Christ Church

Chapel Term Card
Hilary 2022
**Worship in the Chapel**

Christ Church Cathedral has been a place of prayer for hundreds of years and is at the heart of our College. The Cathedral is our College Chapel and you are warmly invited to share in the beautiful worship. Evensong is sung by the world-famous Cathedral Choir most days at 6pm and most Mondays by the College Choir. The regular pattern of Cathedral Worship can be found here: [www.chch.ox.ac.uk/cathedral](http://www.chch.ox.ac.uk/cathedral) The Chaplaincy is an inclusive community that welcomes all.

The Chaplain, Clare, is on sabbatical this term and I will be covering her Chapel duties. If you want to meet to discuss faith or any other matter, then do get in touch with me. If you have a welfare concern, Sam Lane is Interim Welfare Co-ordinator this term, and available to speak to anyone.

*Jane Chaffey*

**College Communion**

**Sundays at 9am in the Lady Chapel**

Our weekly service is simple, friendly and informal with music, a short sermon and Holy Communion. After every service we have breakfast together (free) in the McKenna Room. All are warmly welcome.

**Services this term:**

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**About this term’s Preachers:**

*John Smallman* is an Ordinand at Cuddesdon, and works for the OUP; *Sarah Mortimer* is Associate Professor of History at Christ Church; *Robert Grimley* is a former dean of Bristol Cathedral and Honorary Chaplain of Christ Church; *Rob Wainwright* is College Chaplain at Oriel; *Joshua Hordern* is Associate Professor of Christian Ethics and fellow of Harris Manchester College; *Michael Walker* is an Alumnus of Christ Church.
Services and Events

Welcome Evensong  Sunday 16th January (1st Week) at 6pm
Cathedral Evensong sung by the Cathedral Choir, followed by drinks.

Night Prayer in the Cathedral
Taizé Prayer  Wednesday 26th January (2nd Week) and 9th March (8th Week) at 9pm
Compline  Wednesday 16th February (5th Week) at 9pm

Compline is a traditional sung service and Taizé is a service of simple chants, readings and silence. Both are candlelit, lasting 30mins, and are followed by port/hot chocolate.

House Communion  Thursday 10th February (4th Week) at 6pm
Preacher: Rev’d Dr Michael Lloyd

House Communion is an opportunity for all members of the Christ Church community (staff, junior and senior members, canons) to come together in worship and enjoy a wonderful meal in Hall. The preacher is Rev’d Dr Michael Lloyd, principal of Wycliffe Hall He has published the popular introduction “Café Theology” and has a particular interest in the doctrine of evil, the problem of pain - and an inexplicable love of cricket.

Invitations will be sent by email after term begins.

Sacred
Rev’d Philippa White  Sunday 30th January (3rd Week) at 8pm
Jay Hulme  Sunday 27th February (7th Week) at 8pm

A ‘safe, inclusive, evangelical’ service particularly for LGBTQ+ people and allies. Note: all Chapel/Cathedral services are inclusive, but this offers an evangelical style of worship and music. Philippa is the Cathedral Precentor and a member of the organisational team for Sacred, Jay is a trans poet, author of Backwater Sermons and the current Poet-in-Residence at St Giles-in-the-fields in Central London.
Services and Events Cont.

Oxford Intercollegiate Christian Union Mission (3rd week)
The theme of the Mission Week is “Who Do You Say I Am?” with Andy Croft and Kristi Mair speaking. For more details contact the CU rep, Clara Wright.

Intercollegiate Service with University Sermon
Sunday 6th February (4th Week) at 5.30pm
A sung service held at the University Church with choirs from around the Oxford colleges. Baroness Hunt of Bethnal Green (an alumna of St Hilda’s and former President of the Oxford University Student Union) will be the preacher.

Roman Catholic Mass Tuesday 22nd February (6th Week) at 7.30pm
A service led by the Catholic Chaplaincy, followed by drinks.

Pancake Races Tuesday 1st March (7th Week) at 1pm
The Annual Shrove Tuesday Charity Pancake Race around Tom Quad. An event not to be missed!

Ash Wednesday Wednesday 2nd March (7th Week) at 6pm
A joint service held at Corpus Christi. Sung by the ChCh College Choir and the Corpus Christi Choir. Following the service there is an informal supper at Corpus Christi, by arrangement.

Confirmation and Baptism
If you are interested in being Baptised or Confirmed (or just want to know more about what that involves) please get in touch with Jane.

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