

KING CHARLES III CORONATION



CHARLES CORONATION SCHEDULE

Saturday 06/05/2023

The Coronation service at Westminster Abbey

The Coronation service will take place on the morning of Saturday, May 6, 2023 at Westminster Abbey.



At Buckingham Palace, the King and the Queen Consort, accompanied by members of the royal family, will appear on the balcony to conclude the day's ceremonial events.

Sunday 07/05/2023

The Coronation concert at Windsor Castle

On Sunday, May 7, 2023, a special Coronation concert will take place at Windsor Castle.



The Coronation Big Lunch
Neighbours and communities are invited to share food and fun together at Coronation Big Lunches.

Monday 08/05/2023

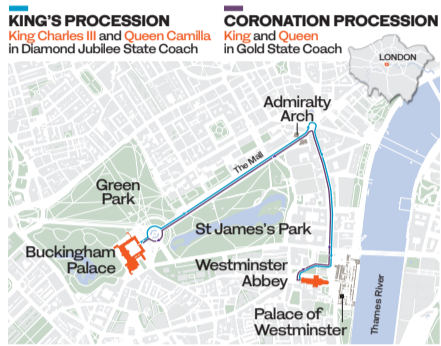
The Big Help Out

The Big Help Out is a tribute to His Majesty The King's public service. The Big Help Out will encourage people to try volunteering for themselves and join the work being undertaken to support their local areas.



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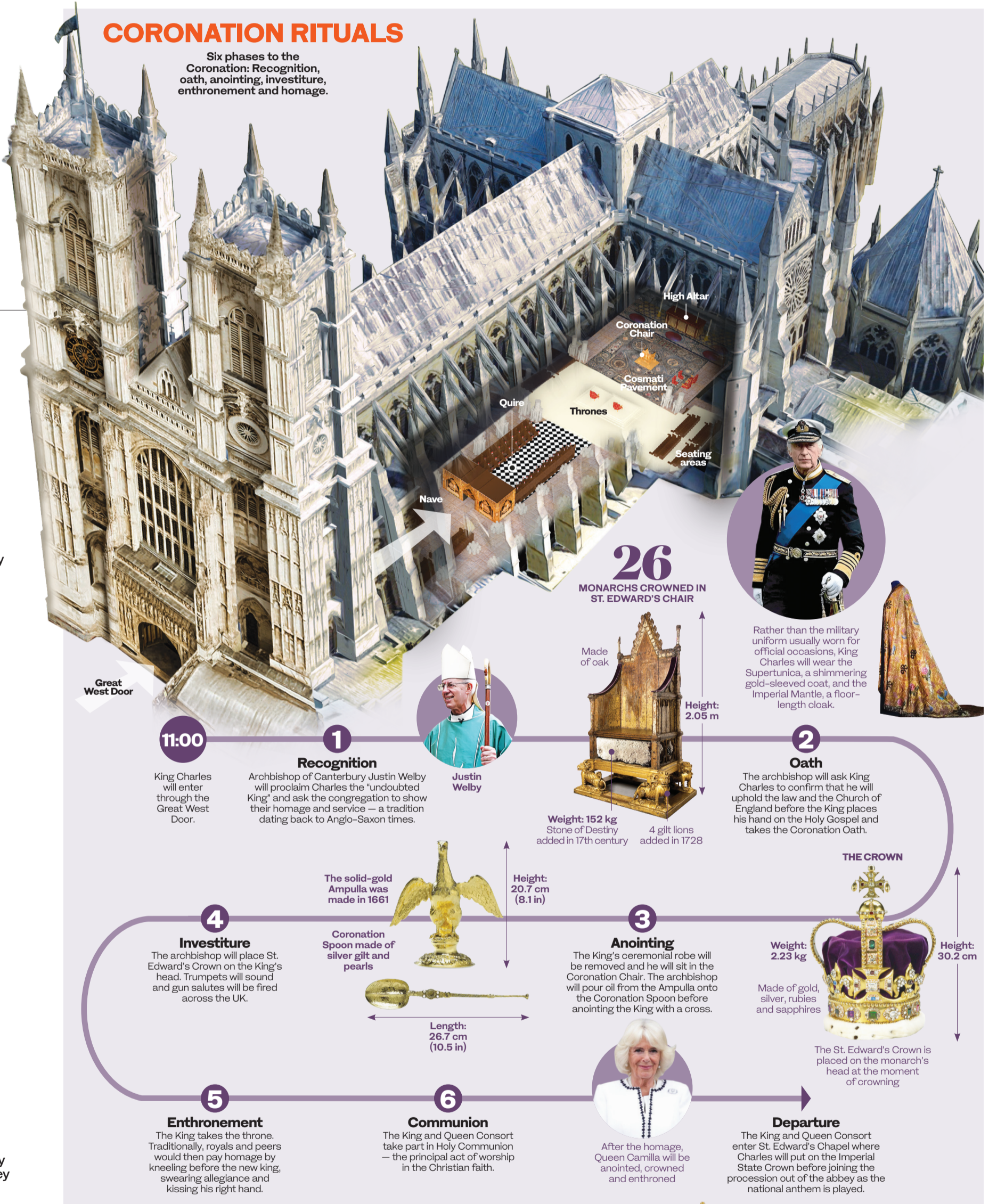
CORONATION PROCESSION ROUTE



Their Majesties The King and Queen Consort will arrive at Westminster Abbey in procession from Buckingham Palace. This is known as 'The King's Procession'.

CORONATION RITUALS

Six phases to the Coronation: Recognition, oath, anointing, investiture, enthronement and homage.



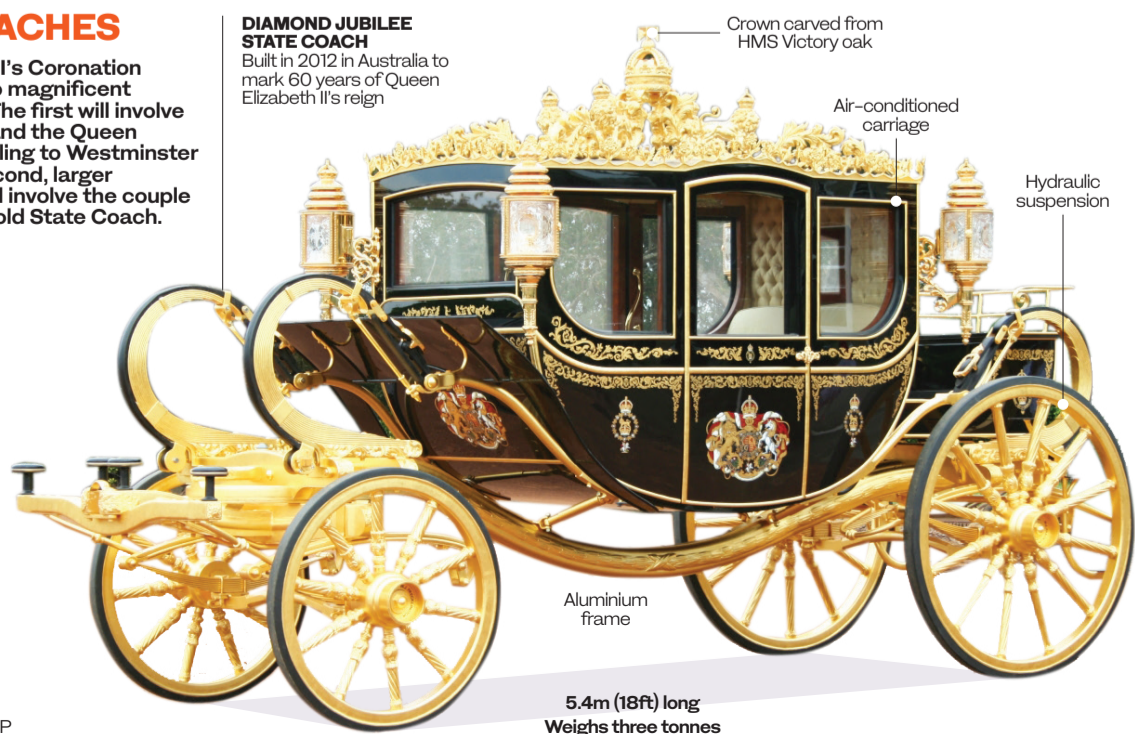
CHARLES TIMELINE

- Nov. 14, 1948**
Born at Buckingham Palace, to Princess Elizabeth and Philip
- July 1, 1969**
Formally invested as Prince of Wales
- 1970**
Graduates from Cambridge University
- 1971-76**
Serves in the navy
- July 29, 1981**
Marries Lady Diana Spencer
- June 21, 1982**
Birth of Prince William
- Sept. 15, 1984**
Birth of Prince Harry
- Dec. 9, 1992**
Prince and Princess of Wales agree to separate
- Aug. 31, 1997**
Princess Diana killed in a car crash in Paris
- April 9, 2005**
Marries Camilla Parker Bowles in civil ceremony
- May 6, 2023**
Coronation ceremony at Westminster Abbey

THE COACHES

King Charles III's Coronation will involve two magnificent processions. The first will involve King Charles and the Queen Consort travelling to Westminster Abbey; the second, larger procession will involve the couple riding in the Gold State Coach.

DIAMOND JUBILEE STATE COACH
Built in 2012 in Australia to mark 60 years of Queen Elizabeth II's reign



5.4m (18ft) long
Weighs three tonnes

GOLD STATE COACH
Built in 1762 and used at every coronation since 1831



7m (23ft) long
Weighs four tonnes