

**Music and Readings for Epiphany
Christ Church Cathedral, Montreal
Sunday, January 8, 2016, 4:00 PM
The Cathedral Singers**



Edward Burne-Jones design, *Epiphany Tapestry*, Exeter College Chapel, Oxford, 1890

Prelude: *Wie schön leuchtet die Morgenstern* [[listen](#)], James Woodman (b. 1957)

Hymn: *Before the earth had yet begun* [[text](#)]



Sano di Pietro, *Madonna and Child*, Private Collection, Paris, 15th c.

Choir: *Das Wort ward Fleisch* [text] [YouTube], Andreas Hammerschmidt (1611-75)

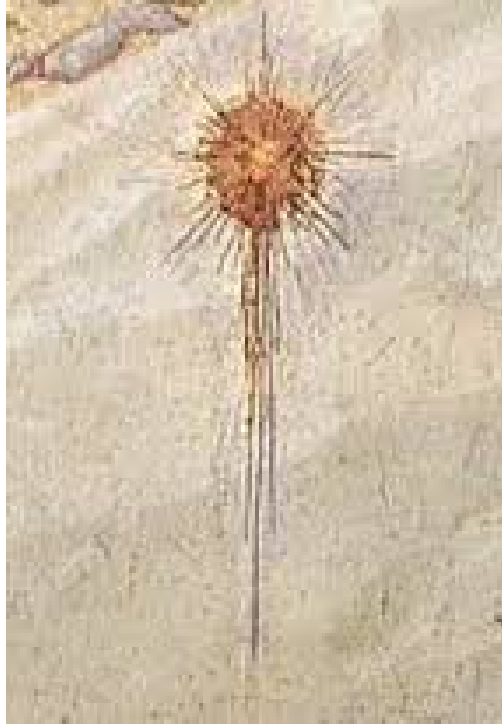
Hymn: *Hail to the Lord's anointed* [text]



Sassetta, *The Journey of the Magi*, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, 1433-35

Choir: *Videntes Stellam Magi* [text] [Spotify], Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina (1525-94)

Choir: *The Three Kings* [text] [YouTube], Healey Willan (1880-1968)



Sassetta, *The Journey of the Magi* (detail)

Hymn: ***Brightest and best of the stars of the morning*** [[text](#)]

Choir: ***Morning Star*** [[text](#)] [[YouTube](#)], **Arvo Pärt** (b. 1935)

Choir: ***Christus est stella*** [[text](#)] [[YouTube](#)], **Will Todd** (b. 1970)





Giotto di Bondone, *Three Miracles: Magi, Cana, Baptism*; Cappella degli Scrovegni, Padua, 1304-06

Hymn: *When Christ's appearing was made known* [[text](#)]

Choir: *Tribus miraculis* [[text/listen](#)], Luca Marenzio (1553-99)



Jan van Eyck, The Ghent Altarpiece (detail), 1427-29

Hymn: *Sing of God made manifest* [[text](#)]

Choir: *Now may we sing* [[text](#)], [[YouTube](#)], **Cecilia McDowall** (b. 1951)

Postlude: *Carillon on 'Orientis Partibus'* [[YouTube](#)], **Arthur Wills** (b. 1926)