



# **CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL**

**SERVICES AND MUSIC  
MAY 2024**

## 29 APRIL–5 MAY

## CANON IN RESIDENCE The Revd Canon Peter Moger *Sub Dean*

### MONDAY 29 APRIL

Catherine of Sienna, Teacher, 1380

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Latin Chapel*

**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the College Choir*

Hymn 347

Psalm 142

Rose Responses • Brewer *in D*  
Wesley *Thou wilt keep him*  
*in perfect peace*

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### TUESDAY 30 APRIL

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Lady Chapel*

**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Psalm 25

Tomkins Responses  
Purcell *in E minor*  
Taverner *Christe Jesu*

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### WEDNESDAY 1 MAY

Philip and James, Apostles

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Bell Chapel*

**1pm BCP Communion**

**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by Frideswide Voices*  
*with the Clerks*

Hymn 223

Psalm 149

Rose Responses  
Child *in D*  
Whitbourn *Give us the wings*

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### THURSDAY 2 MAY

Athanasius, Bishop of Alexandria,  
Teacher, 373

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Chapel of Remembrance*

**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Clerks*

Psalm 14

Tallis Responses  
Tallis *Dorian Service*  
Viadana *Exsultate iusti*

## **FRIDAY 3 MAY**

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**  
*in the Lucy Chapel*

## **6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Psalm 15

Tomkins Responses

Tomkins *Second Service*

Handel *Since by man came death*

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## **SATURDAY 4 MAY**

English Saints and Martyrs  
of the Reformation Era

**8:10am Morning Prayer**

**8:30am Said Eucharist**  
*in the Lady Chapel*

**11am Turning of the Pages**

## **6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Hymn 222

Psalm 22: 1–21

Tomkins Responses

Stanford *in B flat*

Harris *Holy is the true light*

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## **SUNDAY 5 MAY**

**7:30am Said Matins (BCP)**

**8am BCP Communion**

**9am College Communion**

**11am Choral Eucharist**  
*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

*Preacher*

The Revd Canon Peter Moger  
*Sub Dean*

Hymns 142, 516, 372

Psalm 98

Byrd *Mass for five voices*

Byrd *Ave verum*

## **The Sixth Sunday of Easter**

### **6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by Frideswide Voices  
with the Clerks*

Hymn 162

Psalm 45

Rose Responses

Brewer *in D*

Stanford *O for a closer walk*

## 6–12 MAY

## CANON IN RESIDENCE The Revd Canon Dr Sally Welch *Diocesan Canon*

### MONDAY 6 MAY

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Latin Chapel*

**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the College Choir*

Hymn 612

Psalm 32

Rose Responses • Sumsion *in A*  
Stanford *How beauteous are*  
*their feet*

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### TUESDAY 7 MAY

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Lady Chapel*

**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Psalm 37: 1–22

Rose Responses

Byrd *Third Service*

Vaughan Williams *Rise, heart,*  
*thy Lord is risen*

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### WEDNESDAY 8 MAY

Julian of Norwich, Spiritual Writer,  
c.1417

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Bell Chapel*

**1pm BCP Communion**

**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by Frideswide Voices*  
*with the Clerks*

Psalms 15, 24

Shephard Responses

Aston *in F*

Finzi *God is gone up*

**9pm College Compline**

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### THURSDAY 9 MAY ASCENSION DAY

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Lucy Chapel*

**6pm Choral Eucharist**

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Hymns *Risen Lord, in splendour*  
*seated*, 278, 172

Psalm 47

Byrd *Mass for five voices*

Byrd *Psallite Domino*

## **FRIDAY 10 MAY**

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**  
*in the Lucy Chapel*

## **6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Psalms 53, 54

Rose Responses

Byrd *Short Service*

Byrd *I will not leave you comfortless*

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## **SATURDAY 11 MAY**

**8:10am Morning Prayer**

**8:30am Said Eucharist**  
*in the Lady Chapel*

**6pm Choral Evensong**  
**celebrating the Diamond**  
**Jubilee of the Oxfordshire**  
**Historic Churches Trust**

*Choral Evensong sung by*  
*Frideswide Voices with the Clerks,*  
*and participants in the*  
*Be a Chorister for a Day event*

Hymns 14, 208 (part ii)

Psalm 61

arr. Dawes *Steal away*

Rose Responses

Dyson *in D*

Elgar *Give unto the Lord*

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## **SUNDAY 12 MAY**

**7:30am Said Matins (BCP)**

**8am BCP Communion**

**9am College Communion**

**11am Choral Eucharist**  
*Sung by Frideswide Voices*  
*with the Clerks*

*Preacher*

**The Revd Canon Dr Sally Welch**  
*Diocesan Canon*

Hymns 166, 372, 612

Psalm 1

*Vierne Messe Sollenelle*

*Stanford Coelos ascendit hodie*

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## **The Seventh Sunday of Easter**

**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by Frideswide Voices*  
*with the Clerks*

Hymn 591

Psalm 147: 1–12

Reading Responses

Turner *in A*

Gibbons *O clap your hands*

## 13–19 MAY

### MONDAY 13 MAY

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Latin Chapel*

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### TUESDAY 14 MAY

**Matthias the Apostle**

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Lady Chapel*

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### WEDNESDAY 15 MAY

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Bell Chapel*

**1pm BCP Communion**

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### THURSDAY 16 MAY

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Chapel of Remembrance*

## **CANON IN RESIDENCE** **Canon Professor Carol Harrison** ***Lady Margaret Professor of Divinity***

**6pm Said Evening Prayer**

*Said at the West End*

Psalms 69, 70

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**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Hymn 214 (t. 546)

Psalm 74: 1–12

Smith Responses

Wood *in E flat, no. 1*

Harwood *O how glorious is the kingdom*

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**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by Frideswide Voices  
with the Clerks*

Psalm 78: 1–17

Gull Responses

Howells *New College Service*

Mendelssohn *He that shall endure  
to the end*

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**6pm House Communion**

*Sung by the College Choir*

*Preacher*

The Revd Canon Dr Will Lamb  
*Vicar of the University Church  
of Saint Mary the Virgin*

Mozart *Missa Brevis in D minor (K.65)*

SS Wesley *Blessed be the God  
and Father*

## **FRIDAY 17 MAY**

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**  
*in the Lucy Chapel*

## **6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Psalm 89: 1–19

Smith Responses

Batten *Fourth Service*

Stravinsky *The Lord's Prayer*

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## **SATURDAY 18 MAY**

**8:10am Morning Prayer**

**8:30am Said Eucharist**  
*in the Lady Chapel*

**1pm Saying Goodbye Service**

## **6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Hymn 191

Psalm 48

Smith Responses

Humfrey *in F minor*

Walton *Jubilate Deo*

## **8pm Sacred**

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## **SUNDAY 19 MAY**

**7:30am Said Matins (BCP)**

**8am BCP Communion**

**9am College Communion**

**11am Choral Eucharist  
with University Sermon**  
*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

*Preacher*

The Revd Canon Dr Flora Winfield  
*Third Church Estates Commissioner*

Hymns 175, 186, 191

Psalm 104: 26–end

Haydn *Little Organ Mass*  
Mozart *Ave verum corpus*

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## **DAY OF PENTECOST (Whit Sunday)**

**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Hymn 181

Psalm 139: 1–11

Smith Responses

Stanford *in C*

Elgar *The Spirit of the Lord*

## 20–26 MAY

### MONDAY 20 MAY

Alcuin of York, Deacon,  
Abbot of Tours, 804

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Latin Chapel*

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### TUESDAY 21 MAY

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Lady Chapel*

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### WEDNESDAY 22 MAY

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Bell Chapel*

**1pm BCP Communion**

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### THURSDAY 23 MAY

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Chapel of Remembrance*

## CANON IN RESIDENCE The Revd Canon Dr Sally Welch *Diocesan Canon*

**6pm Said Evening Prayer**

*Said at the West End*

Psalm 104

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**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Psalm 106: 1–12

Martin Responses

Morley Short Service

Attwood Come, Holy Ghost

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**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by Frideswide Voices  
with the Clerks*

Psalm 108

Clucas Responses

Weelkes Sixth Service

Bennett A Good-Night

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**9pm College Compline**

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**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Psalm 114

Martin Responses

Byrd Second Service

Byrd Confirma hoc, Deus



## FRIDAY 24 MAY

John and Charles Wesley,  
Evangelists, Hymn Writers,  
1791 and 1791

### 7:10am Morning Prayer

### 7:30am Said Eucharist

*in the Lucy Chapel*

## 6pm Choral Evensong

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir*

Psalm 119: 1-16

Martin Responses

Tallis *Short Service*

Ouseley *From the rising of the sun*

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## SATURDAY 25 MAY

The Venerable Bede, Monk at  
Jarrow, Scholar, Historian, 735

### 8:10am Morning Prayer

### 8:30am Said Eucharist

*in the Lady Chapel*

## 6pm Choral Evensong

*Sung by the Clerks*

Hymn 474

Psalms 97, 98

Rose Responses

Shepherd *First Service*

Harris *Behold, now praise the Lord*

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## SUNDAY 26 MAY

### 7:30am Said Matins (BCP)

### 8am BCP Communion

### 9am College Communion

### 11am Choral Eucharist

*Sung by the Clerks*

*Preacher*

The Revd Dr Zachary Guiliano

*Priest Vicar*

Hymns 392, 202, 426

Psalm 29

Langlais *Missa in simplicitate*

de Severac *Tantum ergo*

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## TRINITY SUNDAY

### 2pm Holy Communion in British Sign Language

### 6pm Choral Evensong

*Sung by the Clerks*

Hymn 203

Psalm 104: 1-10

Rose Responses

Moore *Fauxbourdons*

Sheppard *Laudem dicite Deo*

## 27 MAY – 2 JUNE

### MONDAY 27 MAY

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Latin Chapel*

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### TUESDAY 28 MAY

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Lady Chapel*

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### WEDNESDAY 29 MAY

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Bell Chapel*

**1pm BCP Communion**

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### THURSDAY 30 MAY

**Day of Thanksgiving for  
Holy Communion  
(Corpus Christi)**

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Chapel of Remembrance*

**CANON IN RESIDENCE**  
**The Revd Canon Peter Moger**  
*Sub Dean*

**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the College Choir*

Hymn 555

Psalms 127, 128

Rose Responses • Dyson *in D*

Rechel *Peace be to this House*

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**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Singers*

Psalms 136, 137, 138

B Parry Responses

Moore *Third service*

Tchaikovsky *Hymn to the Trinity*

**7:30pm Roman Catholic Mass**

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**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Singers*

Psalms 142, 143

B Parry Responses

Stanford *in B flat*

Bonis *O salutaris hostia*

**9pm College Compline**

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**6pm Choral Eucharist**

*Sung by the Cathedral Singers*

*Preacher*

The Revd Canon Dr Sally Welch

*Diocesan Canon*

Hymns 311, 309, 316

Psalm 113

Byrd *Mass for four voices*

Croce *O sacrum convivium*

## **FRIDAY 31 MAY**

**The Visit of the Blessed Virgin  
Mary to Elizabeth**

**7:10am Morning Prayer**

**7:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Lady Chapel*

## **6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Singers*

Hymn 239

Psalms 122, 127, 128

B Parry Responses

Potter *Alternative canticles*

Dett *Ave Maria*

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## **SATURDAY 1 JUNE**

Justin, Martyr at Rome, c.165

**8:10am Morning Prayer**

**8:30am Said Eucharist**

*in the Lady Chapel*

**11am Turning of the Pages**

## **6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Singers*

Hymn 546

Psalms 6, 7, 8

B Parry Responses

Darke *in F*

Stainer *I saw the Lord*

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## **SUNDAY 2 JUNE**

## **The First Sunday After Trinity**

**7:30am Said Matins (BCP)**

**8am BCP Communion**

**9am College Communion**

**11am Choral Eucharist**

*Sung by the Cathedral Singers*

*Preacher*

The Revd Canon Peter Moger

*Sub Dean*

Hymns 501, 572, 534 (t. Lyngham)

Psalm 81: 1-10

Ireland *Mass in C*

Elgar *O salutaris hostia No.3*

**6pm Choral Evensong**

*Sung by the Cathedral Singers*

Hymn 557 (t. i)

Psalm 35: 1-10

B Parry Responses

Dyson *in D*

Weir *I love all beauteous things*

# UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE CATHEDRAL

## **Weekly, Tuesdays at 1:15pm - CCMS Lunchtime Recitals**

Each weekly recital features members of the Christ Church Music Society. These recitals are free to attend, and all are welcome.

## **Weekly, Fridays at 1:15pm - Oxford University Music Faculty Lunchtime Recitals**

Each weekly recital features members of the Oxford University Music Faculty. These recitals are free to attend, and all are welcome.

## **Friday 10 May at 7:30pm - A Musical Exploration of Scripture with Deus Ex Musica**

We're excited to invite you to a free concert of musical explorations of scripture on Friday May 10 at 7:30pm. The evening features psalm-inspired compositions for solo voices in an interactive format designed to promote ecumenical conversations about faith. Join us for performances by Harriet Burns, Christopher Mitchell, Dara Collins, Will Anderson, and Ian Tindale and hosted by Deus Ex Musica founder Delvyn Case and The Revd Dr Zachary Guiliano, Priest Vicar and Interim College Chaplain.

## **Thursday 23 May at 8pm - Through Fire and Water**

Élisabeth Jacquet de La Guerre's Cantates Françaises, published at the start of the 18th Century, act as dramatic mini-operas bringing to life key scenes from the Old Testament in intimate, chamber-like settings by turns virtuosic, lyrical, and contemplative.

Contemporary Austrian composer Peter Planyavsky's Die vier Männer im Feuerofen (The Four Men in the Burning Fiery Furnace), for voice and organ, similarly explores one of the most breathtaking sequences in the Book of Daniel: the trial of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego in King Nebuchadnezzar's oven, and their rescue through their steadfast faith.

Tickets are available at [tickettailor.com/events/chchclerks](http://tickettailor.com/events/chchclerks)

## **Friday 31 May at 8pm - A Night at the Opera by Candlelight - London Concertante**

London Concertante presents a sensational evening at the opera with an array of the finest opera arias and overtures, performing works from Puccini, Verdi, Rossini, and Mozart. Enjoy some of the best from Madame Butterfly, Turandot, Tosca, The Barber of Seville, Carmen, Così fan tutte and so much more. Further information and booking at [londonconcertante.com](http://londonconcertante.com)

# NEWS

## Long-term Organ Project Begins With Ground Surveys

We are excited to take the first steps on our long-term project to commission a new quire organ for the Cathedral's east end with initial ground surveys around the chancel. In order to facilitate the work, the Nelson organ we have been renting from charity Pipe Up for Pipe Organs has been removed and sent to its new permanent home in Devonshire. A digital Viscount organ will fill the gap temporarily, while the west end Rieger instrument will continue to be used as normal. We are looking forward to working with the new Organist to move forward in acquiring a fantastic new instrument that will elevate our choral worship and world-class music. Find out more about the work and the future of organs at Christ Church on our website: [www.chch.ox.ac.uk/news](http://www.chch.ox.ac.uk/news)

## Invitation to Participate in the Civic Service

We are delighted to invite you to our Civic Service on 22 October at 6pm, Christ Church's annual celebration of our city community. This year's theme is "Stories of Oxfordshire". If you or your organisation are interested in participating in the service, you can register your address and give us some more details using our online form, available at [forms.gle/gENd7RqAXYhSnsv8](https://forms.gle/gENd7RqAXYhSnsv8). The constraints of time and space mean that not all applicants may be able to share during the service, but we will include as much as possible!

## Summer Embroidery Workshops

Following the success of our Lent embroidery workshops, we are delighted to announce that we'll be offering a course of afternoon classes this summer, this time focused on introducing you to goldwork. You will take the first steps of working in the medium and take on a specifically designed pattern to produce a piece of your own. The sessions will take place in the afternoons of the 22nd and 29th of May and the 12th and 19th of June. The course as a whole will cost £20 (materials not provided). If you'd like to enrol and receive a list of supplies, or just learn more, contact Canon Sally at [sally.welch@chch.ox.ac.uk](mailto:sally.welch@chch.ox.ac.uk).



*For more news and information about upcoming events, you can sign up to our regular newsletter by scanning the QR code, or using the link below*

*[chch.ox.ac.uk/cathedral/about/  
subscribe-cathedral-email-newsletter](http://chch.ox.ac.uk/cathedral/about/subscribe-cathedral-email-newsletter)*

## **CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL CHOIR**

When Henry VIII founded Christ Church in 1546 he made provision for the education of a number of boy choristers and a schoolmaster. From these historic roots has grown the current Christ Church Cathedral School, of about 150 pupils aged three to 13, housed in premises built by Dean Liddell (father of Lewis Carroll's 'Alice.')

The cathedral choristers are dedicated to their daily music-making, & to the transformational experience that singing in one of the world's most famous choirs brings.

The interim Organist, Stephen Darlington, and Christ Church Cathedral School welcome enquiries at any time about being a chorister at Christ Church. Please contact the School Registrar, Mrs Laura Kemp, on 01865 242561 or email [registrar@cccs.org.uk](mailto:registrar@cccs.org.uk) : she will be pleased to arrange a tour of the School and Boarding House or an informal voice trial.

[www.cccs.org.uk](http://www.cccs.org.uk)

[www.chchchoir.org](http://www.chchchoir.org)

## **THE CATHEDRAL SINGERS OF CHRIST CHURCH**

The Cathedral Singers is the Cathedral's adult mixed-voice choir, singing when the other choirs are away or on holiday. Under its own professional director and organist, the choir operates a squad system in order to provide choral music for up to 100 services a year. We welcome new singers, who should be confident readers of music. For more information, please email [hilary.punnett@chch.ox.ac.uk](mailto:hilary.punnett@chch.ox.ac.uk).

[www.cathedralsingers.org.uk](http://www.cathedralsingers.org.uk)

## **FRIDESWIDE VOICES OF CHRIST CHURCH**

Frideswide Voices was the first Anglican choir created specifically for girls of chorister age in Oxford, and was originally formed in October 2014. While they have always had significant links with Christ Church, they became part of the Foundation in September 2019. The girls are drawn from more than 25 different schools across the city and county. They sing Evensong in the Cathedral on most Wednesdays during term-time, as well as singing other services throughout the year.

The Director, Helen Smee, welcomes enquiries about choristerships at any time. Please email [helen.smee@chch.ox.ac.uk](mailto:helen.smee@chch.ox.ac.uk) for further information.

*[chch.ox.ac.uk/frideswidevoices](http://chch.ox.ac.uk/frideswidevoices)*

## **THE COLLEGE CHOIR OF CHRIST CHURCH**

The College Choir is composed of Junior Members of Christ Church and colleagues from across the University. As such, it is the only student-run choir at Oxford to sing in Christ Church Cathedral regularly. In addition to regular services of choral Evensong, Compline, and Eucharist in the Cathedral, the College Choir also goes out each term into the Oxfordshire community to sing in local churches.

The ensemble prides itself on maintaining a high standard of singing in a relaxed, non-auditioned, and friendly atmosphere. If you are an Oxford University student interested to sing with us, please feel free to be in touch at [chchcollegechoir@gmail.com](mailto:chchcollegechoir@gmail.com).

*[www.chch.ox.ac.uk/choirs/college-choir](http://www.chch.ox.ac.uk/choirs/college-choir)*

## OUR COMMUNITY

You are always welcome here at Christ Church Cathedral, however often or rarely you are able to join us. If you would like to stay in touch, please have a word with a member of staff or volunteer as you leave, visit

[chch.ox.ac.uk/cathedral/about/subscribe-cathedral-email-newsletter](http://chch.ox.ac.uk/cathedral/about/subscribe-cathedral-email-newsletter)

or contact the office at

[cathedral@chch.ox.ac.uk](mailto:cathedral@chch.ox.ac.uk) / 01865 286869.

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The Cathedral has a hearing loop. The system is most effective in the centre and away from the pillars.

## SAFEGUARDING

If you have any concerns about the safety of a child or vulnerable adult in or around Christ Church Cathedral, please let us know immediately. Please speak to any member of the clergy or vergers team on duty, or contact Sally Welch (Chapter Safeguarding Officer) [sally.welch@chch.ox.ac.uk](mailto:sally.welch@chch.ox.ac.uk) / 07974 439630, or Matthew Dickins (Cathedral Safeguarding Lead) [matthew.dickins@chch.ox.ac.uk](mailto:matthew.dickins@chch.ox.ac.uk) / 01865 610935

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