

Corpus Christi College Chapel



Trinity Term 2016

A NEW LOOK FOR CORPUS CHAPEL

During the spring and summer of 2016, Corpus Chapel is undergoing a much-needed refurbishment to be ready for the Quincentenary celebrations in 2017. The interior will be repaired, cleaned and redecorated and the woodwork and floors repaired. There will be new lighting to reveal its restored glory. The ante-Chapel will also have extensive work done with new storage installed making it a much more welcoming entrance to the Chapel and a better work space for the choir.

Consequently the Chapel and ante-Chapel will be out of use from late Hilary Term until the start of the new academic year but Chapel worship will continue almost as usual, thanks to our neighbours the **University Church of St Mary the Virgin** and **Oriel College**. Sunday evening services will take place in the chancel of St Mary's and various weekday services in Oriel College Chapel.

WEEKDAYS

Holy Communion, every Tuesday in Oriel Chapel at 12.30.

A simple, said service, finishing in time for lunch at 1 pm. Members of Corpus are welcome to join Oriel for these services.

SPECIAL SERVICES

Compline for Eastertide, Tuesday 26 May (1st Week), 9.30 pm

Oriel Chapel

Compline, or the 'Night Office', is a sung, ancient, and reflective service – the perfect way to close the day. Hot chocolate and cake follow back in 2.4 afterwards.

Joint Choral Eucharist with Oriel for Ascension Day, Thursday 5 May (2nd Week), 6 pm

This important day in the Christian year commemorates the risen Christ's ascension into heaven and begins our preparations to celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. We celebrate this Feast with our neighbours, combining our two choirs and congregations. This year, due to our Chapel refurbishment, Oriel is hosting the service and supper that follows.

President: the Chaplain of Corpus

Preacher: the Acting Chaplain of Oriel

Joint Corpus and Oriel Roman Catholic Mass, Wednesday 11 May (3rd Week), 6 pm

A joint celebration for Corpus and Oriel – this term **in Oriel**. Refreshments follow in 3.3.

Solemn Eucharist for Corpus Christi Day, Thursday 26 May (5th Week), 6 pm

Oriel Chapel

Corpus Christi Day was one of the most popular holy days for Christians in the middle ages and the dedication of our College by Bishop Fox reflects its wide appeal. Now, as then, the day celebrates God's gift to humanity of the Holy Eucharist.

Preacher: the Revd Canon Dr Jessica Martin, Priest-in-Charge, Hinxton, Ickleton, and Duxford, Diocese of Ely

This service is followed by Presidential drinks back in Corpus and the Corpus Christi Day Dinner in the Hall at 7.30 pm.

Compline for Ordinary Time, Tuesday, 14 June (8th Week), 9.30 pm

Oriel Chapel

Compline, or the 'Night Office', is a sung, ancient, and reflective service – the perfect way to close the day – and (nearly) the academic year. Hot chocolate and cake follow back in 2.4 afterwards.

SUNDAYS

Sunday services held in the chancel of the
University Church of St Mary the Virgin, High Street

5.45 p.m. *Evensong except where stated otherwise*

Refreshments follow the service back in College in the Rainolds Room and everyone is welcome.

24 Apr *Easter 5/Eve of the Feast of St Mark the Evangelist*

Easter cake and cava follow this service

Preacher: the Chaplain

1 May *Easter 6*

Preacher: the Revd Dr Ben Williams, Leverhulme Early Career Fellow in Jewish Studies, King's College London and CCC SCR

8 May *Easter 7*

Preacher: Avril Baigent, Chapel Homilist

15 May *Pentecost ('Whitsun')*

Choral Eucharist

Preacher: the Chaplain

22 May *Trinity Sunday*

Preacher: the Revd Canon Jeremy Davies, formerly Canon Precentor, Salisbury Cathedral

29 May *Trinity 1*

Preacher: Avril Baigent, Chapel Homilist

5 June *Trinity 2*

Preacher: Prof David McClean, Emeritus Professor of Law, University of Sheffield

12 June *Trinity 3*

Refreshments at the Lodgings follow and then the termly Pizza Outing

Preacher: the Chaplain

Chapel finishes in time to partake both of congenial refreshments and College supper which is served until 7.30 pm in the Hall. There is an ad hoc Chapel table with the Visiting Preacher, accompanied by red and white wine and soft drinks. Note that on 8 May and 5 June, Formal Hall follows Chapel at 7.15 p.m. Further information about chapel services, activities and events are also available on the College website www.ccc.ox.ac.uk.

Chaplain:

Revd Canon Dr Judith Maltby

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The Chaplain is here to be of help to all members of the College on welfare or faith matters and can also assist with referrals to other appropriate sources of support. As Dean of Welfare she is responsible for matters to do with College policy on welfare and is always happy to discuss those matters as well. Most weekdays and Sundays, Judith is in College and she can be contacted at home. She is also an Associated Priest at the University Church of St Mary the Virgin on the High Street www.university-church.ox.ac.uk.

College Lecturer and Adviser in Music

Dr Katie Pardee katharine.pardee@wadh.ox.ac.uk.

Dr Pardee's role involves supporting music more widely in the College as well as in the Chapel and you can read more about her here www.ox.ac.uk/JRFS-and-Lecturers/.

Chapel Homilist

Avril Baigent avril@baigent.net

Avril is a lay theologian, a former director of youth work for the Roman Catholic diocese of Northampton and a part-time doctoral student in theology at the University of Durham. She read Ancient and Modern History at Corpus in the 1990s. In this new role of Chapel Homilist, she will be preaching once or twice a term and getting to know the current Corpus community. You can read more about her at www.ox.ac.uk/chapel.

Chapel Officers

JCR Chapelwardens: Judith Edmondson (& Oxford Gatehouse Link), Hannah Taylor and Francesca Vernon; MCR Chapelwardens: Anna Blomley (& Chapel Lector), Jonathan Griffiths (& Chapel Thurifer) and Skye Montgomery; Peter Ladd (Senior Organ Scholar) and Eric Foster (Junior Organ Scholar; eric.foster@sjc.ox.ac.uk); Theodore Hill (Graduate Organ Scholar; theodore.hill@classics.ox.ac.uk)

Chapel Reps

Francesca Vernon (RC Rep); Jonathan Machin and Ailsa McKinlay (CU Reps)

Volunteers are always needed to read lessons and lead intercessions. If you would like to contribute to the life of the Chapel in this way, please see Anna Blomley (Lector) or the Chaplain.

The Chapel Choir makes a valuable contribution to the musical life of the whole college and welcomes singers of all faiths or none. See the Organ Scholars, Peter Ladd, Eric Foster and Theodore Hill for more information.

Christian Aid Week 15-21 May (4th Week)

Christian Aid is an ecumenical relief and development agency which works in partnership with local organizations (religious and non-religious) in the developing world. It has a long and respected tradition for its work among, and with, some of the world's poorest people. Last year Corpus raised £1,120 for this vital work and so far this academic year £2,200 has been raised for the Oxford Gatehouse's work with local homeless people. For more about both charities visit www.oxfordgatehouse.org and www.christian-aid.org.uk.

The annual Christian Aid Week in the UK plays a critical part in Christian Aid's funding. Please give and if you would like to help with the collection in 4th Week, see the Chapelwardens or the Chaplain.