Weekdays

Weekday Holy Communion at 1.05 pm

Tuesday 30th January (3rd week) Charles, King and martyr, 1649
Tuesday 13th February (5th week) Shrove Tuesday
Tuesday 27th February (7th week) George Herbert, priest and poet, 1633

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

Special Services

Joint Corpus & Oriel Roman Catholic Mass
Tuesday 16th January, 6 pm (1st Week)
Now an established tradition – this term’s joint celebration will take place in Corpus Christi Chapel with Mass celebrated by the Roman Catholic Chaplain to the University. We will then proceed to Oriel for Evening Prayer for Christian Unity, followed by drinks, and dinner.

Compline for Ordinary Time
Tuesday 23rd January, 9 pm (2nd 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 the Chaplain’s Room (Fellows Building 2, second floor) afterwards.

Ash Wednesday
14th February, 5:45 p.m.
A joint service of Choral Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes, with Lady Margaret Hall, in LMH chapel, followed by a time of fellowship.

Commemoration of Benefactors
will be at the Choral Evensong on Sunday 11th February, 5:45 p.m.

Compline for Lent
Tuesday 20th February, 9 pm (6th Week)
The Night Office will defer slightly from our service on the 23rd January, to observe the Season of Lent, and followed by light refreshments in the Chaplain’s Room (Fellows Building 2, second floor).
Sundays

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

14 January  Second Sunday of Epiphany
Preacher: The Revd Emily Hockliffe-Essex, Curate of Holy Trinity, Headington Quarry

21st January Third Sunday of Epiphany
– Week of prayer for Christian Unity (18-25 January 2024)
Preacher: Roman Catholic Chaplain, Fr Damian Howard

28th January Candlemas – Presentation of Christ in the Temple
Preacher: The Venerable Jonathan Chaffey, Archdeacon of Oxford

4th February Second Sunday before Lent
Preacher: Dr Jonathan White, Director of Music

11th February Sunday next before Lent – Commemoration of Benefactors
Preacher: Prof. Helen King
A Chapel Homilist & Professor Emerita of Classical Studies

18th February First Sunday of Lent
Preacher: The Revd Laura Biron-Scott, Vicar of Holy Trinity, Headington Quarry and Honorary Chaplain, Magdalen College

25th February Second Sunday of Lent
Preacher: The President

3rd March Third Sunday of Lent – Choral Eucharist
Preacher: The Chaplain

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 Preacher, accompanied by red and white wine and soft drinks. Note that on 28 January and 25 February, 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
The Chaplain: The Revd Dr Stephanie Burette
Stephanie is also Chaplain at Lady Margaret Hall.
Room in College: Fellows Building 2, second floor.
stephanie.burette@ccc.ox.ac.uk

As Chaplain, Stephanie oversees the College Chapel activities, both through the leading of worship, in collaboration with the Director of Music and Organ Scholars, and through other events within the College. She is here for all members of the College, whether they come to Chapel or not. The College Chapel is an inclusive place in which all are welcome, where we foster a sense of belonging, and where everyone can feel safe and valued. If you have any question, would appreciate a conversation, have suggestions, would like to be involved in services, or just would like to reach out, please drop Stephanie an email.

Music

College Lecturer and Advisor in Music: Dr Katharine Pardee (katharine.pardee@ccc.ox.ac.uk)
Director of Music: Dr Jonathan White (jonathan.white@ccc.ox.ac.uk)
Senior Organ Scholar: Adam Tomkinson (adam.tomkinson@ccc.ox.ac.uk)
Junior Organ Scholar: Edmund Smith (edmund.smith@ccc.ox.ac.uk)

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, Adam and Edmund who co-direct the music programme.

Chapel Homilists

Avril Baigent is a Roman Catholic lay theologian pursuing doctoral studies at Durham University. She read History at Corpus in the 1990s. Prof Helen King is Professor Emerita of Classical Studies, The Open University and a Licensed Preacher in the Diocese of Oxford.

Chapel Officers

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

Chapel Outreach

Last academic year, the Chapel raised just over £1,500 for the Oxford Winter Night Shelter and its partner project, the Living Room. Last Michaelmas Term, we raised more than £400. We continue to support the Oxford Winter Night Shelter and the Living Room and their work with people who are homeless or poorly housed in the Oxford area. For more information about their work or volunteering, visit the OWNS website.

Cover illustration: The Adoration of the Shepherds (detail), Corpus Christi Chapel altarpiece, 158 x 258 cm, Rubens studio, 17th c. Photo: The Chaplain