucharist

Setting Missa	Adventus	Eben
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Hymns 12, 483 (t77), 443, 286

Epistle James 5: 7-10

Gospel Matthew 1: 18-end

Motet Vigilate Byrd

Preacher The Chaplain

Voluntary (CJ) Nun komm, der Heiden J.S. Bach

Heiland BWV 661

3.30pm Choral Evensong

Responses	Tomkins
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Hymns 1(i), 170(i)

Psalm 76 H.C. Stewart

First Lesson Isaiah 5: 8-end

Setting Second Service Byrd

Second Lesson Acts 13: 13-41

Anthem This is the record of John Gibbons
Voluntary (WF) Fantasia in G Byrd

Tuesday 17 December

O Adonaï

12.30pm Holy Communion 6pm Staff Carol Service

Wednesday 18 December

O Radix Jesse

9.30am Holy Communion

Thursday 19 December

O Clavis David

Vigilate

William Byrd (1543-1623)

Vigilate, nescitis enim quando Dominus domus veniat, Sero, an media nocte, an galli cantu, an mane. Vigilate ergo, ne, cum venerit repente, inveniat vos dormientes. Quod autem dico vobis, omnibus dico: Vigilate.

Watch, for you do not know when the master of the house will come, in the evening, in the middle of the night, at cock-crow, in the morning. Watch, therefore, lest he should come suddenly and find you asleep. What I say to you, I say to everyone: watch.

[Mark 13: 35-37]

This is the record of John

Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625)

This is the record of John, when the Jews sent priests and Levites from Jerusalem to ask him, Who art thou? And he confessed, and denied not, and said plainly, I am not the Christ.

And they asked him, What art thou then? Art thou Elias? And he said, I am not. Art thou the Prophet? And he answered, No.

Then said they unto him, What art thou? That we may give an answer unto them that sent us. What sayest thou of thyself? And he said, I am the voice of him that crieth in the wilderness, Make straight the way of the Lord.

[John 1 vv. 19-23]

Sunday 22 December

Fourth Sunday in Advent *O Emmanuel*

8.30am Holy Communion 11.00am Matin Carol Service

A separate Order of Service is provided

Responses		Tomkins
Hymns	3(ii), 497 (t.449), 42, 16	
Psalm	94	Clark,
		Woodward
First Lesson	Isaiah 7: 10 -16	
Responsory		Palestrina
Second Lesson	Matthew 1: 8 - end	
Carols	Ding, dong! Merrily on high	arr. Wood
	Angelus ad virginem	Carter
	Joys Seven	Cleobury
	My dancing day	Rütti
Voluntary (RF)	Chorale Fantasia on Wie schön	Buxtehude
	leuchtet der Morgenstern'	

6.00pm Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols

A separate Order of Service is provided

The Chapel doors will open at 5pm



Tuesday 24 December

Christmas Eve

11.30pm Midnight Mass of the Nativity sung by the Consort

Setting	Missa Hodie Christus natus est	Palestrina
Hymns	33 vv1,4,5,7, 42, 32 omit*, 30 vv1,2,6,7	

Epistle Micah 5: 2-4 Gospel Luke 2: 1-14

Carols In dulci jubilo H. Praetorius

Sir Christèmas M. Abbs Silent Night arr. D. Patrick

Preacher The Chaplain

Voluntary (RF) Chorale Prelude on J.S. Bach

'In dulci jubilo' BWV 729

Wednesday 25 December

Christmas Day

8.30am Holy Communion 11.00am Sung Eucharist

Setting	Mass of the Nativity	Shephard
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Hymns 30 omit vv3&4, 24 omit*, 34, 26 omit*

Epistle Hebrews 1: 1-12 Gospel John 1: 1-14

Carol I saw three ships Lloyd

Preacher The Chaplain

Voluntary (WF) Sortie on 'In Dulci Jubilo' Briggs

Sunday 29 December

Christmas I

8.30am Holy Communion

11.00am Sung Eucharist Congregational

Tuesday 31 December

St Silvester

12.30pm Holy Communion

Thursday 2 January

Feria

In dulci jubilo

Hieronymus Praetorius (1560-1629)

In dulci jubilo, Nu singet und seid froh, Unsers Herzen Wonne Liegt in præsepio, Und leuchtet als die Sonne Matris in gremio, Alpha es et O.

O Jesu parvule,
Nach dir ist mir so weh,
Tröst mir mein Gemüthe,
O puer optime,
Durch alle deine Güthe,
O princeps gloriæ,
Trahe me post te.

O Patris charitas, O nati lenitas, Wir wern all verlohren Per nostra criminal, So hat er uns erworben Cælorum gaudia. Eya wern wir da.

Ubi sunt gaudia,
Nirgend mehr denn da,
Da die Engel singen
Nova cantica,
Und die Schellen klingen
In Regis curia.
Eya wern wir da.

Let us now sing and he merry With great rejoicing.
Our heart's delight
Lies in the manger,
Glowing brightly as the sun
In his mother's lap.
You are Alpha and Omega.

O little Jesus,
I yearn for you.
Comfort my spirit,
O fairest child.
Let me follow you
In all your goodness.
O prince of glory.

O love of the Father,
O gentleness of the Son,
Though our sins
Led us astray,
He has secured us
The joys of heaven.
O that we were there!

Nowhere is there more joy
Than there,
Where the angels sing
New songs.
The bells are chiming
In the court of the King.
O that we were there!

Sir Christèmas

Malcolm Abbs (b. 1946)

Nowell, nowell.

Who is there that singeth nowell,
I am here Sir Christèmas.

Welcome my lord Sir Christèmas!

Welcome to ye all both more and less!

Come near, nowell.

God guard you fair sirs, tidings I you bring: A maid hath born a child full young, The which causeth you for to sing: Nowell, nowell.

Christ is now born of a pure maid, In an ox-stall he is laid, Wherefore sing we all at a brayde: Nowell, nowell.

Drink you well through all the company, Make good cheer and be right merry, And sing with us now joyfully: Nowell, nowell.

[Words: 16th century]

Silent Night

Music by Franz Grüber (1787-1863) arr. David K. Patrick

Stille Nacht, heilige Nacht! Alles schläft, einsam wacht Nur das traute, hochheilige Paar. Holder Knabe im lockigen Haar, Schlaf in himmlischer Ruh!

Stille Nacht, heilige Nacht!
Gottes Sohn, O wie lacht
Lieb' aus deinem göttlichen Mund,
Da uns schlägt die rettende Stund,
Jesus in deiner Geburt!

Stille Nacht, heilige Nacht!
Hirten erst kund gemacht,
Durch der Engel Halleluja,
Tönt es laut von fern und Nah':
Jesus der Retter ist da!

[Words: Josef Mohr]

I saw three ships

arr. Richard Lloyd (b. 1933)

I saw three ships come sailing in On Christmas Day, on Christmas Day; I saw three ships come sailing in On Christmas Day in the morning.

And what was in those ships all three, On Christmas Day, on Christmas Day? ...

> Our Saviour Christ and his Lady., On Christmas Day, ...

Pray, wither sailed those ships all three, On Christmas Day, ...

> O they sailed into Bethlehem, On Christmas Day, ...

And all the bells on earth shall ring, On Christmas Day, ...

And all the Angels in Heaven shall sing, On Christmas Day, ...

And all the souls on earth shall sing, On Christmas Day, ...

> Then let us all rejoice amain! On Christmas Day, ...

Sunday 5 January

The Epiphany of the Lord

8.30am Holy Communion

11.00am Sung Eucharist sung by the Gentlemen

Setting	Missa O magnum mysterium	Victoria
Hymns	425, 52, 295, 49 <i>(i)</i>	
Epistle	Ephesians 3: 1-12	
Gospel	Matthew 2: 1-12	
Motet	Omnes de Saba venient	Händl
Preacher	Canon Leigh Richardson	
Voluntary (RF)	Fiat Lux	Dubois

3.30pm Choral Evensong sung by the Gentlemen

Responses		Tallis
Hymns	46(ii), 47	
Psalm	97	Fletcher
First Lesson	Isaiah 49: 1-13	
Magnificat	Sexti toni	Victoria
Second Lesson	John 4: 7-26	
Nunc Dimittis	Tertii toni	Victoria
Anthem	Surge, illuminare	Byrd
Voluntary (CJ)	Christum wir sollen loben	J.S. Bach
	schon BWV 611	

Tuesday 7 January

Feria

12.30pm Holy Communion

Wednesday 8 January

St Lucian

9.30am Holy Communion

Thursday 9 January

Feria

Omnes de Saba

Jacob Händl (1550-1591)

Omnes de Saba venient, Aurum et thus deferentes, Et laudem Domino annuntiantes. Alleluia.

All they from Saba shall come: they shall bring gold and frankincense; and proclaiming praise to the Lord. Alleluia.

[Isaiah 60: 6]

Surge, illuminare, Jerusalem

William Byrd (1543-1623)

Surge, illuminare Jerusalem, Quia venit lumen tuum, Et gloria Domini super te orta est. Alleluia.

Arise, shine, Jerusalem: because thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee, Alleluia.

[Isaiah 60: 1-2]

SUNDAY LUNCHTIME RECITALS 1.00pm

3 November

NO RECITAL (Tallis Scholars - private event)

10 November

Rufus Frowde (organ)

17 November

Ugnius Pauliukonis (piano)

24 November

Alix Lagasse (violin) & Maria Tarasewicz (piano)

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8 December

Dinara Klinton (piano)

15 December

William Fielding (organ)

22 December

NO RECITAL

29 December

Jamie Mark (organ)

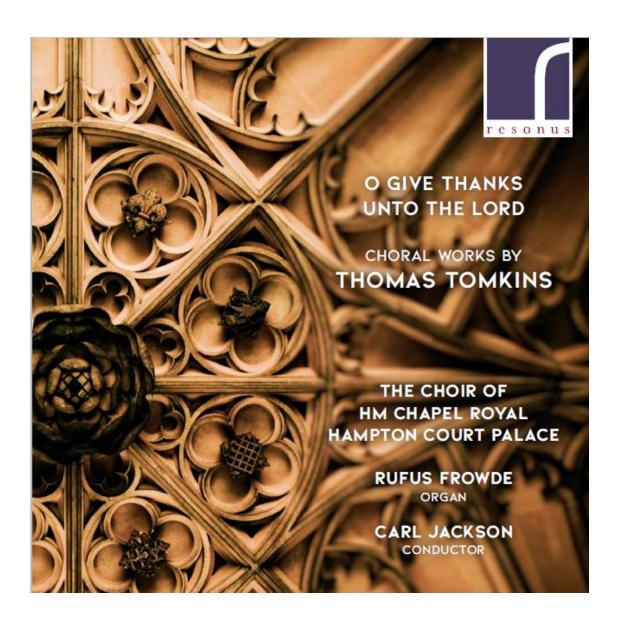
5 January

Alexander Pott (organ)

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