Corpus Christi College Chapel

Michaelmas Term 2022
**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:

- **Tuesday 18 Oct (2nd Week)**  
  Feast of St Luke the Evangelist
- **Thursday 10 Nov (5th Week)**  
  Commemoration of Leo the Great, bishop & teacher of the faith (461)
- **Tuesday 22 Nov (7th Week)**  
  Commemoration of Celia, martyr, patron saint of music (c 230)

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

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**Special Services**

*Joint Corpus & Oriel Roman Catholic Mass*  
Tuesday 11 Oct, 6 pm (1st Week)
Now an established tradition – this term’s joint celebration will take place in Oriel Chapel and refreshments follow in Oriel. Next term, the Mass will be in Corpus.

*Compline for Ordinary Time*  
Tuesday 25 Oct, 9 pm (3rd Week)
Compline (or the ‘Night Office’) is a sung, ancient and reflective service, which takes about 20 minutes – the perfect way to close the day. Hot chocolate, cake, etc in 2.4 afterwards.

*Requiem Eucharist for the Feast of All Souls*  
Wednesday 2 Nov, 6 pm (4th Week)
The Feast of All Souls is a day on which we give thanks to God for all those whom we love but see no longer. If you wish loved ones who have died to be remember in prayer by name at this service, please contact the Chaplain.
*The termly Chapel Informal Supper follows.*
Preacher: the Chaplain

*Remembrance Day – College Observance*  
Friday 11 Nov, 10.55-11.05 am (5th Week)
A brief service in the working week followed by coffee in the Hall. It will take place in the Quad weather permitting and in the Chapel if not.

*Compline for Ordinary Time*  
Tuesday 15 Nov, 9 pm (6th Week)
As on 25 October, including cake (see above).

*College Carol Service*  
Thursday 1 Dec, 6 pm (8th Week)
A service of music and readings for Advent and Christmas, with a short address by the Chaplain. Christmas Dinner follows in the Hall at 7.30 pm.

*Carol Service for Old Members*  
Saturday 3 Dec, 3 pm (8th Week)
This popular service is for alumni and parents of the chapel choir is followed by tea in the Hall. So we can get the numbers right, booking is required for this service. Please contact Martha Baskerville in the College Development Office.
SUNDAYS

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

9 Oct  Trinity 17
Preacher: the Chaplain

16 Oct  Trinity 18
Preacher: Avril Baigent, Chapel Homilist

23 Oct  Last after Trinity
Preacher: the Revd Canon Dr Alison Joyce, Rector of St Bride's, Fleet Street, London

30 Oct  All Saints Sunday
Choral Eucharist
Preacher: Dr Matthew Schrecker, Research Fellow, Department of Mathematics, University College London & Anglican Ordinand, Ripon College Cuddesdon, Oxford

6 Nov  3 before Advent
Preacher: the Revd Stephen McCarthy, Chapel Homilist

13 Nov  Remembrance Sunday
Preacher: Prof Helen King, Chapel Homilist

20 Nov  Christ the King Sunday
Preacher: the President

27 Nov  Advent Sunday
Choral Eucharist
Followed by mulled wine and mince pies in the Lodgings by the kindness of the President, then on to the termly Pizza Outing
Preacher: Dr Jonathan White, Director of Music

Chapel finishes in time for pre-dinner drinks and college supper which is served until 7.15pm in Hall. There is an ad hoc Chapel table with the visiting preacher, accompanied by red and white wine and soft drinks. Note that on 23 October and 20 November formal hall follows chapel at 7.15pm. Further information about chapel services, activities and events are also available on the college website www.ccc.ox.ac.uk
Chaplain & Dean of Welfare: the Revd Canon Dr Judith Maltby  
(Also Associate Chaplain at the University Church of St Mary Virgin, High Street)

Room in College: 2.4, tel 01865 (2)76722 e-mail: judith.maltby@ccc.ox.ac.uk

Judith is here, both as Dean of Welfare and Chaplain, to be of help to all members of the College, especially the members of the Junior and Middle Common Rooms, on any welfare or faith matters. She knows a great deal about other welfare services in the wider University as well. There is a lot more information about what she does on the College website and in the College Welfare Guide. Judith is in College most weekdays and Sundays; dropping her an email is the best way to arrange to meet.

Music

College Lecturer and Advisor in Music: Dr Katharine Pardee  
Director of Music: Dr Jonathan White  
Organ Scholar: Adam Tomkinson

The Chapel Choir welcomes singers of all faiths and none. Singers receive free meals after all choral services, and there are no auditions, though some experience of singing is helpful. Choral Bursaries are available in all parts for more experienced singers, including a small stipend and free singing lessons. For more information about any musical aspect of the Chapel, contact Jonathan or Adam who co-direct the music programme.

Chapel Homilists

Avril Baigent is a lay Roman Catholic theologian pursuing doctoral studies at the University of Durham. She read History at Corpus in the 1990s. Prof Helen King is Professor Emerita of Classical Studies, The Open University and an Authorized Preacher in the Diocese of Oxford. The Revd Stephen McCarthy is a DPhil student in Theology here at Corpus and is a priest in the Episcopal Church (USA).

Chapel Officers

Chapelwardens: Annagreta Amadio (Almoner), Anna Cowen, Brenden Emmanuel, Tom McGillivray (Lector), Rhiannon Odgen-Jones, Katie Owens

Chapel Reps: Iain Bagnall (RC rep); Bethan Ryder & Matthew Roe (CU reps)

Volunteers are always needed to read lessons and lead intercessions. Please contact Tom McGillivray or the Chaplain.

Chapel Outreach

Last Michaelmas and Hilary Terms, the Chapel raised just over £1000 for the Oxford Winter Night Shelter and its partner project, the Living Room. Last Trinity, £365 was raised for the Ukraine Humanitarian Appeal overseen by the UK Disasters Emergency Committee. This term, we are supporting the Oxford Winter Night Shelter and the Living Room and their work with people who are homeless or poorly housed in the Oxford area. Ask Judith for more information if you are interested in volunteering or visit the OWNS website.

Cover illustration: detail from the Corpus coat of arms, looking into the quad from the Lodge. The depiction of owls reflects the contribution of Bishop Hugh Oldham (a pun on his name – ‘O[w]ldham – a Tudor sort of pun), who was a promoter of greater access to education and a major benefactor to the College at its foundation in 1517.  
Photo: Nick Read.