



# ST JAMES'S, SPANISH PLACE

(Roman Catholic Diocese of Westminster)

## Choral and organ music

February 2025

Solemn Masses are livestreamed on <https://www.youtube.com/c/StJamesSpanishPlace>

2025 is the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the birth of Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina, one of the greatest polyphonic composers of the sixteenth century.

We shall commemorate his anniversary by performing some of his most celebrated Mass settings and motets at our liturgies throughout the year.

<b>2 February</b> Presentation of the Lord	<b>10.30</b> <i>Solemn Latin Mass</i>	Missa De Beata Maria <i>Victoria</i> Adorna thalamum <i>Soriano</i> Nunc dimittis <i>Palestrina</i> Toccata-Prelude Vom Himmel hoch <i>Edmundson</i>
	<b>12.00</b> <i>Organ Mass</i>	Toccata avanti la Messa della Madonna <i>Frescobaldi</i> Recercar dopo il Credo <i>Frescobaldi</i> Toccata per l'Elevatione <i>Frescobaldi</i> Recercar con obbligo di cantare <i>Frescobaldi</i>
<b>9 February</b> Fifth Sunday of the Year	<b>10.30</b> <i>Solemn Latin Mass</i>	Heiligmesse <i>Haydn</i> Laudate Dominum <i>Palestrina</i> Prelude and Fugue in E minor (BWV 548) <i>Bach</i>
	<b>12.00</b> <i>Organ Mass</i>	Ricercare primi toni <i>Palestrina</i> Ricerca secundi toni <i>Palestrina</i> Ricerca quarti toni <i>Palestrina</i>
<b>16 February</b> Sixth Sunday of the Year	<b>10.30</b> <i>Solemn Latin Mass</i>	Missa Ad fugam <i>Palestrina</i> Cantate Domino <i>Monteverdi</i> Ave Regina caelorum a5 <i>Palestrina</i> Praeludium in E minor (BuxWV 152) <i>Buxtehude</i>
	<b>12.00</b> <i>Organ Mass</i>	Herzlich mich tut verlangen <i>Brahms</i> O Welt, ich muss dich lassen <i>Brahms</i> O Gott, du frommer Gott <i>Brahms</i>
<b>23 February</b> Seventh Sunday of the Year	<b>10.30</b> <i>Solemn Latin Mass</i>	Missa Pontificalis <i>Perosi</i> O Maria vernans rosa <i>Clemens</i> Tu lux pulchra <i>Clemens</i> Lobet den Herren mit Pauken und Zimbeln schön <i>Karg-Elert</i>
	<b>12.00</b> <i>Organ Mass</i>	Improvisations

Solemn Latin Mass, Sundays at 10.30  
Organ Masses, Saturdays at 18.00 & Sundays at 12.00

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