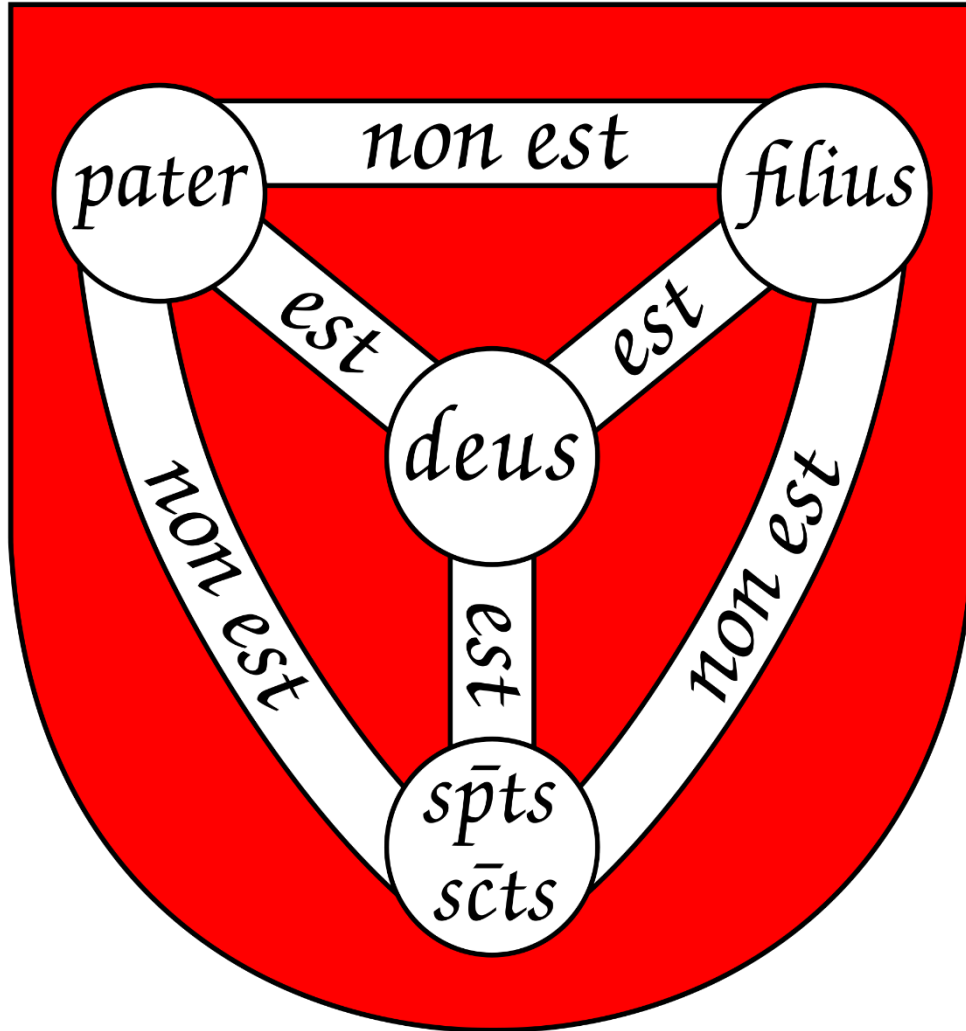




The Parish and Ward Church of
St Botolph-without-Bishopsgate
in the City of London
EC2M 3TL



Choral Mass

in the week of

The First Sunday after Trinity
Wednesday 5 June 2024
at 1.10 pm

The Revd David Armstrong, Rector

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St Botolph-without-Bishopsgate - a place of calm, sanctuary and God's love in the City

During the singing of the Offertory Hymn a collection will be taken up for Christ's work in this place. If you are a UK taxpayer please complete a Gift Aid envelope. We are also able to accept contactless payments – if you prefer to donate by this method please use one of the devices at the front or back of church or the QR code on the back of this service sheet.

Offertory Hymn: NEH 377

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
Almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise.

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,
Nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might;
Thy justice like mountains high soaring above
Thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love.

To all life thou givest—to both great and small;
In all life thou livest, the true life of all;
We blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,
And wither and perish—but nought changeth thee.

Great Father of glory, pure Father of light,
Thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight;
All laud we would render: O help us to see
'Tis only the splendour of light hideth thee.

Sanctus, Benedictus qui venit, and Agnus Dei: see the Mass book

During Communion:

The Agnus Dei of the Fauré Mass will be sung

Closing Hymn: NEH 235 (verses 1, 3, 6)

Forth in thy name, O Lord, I go,
My daily labour to pursue;
Thee, only thee, resolved to know,
In all I think or speak or do.

Preserve me from my calling's snare,
And hide my simple heart above,
Above the thorns of choking care,
The gilded baits of worldly love.

For thee delightfully employ
Whate'er thy bounteous grace hath given,
And run my course with even joy,
And closely walk with thee to heaven.

Organ music: Prélude—Alexandre Guilmant 1837-1911

All are warmly invited to join us for refreshments following the service

FORTHCOMING SERVICES & NOTICES

Church opening and service times

The church is open for public worship and private prayer every Monday to Friday 7.30 am to 5.30 pm, continuing to maintain God's physical presence in the City of London. Our normal service pattern is:

Tuesdays - Said Masses at 8.10 am and 12.10 pm

Wednesdays - Choral Mass with sermon at 1.10 pm

Thursdays - Said Mass at 12.10 pm

Choral services are livestreamed on our YouTube channel (accessible from the church website www.botolph.org.uk).

Services and events this week and next

Tomorrow, Thursday 6 June:

Mass at 12.10 pm

Tomorrow to Monday 10 June -

French theatre production by Tamise en Scène

- see over page for more details

(just a few tickets available for the final matinee on Monday!)

Next Tuesday, 11 June:

Masses at 8.10 am and 12.10 pm

Next Wednesday, 12 June:

At 12.00 noon we welcome Master, Wardens and members of the Worshipful Company of Leathersellers for their Election Day Service. Fr David will lead the service along with the Company's Hon. Chaplain, and the guest preacher is the Bishop of London.



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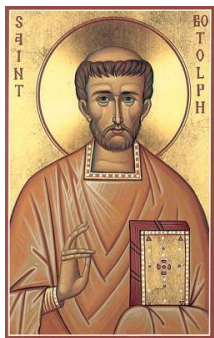
This is immediately followed at 1.10 pm by our own Choral Patronal Festival Service – see full details opposite

Next Thursday, 13 June:

Mass at 12.10 pm

Orlando Chamber Choir Concert in church at 7.30 pm

- see over page for more details



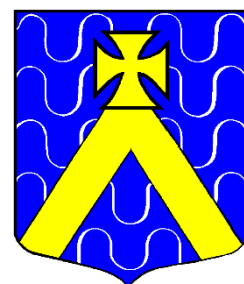
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 12 JUNE

**All are warmly invited to join us
as we celebrate our patron
ST BOTOLPH**

CHORAL PATRONAL FESTIVAL MASS at 1.10pm

Music includes:

Coronation Mass, K 317 *Mozart*
Ave verum Corpus *Mozart*
Toccata in G *Dubois*



Guest Preacher:

The Reverend Canon Daniel Burton,
Vicar of St Mary with St Peter, Oldham,
and Chair of ABCD Bethlehem



The UK charity Action around Bethlehem Children with Disability (ABCD Bethlehem) works tirelessly to support the needs of disabled children and young adults, and their families in the West Bank. ABCD's rehabilitation centre in Nour Shams has twice recently been ransacked by government forces; the charity has undertaken to refurbish and restock this centre and to continue to support the children and families it serves. St Botolph's has supported ABCD for some years, and the collection at the Patronal Festival Mass will go towards the emergency appeal for the refurbishment at Nour Shams.

The service will be followed by the traditional **Parish Party** at which the refreshments will include food with a Palestinian inspiration. There will as usual be a special **St Botolph Cake** created by our friend John Marshall.

FRENCH THEATRE PRODUCTION IN THE HALL – THURSDAY 6 TO MONDAY 10 JUNE

les ateliers **TAMISE** présentent
en scène

Les femmes savantes *de Molière*

Mise en scène de Julien Balajas



Du Jeudi 6 au Dimanche 9 juin 2024 à 19h30
Et le Samedi 8 juin à 15h30

St Botolph's Church Hall
Bishopgate, London EC2M 3TL
🚶 Liverpool Street

Réservations : www.tamiseenscene.com

CONCERT IN CHURCH – THURSDAY 13 JUNE

orlando

CHAMBER CHOIR
LUCY GODDARD
DIRECTOR

Songs for the Soul

Psalms, Folk Songs, Spirituals

THURSDAY
13 JUNE 2024 | 19:30

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Can you help us financially?

Our regular income continues to be depressed owing to the knock-on effects of Covid, with a reduction in our normal income streams including Hall and Court hire, service collections and alms donations as fewer people are working in and visiting the City of London. If you are in a position to give St Botolph's any financial support at this time: perhaps you might consider giving by standing order or direct debit, or a one-off donation? You will find more information about ways of supporting us on the website at <https://botolph.org.uk/support-us/>, and the Administrator can help with queries (church@botolph.org.uk).

- **Cash donations** (outside service times) may be placed in the alms boxes, or handed to a member of staff at any time. If you are a UK taxpayer please complete a Gift Aid envelope so we can claim back a further 25% from HMRC.
- **Card/contactless donations** can be made at any time via the device on the table at the back of church, **or this QR code**, and can be Gift Aided.
- **Credit card donations** can be made via the link on our website, and can be Gift Aided.

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The Good Coffee Kiosk



We are excited to announce that the Kiosk will be re-opening soon with new staff, new products and a new look - but still Good Coffee! We have been working with Melina Hermann of ECV Solutions Ltd on plans for the future of the kiosk, and we look forward to seeing the results which this partnership will produce. We hope to have a date soon for the grand re-opening of the Kiosk – announcements will be made on the website, in service sheets and notices round the church, and in our monthly email newsletter.

Find out more about Melina at:

<https://botolph.org.uk/the-good-coffee-kiosk/>

Monthly newsletter

Our monthly newsletter is circulated by email to members of the St Botolph's 'family'. If you do not already receive this and would like to, it is easy to subscribe via the website, or by emailing the Administrator at church@botolph.org.uk.