# **SUNDAYS AT FOUR**



Music at the Cathedral Special Services and Concerts

October 15 – December 24, 2023





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# & SPECIAL CHORAL SERVICES

October – December 2023

Every Sunday at 4:00 p.m. from October 15<sup>th</sup> through December 17<sup>th</sup> there will be a Choral Evensong, a Service of Readings & Music, or a Concert at the Cathedral.

On Wednesday, November 1<sup>st</sup> at 7 p.m. there will be a Festal Evensong to commemorate All Saints' Day with the three choirs of All Saints Cathedral and Capella Regalis Men & Boys & Girls Choirs.

On Sunday November 19th, Capella Regalis Men & Boys Choir, will sing for both the 11:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist and the 4:00 p.m. Evensong. At the afternoon service new boys will be formally invested into the choir.

The Cathedral Choir sings at the traditional Choral Eucharist every Sunday at 11 a.m.

Sunday Oct. 15 4:00 p.m. Evensong 19th Sunday after Trinity

Sung by Capella Regalis Men & Boys Choir

Sunday Oct. 22 4:00 p.m. Evensong 20th Sunday after Trinity

Sung by Capella Regalis Men & Girls Choir

Sunday Oct. 29 4:00 p.m. Evensong 21st Sunday after Trinity

Sung by the Cathedral Choir

Wednesday Nov. 1 7:00 p.m. Three Choirs Festal Evensong for All Saints All Saints' Day

Sung by the Cathedral Choir and Capella Regalis Men & Boys & Girls Choirs

Sunday Nov. 5 4:00 p.m. Concert: FOR ALL THE CITY (Free to the Public)

Capella Regalis presents **Gabriel Fauré's** *Requiem* with the Men & Boys & Girls Choirs, the Cathedral Choir, orchestra and baritone soloist, Alexander Dobson. Thanks to funding from two private foundations this performance, commemorating all who gave their lives in service to their country, is offered free of charge as a gift to the city of Halifax. Taking place on Remembrance Sunday in the week of All Saints, the concert will be a fitting tribute to "those whom we love but see no longer."

For more information visit www.capellaregalis.com

Sunday Nov. 12 4:00 p.m.. Evensong
Sung by the Cathedral Choir

23rd Sunday after Trinity

Sunday

Nov. 19 11:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist

25th Sunday after Pentecost

Capella Regalis Men & Boys Choir will be singing both the morning and afternoon services at the Cathedral today.

4:00 p.m. Evensong & Investiture 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity Boys who have joined the senior choir within the past year will be formally invested.

Sunday Nov. 26 4:00 p.m. Evensong
Sung by the Cathedral Choir

The Sunday Next Before Advent

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Sunday Dec. 3 4:00 p.m. Evensong
Sung by Capella Regalis Men & Girls Choir

**Advent Sunday** 

Sunday

Dec. 10 4:00 p.m. Concert: A ROSE IN WINTER (Ticketed Event)

**The Cathedral Choir** presents a concert of Christmas music and readings with guest baritone Alexander Dobson. "Dobson, one of the most impressive Canadian baritones of this generation, is a wonderful actor and has a beautiful, rich and commanding voice, that is also as smooth as silk." (*Opera Canada*). Tickets will be available at eventbrite.ca as of November 1st.

Sunday

Dec. 17 4:00 and Concert: A CHORISTER'S CHRISTMAS (Ticketed Event) 7:00 p.m.

**Capella Regalis Men & Boys Choir**, directed by Nick Halley, presents their annual programme of Christmas music with the Maritime Brass Quintet. For more information visit **www.capellaregalis.com** 

# More Christmas Music at the Cathedral

Christmas Eve Choral Services

Sunday

Dec. 24 7:00 p.m. Choral Eucharist

**Christmas Eve** 

Sung by the Cathedral Choir

Music by Gabrieli, Gretchaninov, Howells, Halley, Darke and Bach.

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Dec. 24 10:30 p.m. Midnight Solemn Eucharist

**Christmas Eve** 

Sung by the Cathedral Choir and Capella Regalis Men & Boys & Girls Choirs with The Maritime Brass Quintet

At 10:30 p.m. The Maritime Brass Quintet and Paul Halley play music for brass and organ by Praetorius, Gabrieli, Bach and Brahms. This forms the Prelude to the service proper which begins at 11 p.m. The choirs, brass and organ offer anthems by Gabrieli, Rutter and Howells and the *Missa Festiva* by Gretchaninov. The service ends with Mulet's "Carillon-Sortie" arranged for brass and organ.

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Capella Regalis Choirs are modeled on the centuries-old European tradition of cathedral and collegiate chapel choirs. The program is free, and open to any boy or girl who passes a basic audition. Capella Regalis is a Canadian charity, and relies on support from individual donors to maintain its programs. For more information, please visit:

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