



**Truro
Cathedral**
sacred space, common ground

**Sunday 11 January 2026
The Baptism of Christ**

Worship in Truro Cathedral today

08:00	BCP Holy Communion	Revd. Andrew Yates
10:00	Choral Eucharist	President Dean Simon Robinson Preacher Revd. Keiren Marwood
16.00	Choral Evensong	Revd. Preacher Joanna Abecassis

10.00am Hymns for this morning's service

All in the Order of Service

Music for the 10am Eucharist

Introit	The Three Kings	Cornelius
Missa Brevis		Ives
Motet	Omnes de saba	Handl
Voluntary	Epiphanie	Litaize

The Collect:

Eternal Father,
Who at the baptism of Jesus
Revealed him to be your Son,
Anointing him with the Holy Spirit:
Grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit,
That we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted children;
Through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
Who is alive and reigns with you,
In the unity of the Holy Spirit,
One God, now and for ever. **Amen**

First reading: Isaiah 42. 1-9

Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; I have put my spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations. He will not cry or lift up his voice, or make it heard in the street; a bruised reed he will not break, and a dimly burning wick he will not quench; he will faithfully bring forth justice. He will not grow faint or be crushed until he has established justice in the earth; and the coastlands wait for his teaching. Thus says God, the Lord, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread out the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people upon it and spirit to those who walk in it: I am the Lord, I have called you in righteousness, I have taken you by the hand and kept you; I have given you as a

covenant to the people, a light to the nations, to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness. I am the Lord, that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to idols. See, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth, I tell you of them.

Psalm 29

Response

Rosalie Bonighton

cf v. 10

May the Lord bless his peo - ple with peace.



Second reading: Acts 10.34-43. Peter began to speak to them: 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.'

Gospel reading: Matthew 3. 13-end. Then Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan, to be baptized by him. John would have prevented him, saying, 'I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?' But Jesus answered him, 'Let it be so now; for it is proper for us in this way to fulfil all righteousness.' Then he consented. And when Jesus had been baptized, just as he came up from the water, suddenly the heavens were opened to him and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him. And a voice from heaven said, 'This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.'

Post Communion Prayer

Lord of all time and eternity,
You opened the heavens and revealed yourself as Father
In the baptism of Jesus your beloved Son:
By the power of your Spirit
complete the heavenly work of our rebirth
through the waters of the new creation;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Music for Choral Evensong

The Short Service	Ayleward
Three Carol-Anthems	Howells
A spotless rose Sing Lullaby Here is the little door	
Voluntary Carillon-Sortie	Langais

This week we are praying for: May Kincaid, Fiona Davie, Samantha Holland, Mary Prior, Elliot Wills, Laura Bushell Hawke, Christine Moody, Ruth Robathan, Margaret Wallace, Jill Staplehurst, Claire Burgess, Colin Bradley, Sophia Jenkins, Belinda Stafford.

RIP: Alison Jones, Tricia Pilkington, Kenneth Fraser-Annand

Services for the week beginning: 12 January 2025

Monday 12 January <i>Aered, abbot, 1167</i>	09:00 Holy Communion 09:30 Morning Prayer 16.00 Evening Prayer
Tuesday 13 January Hilary, bishop, teacher of the faith, 367	09:00 Holy Communion 09:30 Morning Prayer 17.30 Choral Evensong with LuxMuralis
Wednesday 14 January	09:00 Holy Communion 09:30 Morning Prayer 17.30 Choral Evensong with LuxMuralis
Thursday 15 January 2026	09:00 Holy Communion 09.30 Morning Prayer 12.10 Christian Meditation 17.30 Choral Evensong with LuxMaralis
Friday 16 January	09.00 Holy Communion 09.30 Morning Prayer 11:00 BCP Holy Communion 16.00 Evening Prayer
Saturday 17 January	09:00 Holy Communion 09:30 Morning Prayer 16:00 Evening Prayer

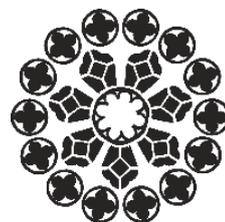
The Friends of Truro Cathedral

Coffee Morning

Wednesday 14 January 2026 - 10-11.30 - Friends Coffee Morning in the Cathedral Chapter House. Hot drinks, biscuits, a raffle and friendly chatter.

The Friends hold their coffee morning on the on the 2nd Wednesday of every month. All are welcome.

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