USING THE LITURGY PLANNER

The title takes its cue from the Sunday readings in the Church of England's Common Worship Lectionary, the Revised Common Lectionary and the Roman Lectionary, which are presented with a brief commentary to provoke reflection and assist planning. Several lists of suggested music are provided for each Sunday and festival, in accordance with the themes and moods of the readings:

- Singing the Psalm of the day
- ► Hymns and songs from a wide range of styles and traditions
- ► Anthems and vocal music, including music from lona, Taizé and the world church
- ▶ Organ music
- Music for children

Sunday by Sunday follows the readings laid out in the Common Worship Principal Service Lectionary, the Revised Common Lectionary and the Roman Lectionary. Drawing on the music and spirituality of a wide range of Christian traditions, the publication is a genuinely ecumenical resource.

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ABOUT THE RSCM

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Introduction

Sunday by Sunday is the RSCM's guide for church musicians, clergy and all who plan and lead worship. At its core is a week-by-week liturgy planner for every Sunday and major festival of the Church's year. A selection of additional resources is provided for each edition, which may include material for seasonal worship, photocopiable musical examples and specialist articles for choir trainers, organists, cantors and music group leaders complementing the RSCM's Church Music Skills programme. Every quarter, a team of experts reviews the latest printed music publications.

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