

ST. AMBROSE, KIDDERMINSTER

Music Programme

6 September 2026 – 22 November 2026

*Singing with the choir on Sundays goes hand in hand with rehearsing together — this is where the sound is made.
Members are requested to attend at least half of rehearsals as a minimum.*

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Sun 6th September 2026 11am: CHOIR · 6pm: **TRIDENTINE**

Harvington Pilgrimage, 3pm at Harvington Hall.

Hymns: L.887 Thou whose almighty Word
----- Where two or three are gathered
L.466 All people that on earth do dwell

Proper: English Proper Chants (Ainslie)

Mass: Belmont Mass (Walker)

Choir Practice

Wed 9 Sep · 7pm

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Sun 13th September 2026 11am: CHOIR · 6pm: CANTORS

Hymns: L.813 Bless the Lord, my soul (Taize)
L.211 Our Father, we have wandered
L.910 Christ be beside me
L.721 O Lord my God

Choir: **No.132 Inclina ad me (Himmel)**

Proper: English Proper Chants (Ainslie)

Mass: St. Anne's Mass (MacMillan) (G)
German Mass (Schubert arr. Proulx) (S)
St. Chad's Mass (Saint) (A)

Choir Practice and Compline

Wed 16 Sep · 7pm, 8pm

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Sun 20th September 2026 11am: CHOIR · 6pm: **FOLK MASS**

Folk Mass TBC.

Hymns: L.934 Dear Lord and Father of mankind
L.941 There is a longing in our hearts
L.795 I heard the voice of Jesus say
L.705 Bring to the Lord a glad new song

Proper: English Proper Chants (Ainslie)

Mass: Mass VIII (de Angelis) (Plainchant) (G)
Short Mass in C (Terry) (S)
Messe a deux voix egales (Gounod) (A)

Choir Practice

Wed 23 Sep · 7pm

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Sun 27th September 2026 11am: CHOIR · 6pm: CANTORS

Hymns: L.875 O Jesus I have promised
L.728 O God beyond all praising
L.725 Immortal, invisible

Choir: **No.88 Ave Verum Corpus (Elgar)**

Proper: English Proper Chants (Ainslie)

Mass: Tenbury Mass (Johnson)

Choir Practice

Wed 30 Sep · 7pm

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Sun 4th October 2026 11am: CHOIR · 6pm: **TRIDENTINE**

Hymns: L.921 This is my will
L.357 Hail thou star of ocean
L.830 The Church's one foundation

Choir: **No.71 Ave Maris Stella (Plainchant)**

Proper: English Proper Chants (Ainslie)

Mass: Belmont Mass (Walker)

Choir Practice

Wed 7 Oct · 7pm

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Sun 11th October 2026 11am: CHOIR · 6pm: CANTORS

Hymns: L.341 Sing of Mary, pure and lowly
L.651 My God, and is thy table spread
L.960 Guide me, O thou great Redeemer

Choir: **No.154 The Lord's my shepherd (Chilcott)**
----- **Tota Pulchra es Maria (Corsican)**

Proper: English Proper Chants (Ainslie)

Mass: Mass VIII (de Angelis) (Plainchant) (G)
Spring Sanctus (Barry) (S)
Diagle-Joncas (Daigle-Joncas) (A)

Choir Practice and Compline

Wed 14 Oct · 7pm, 8pm

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Sun 18th October 2026 11am: CHOIR · 6pm: **FOLK MASS**

Folk Mass TBC.

Hymns:	----- How shall I sing that majesty L.607 Let all mortal flesh keep silence L.880 Tell out, my soul
Choir:	No.78 Sub tuum praesidium (Trad. Slavonic)
Proper:	English Proper Chants (Ainslie)
Mass:	St. Anne's Mass (MacMillan) (G, S) Messe Solennelle (Vierne arr. Johnson) (A)

Choir Practice

Wed 21 Oct · 7pm

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Sun 25th October 2026 11am: CHOIR · 6pm: CANTORS

Hymns:	L.794 God is love, his the care L.365 Immaculate Mary
Choir:	No.49 Ubi Caritas (Hurd) No.73 Mother of God (Tavener)
Proper:	English Proper Chants (Ainslie)
Mass:	Tenbury Mass (Johnson) (G) Short Mass in C (Terry) (S) Mass of John Henry Newman (MacMillan) (A)

Choir Practice

Wed 28 Oct · 7pm

All Saints

Sun 1st November 2026 11am: CHOIR · 6pm: **TRIDENTINE**

Hymns:	----- For all the saints (Droitwich) L.908 Blest are the pure in heart L.708 Holy God, we praise thy name
Choir:	No.111 Beati mundo corde (Bryant)
Proper:	Graduale Romanum (Gaudeamus omnes)
Mass:	Mass VIII (de Angelis) (Plainchant)

All Souls

Mon 2nd November 2026 7.30pm: CHOIR

Annual Mass for Deceased Parishioners

Hymns:	----- Remember Father, loving Lord ----- Out of the depths of love L.388 Help, Lord, the souls that thou hast made L.907 Abide with me
Choir:	----- Pie Jesu (Johnson)
Proper:	Alleluia (God so loved the world) (Stainer) Graduale Romanum (pro Defunctis) (Plainchant)
Mass:	Missa Pro Defunctis (Plainchant)

Remembrance Sunday

Sun 8th November 2026 11am: CHOIR

Hymns:	L.955 O God, our help in ages past L.806 The Lord's my Shepherd CH.407 Be still my soul L.679 The day thou gavest God save our gracious king L.907 Abide with me
Choir:	----- Pie Jesu (Johnson)
Proper:	Graduale Romanum (pro Defunctis) (Plainchant) Alleluia (God so loved the world) (Stainer)
Mass:	Missa Pro Defunctis (Plainchant)

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun 8th November 2026 6pm: CANTORS

Hymns:	L.961 Lead, kindly light L.679 The day thou gavest L.907 Abide with me
Proper:	English Proper Chants (Ainslie)
Mass:	Belmont Mass (Walker)

Choir Practice

Wed 11 Nov · 7pm

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Sun 15th November 2026 11am: CHOIR · 6pm: CANTORS

Hymns:	L.940 Lord, for tomorrow and its needs L.874 Take my life, and let it be L.704 Praise the Lord, for he is glorious
Choir:	----- Christ has no body now but yours (Ogden)
Proper:	English Proper Chants (Ainslie)
Mass:	St. Anne's Mass (MacMillan) (G) German Mass (Schubert arr. Proulx) (S) Joncas (A)

Choir Practice and Compline

Wed 18 Nov · 7pm, 8pm

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Sun 22nd November 2026 11am: CHOIR · 6pm: **FOLK MASS**

Hymns:	L.321 Crown him with many crowns L.806 Loving shepherd of thy sheep L.320 Hail Redeemer, King Divine
Choir:	----- Let all the world in ev... (Vaughan-Williams)
Proper:	English Proper Chants (Ainslie)
Mass:	Tenbury Mass (Johnson)
