# Handbell Choir Schedule Church of St. Patrick Sept 2025 – Easter 2026

Rehearsals are held twice a month on Mondays from 7:00–8:00 PM in the church. There will also be rehearsal before each scheduled Mass an hour before the Mass time.

The choir rings once a month at one of the weekend Masses (4:00 PM Saturday, 8:00 AM or 10:30 AM Sunday), avoiding overlap with the Children's and Adult Choirs. For Christmas and Easter, the choir will ring at 8:00 AM Mass.

#### Rehearsal Dates

- Monday, September 01, 2025
- Monday, September 08, 2025
- Monday, October 06, 2025
- Monday, October 13, 2025
- Monday, November 03, 2025
- Monday, November 10, 2025
- Monday, December 01, 2025
- Monday, December 08, 2025
- Monday, January 05, 2026
- Monday, January 12, 2026
- Monday, February 02, 2026
- Monday, February 09, 2026
- Monday, March 02, 2026
- Monday, March 09, 2026
- Monday, April 06, 2026

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- Sunday, October 05, 2025 at 8:00 AM Mass
- Sunday, November 02, 2025 at 8:00 AM Mass

- Saturday, December 06, 2025 at 5pm CHRISTMAS CONCERT
- Thursday, December 25, 2025 at 8:00 AM Mass
- Saturday, January 03, 2026 at 4:00 PM Mass
- Sunday, February 01, 2026 at 8:00 AM Mass
- Sunday, March 01, 2026 at 10:30 AM Mass
- Sunday, April 05, 2026 at 8:00 AM Mass

Selections to be chosen from the following:

## **A** Advent

Focus: Preparation, anticipation, longing

- "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" arr. Cathy Moklebust (Hope)
- "People, Look East" arr. Sandra Eithun (Choristers Guild)
- "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus" arr. Brian Childers (RingPraise)
- "Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence" arr. Karen Buckwalter (Choristers Guild)

#### **Christmas**

Focus: Joy, incarnation, celebration

- "Angels We Have Heard on High" arr. Michael Helman (Hope)
- "Joy to the World" arr. Cynthia Dobrinski (Hope)
- "Silent Night, Holy Night" arr. Douglas E. Wagner (Agape)
- "O Come, All Ye Faithful" arr. Arnold Sherman (Agape)
- "The First Noel" arr. Jason Krug (Lorenz)
- "Carol Medley" arr. Martha Lynn Thompson (Hope)

## † Lent

Focus: Reflection, penance, humility

- "Were You There" arr. Anna Laura Page (Hope)
- "What Wondrous Love Is This" arr. Bill Ingram (Hope)

- "Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross" arr. Patricia Hurlbutt (Choristers Guild)
- "Ah, Holy Jesus" arr. Cathy Moklebust (Choristers Guild)
- "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" arr. Lloyd Larson (Hope)

## Holy Week / Triduum

Focus: Passion, suffering, anticipation of resurrection

- "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" arr. Arnold Sherman (Hope)
- "Go to Dark Gethsemane" arr. Karen Buckwalter (Choristers Guild)
- "Were You There" (works for both Lent and Good Friday)
- "Prelude on Crucifer (Lift High the Cross)" arr. Sandra Eithun (Lorenz)

# **Easter**

Focus: Triumph, resurrection, joy

- "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" arr. Cynthia Dobrinski (Hope)
- "Thine Be the Glory" arr. Jason Krug (Agape)
- "Alleluia! Sing to Jesus" arr. Cathy Moklebust (Hope)
- "Easter Fanfare" arr. Kevin McChesney (Hope)
- "Crown Him with Many Crowns" arr. Dan Edwards (Hope)

## **&** Ordinary Time

Focus: Praise, discipleship, mission

- "Sing a New Song" arr. Kevin McChesney (Hope)
- "Here I Am, Lord" arr. Arnold Sherman (Hope)
- "Lord of the Dance" arr. Sandra Eithun (Choristers Guild)
- "The Gift of Love" arr. Hal Hopson (Hope)
- "How Can I Keep from Singing" arr. Cathy Moklebust (Hope)
- "Shall We Gather at the River" arr. Anna Laura Page (Hope)