



Corpus Christi College Chapel

Hilary Term 2018

WEEKDAYS

Weekday Holy Communion at 1.05 pm

A simple said celebration of the Eucharist followed by fancy sandwiches (in 2.4) will take place on the following days:

Thursday 25 January (2nd Week): Conversion of St Paul

Wednesday 21 February (6th Week): Ember Day

The service and lunch finish in time for those who need to be away by 2 pm

SPECIAL SERVICES

Sung Compline for Epiphany

Tuesday 23 January (2nd Week), 9 pm

Compline (or the Night Office) is sung to the evocative melodies of plainsong chant, an ancient, reflective service that takes about 20 minutes – the perfect way to close the day. Hot chocolate etc in 2.4 afterwards.

Joint Corpus and Oriel Roman Catholic Mass in Oriel

Wednesday 31 January (3rd Week), 6 pm

This joint termly celebration will take place in Oriel. Refreshments follow.

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Monday 5 February (4th Week), 6 pm

The Chapel Choir will sing Choral Evensong at Christ Church Cathedral and we'd welcome as much support as possible from our congregation.

Ash Wednesday

14 February (5th Week), 6pm

Choral Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes

The termly chapel curry supper follows this service.

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent, a season of penitence and preparation for the celebration of Easter.

Sung Compline for Lent

Tuesday 27 February (7th Week), 9 pm

As above, even in Lent, hot chocolate etc follows in 2.4

SUNDAYS

5.45 p.m. *Evensong (except where stated otherwise)*
Refreshments are served after the service and everyone is welcome.

14 January *2nd Sunday of Epiphany*
Preacher: The Revd Canon Brian Mountford, Acting Chaplain

21 January *3rd Sunday of Epiphany*
Preacher: Avril Baigent, Chapel Homilist

28 January *4th Sunday of Epiphany*
Preacher: John Simpson, BBC Foreign Correspondent

4 February *Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord in the Temple (Candlemas)*
Choral Eucharist
Preacher: The Revd Claire Hayns, Chaplain of Christ Church

11 February *Sunday next before Lent*
Preacher: The Revd Lucy Thirtle, Parish Priest of Islip (just outside Oxford)

18 February *Lent 1*
Preacher: The Revd Canon Brian Mountford, Acting Chaplain

25 February *Intercollegiate service at the University Church of St Mary the Virgin*
(NB service time of 5.30pm and no service in Corpus that evening – join us at St Mary's)
Preacher: The Bishop of St Edmundsbury and Ipswich

4 March *Lent 3 Readings and Music for Lent*
A service of music, poetry, and biblical readings.
Hot cross buns to follow this service as does the termly Pizza Outing.

Chapel finishes in time to partake both of congenial refreshments and college supper which is served until 7.15 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 28 Jan and 25 Feb formal hall follows chapel at 7.15 pm. Further information about chapel services, activities and events are also available on the College website www.ccc.ox.ac.uk.

Acting Chaplain: The Revd Canon Brian Mountford MBE

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The Revd Canon Dr Judith Maltby will be on study leave for the whole of 2018. The Acting Chaplain, Brian Mountford, was Vicar of the University Church until May 2016 and is a Fellow of St Hilda's College. In addition he is Publisher at Large for the 'Christian Alternative' imprint of John Hunt Publishers, Ltd. This February his latest book, *Friday's Child: an anthology of poems of suffering and redemption* will be published.

He is very happy to try to be of help to any member of college on faith or pastoral matters, but he has no direct responsibility for welfare. He will be around in college quite a lot, but it's best to email or phone first if you would like to meet up for a coffee. During the year the Dean of Welfare will be Professor Liz Fisher.

College Lecturer and Adviser in Music: Dr Katie Pardee

katharine.pardee@ccc.ox.ac.uk Dr Pardee's role involves supporting music more widely in the College as well as in the Chapel and if you play an instrument or sing, she would love to hear from you. There is more about her here: www.ccc.ox.ac.uk/JRFS-and-Lecturers/.

Chapel Homilist: Avril Baigent

avril@baigent.net Avril is a lay theologian and a part-time doctoral student in theology at the University of Durham. In her role of Chapel Homilist, she preaches once or twice a term. You can read more about her at www.ccc.ox.ac.uk/chapel.

Chapel Officers

JCR Chapelwardens: Abigail Newton, Hannah Taylor, Constance Tongue and Francesca Vernon; MCR Chapelwardens: Anna Blomley (& Chapel Lector) and Jonathan Griffiths (& Chapel Thurifer); Theodore Hill (Graduate Organ Scholar); Matthew Murphy (Senior Organ Scholar) and Krzysztof Zdzislaw (Junior Organ Scholar)

Chapel Reps

RC Rep (tbc); CU Reps: Huw Thomas and Miriam Tomusk

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, Theodore Hill, Matthew Murphy and Krzysztof Widera for more information.

In the Michaelmas Term the Chapel raised a bumper total of £1,330 to support two charities in Oxford which work with people who are homeless or vulnerable. First, £575 for the Gatehouse which is a day centre in St Giles - we have long connection with this charity and it happens Brian Mountford was the Founding Chairman. And at the two carol services we raised £755 for the Oxford Winter Night Shelter. The OWNS is a new initiative in which seven city centre churches make their plant available for rough sleepers one night a week - so it is a sustainable model for a local congregation. It involves Anglican, Roman Catholic and Free Church local churches.