



CHORAL SERVICES

ST JOHN'S COLLEGE CHAPEL

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INTRODUCTION

This booklet contains information about our choral services this term. We are a Church of England foundation, and you are most welcome to join us, whatever your beliefs. Our beautiful Gilbert Scott Chapel, built in the 1860s, is a distinctive feature of the Cambridge skyline and home to the College's celebrated choral tradition that dates from the 1670s.

Evensong is at 6.30pm unless otherwise shown. It follows the order of the 1662 Book of Common Prayer and usually lasts 40 minutes, except on Sundays when it lasts just under an hour and includes a sermon. The Sunday morning Eucharist is in contemporary language and lasts around 75 minutes.

SUNDAY EVENSONG SERMON SERIES

At Sunday Evensongs during term time there is a themed series of sermons by guest speakers representing a range of disciplines and perspectives. Distinguished preachers are drawn from different parts of the national Church, and from the forefront of religious, theological, and philosophical research. These sermons, as well as those at the weekly Sunday morning Eucharist, and at other special services, are recorded and shared via the Chapel Services & Events page of the College website.

CHARITIES

After every service you will be able to give to one of our designated charities, either in cash or by using the contactless payment units in the Ante-Chapel.

ATTENDING SERVICES

There is no need to reserve a place in advance. You may enter College through either the Great Gate or the Forecourt. Access to the main Chapel is fifteen minutes before the start of each service.

Members of College may wear surplices on Sundays and on other holy days, as marked below by the letter **S** against the date. A supply of these is kept in the Ante-Chapel.

Further information, including webcasts of some services, may be found at www.joh.cam.ac.uk and www.sjchoir.co.uk.

SUNDAY EVENSONG SERMON SERIES

WHAT IS TRUTH?

In a world struggling to see clearly through conspiracy and fake news, seeking truth is more urgent than ever. In this sermon series, we will use the question posed to Jesus by Pontius Pilate to explore what truth really is, how we might find it, and what it means for how we live.

1 February

Preacher

The Chaplain

8 February

Preacher

The Very Rev'd Joe Hawes

15 February

Preacher

The Rev'd Natasha Beckles

22 February

Preacher

The Dean

1 March

Preacher

The Rev'd Canon Tom Buchanan

8 March

Preacher

Professor Alexander Bird

15 March

Preacher

The Rev'd Andrew Hurst

Recordings of these sermons will be available at
www.joh.cam.ac.uk/chapel-and-choir/the-chapel/sermons-and-speakers .

20 TUESDAY

6.30 **Evensong**

Responses	<i>Gabriel Jackson</i>
Psalm	138
Readings	1 Kings 19. 1–9a; Mark 1. 9–15
Canticles	Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis <i>Errollyn Wallen</i>
Anthem	A babe is born <i>William Mathias</i>
Hymn	58 (tune 76)

21 WEDNESDAY

6.30 **Evensong** sung by the Lower Voices

Responses	<i>Christopher Gray</i>
Psalm	106. 1–12
Readings	1 Kings 19. 9b–18; Mark 9. 2–13
Canticles	The Second Service <i>Philip Moore</i>
Anthem	Vidimus stellam <i>William Byrd</i>
Hymn	353

22 THURSDAY

6.30 **Evensong**

Responses	<i>Gabriel Jackson</i>
Psalm	136
Readings	Leviticus 11. 1–8, 13–19, 41–45; Acts 10. 9–16
Canticles	Service in G minor <i>Henry Purcell</i>
Anthem	O leave your sheep <i>French traditional,</i> <i>arranged Kenneth Leighton</i>
Hymn	57

23 FRIDAY

6.30 **Evensong**

Introit	O grosse Lieb <i>J S Bach</i>
Responses	<i>Gabriel Jackson</i>
Psalm	137. 1–6
Readings	Isaiah 49. 8–13; Acts 10. 34–43
Canticles	Fauxbourdons <i>William Byrd</i>
Anthem	Mary's Lullaby <i>Fredrik Sixten</i>
Hymn	425

24 SATURDAY

6.00 **Epiphany Carol Service** I

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A candlelit service of readings and music for the season.
 Music by Cornelius, Hassler, Howells, Kirbye, Leighton, Mathias, Mendelssohn, Sixten, and Wallen.

Admission to this service is by ticket only. To request free tickets please contact the Chapel Clerk at chapel@joh.cam.ac.uk.

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25 SUNDAY

The Third Sunday of Epiphany

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NB There is no 10.30 service this morning.

6.00 Epiphany Carol Service II

A candlelit service of readings and music for the season.

Music by Cornelius, Hassler, Howells, Kirbye, Leighton, Mathias, Mendelssohn, Sixten, and Wallen.

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26 MONDAY

6.30 Evening Prayer (spoken)

27 TUESDAY

6.30 Evensong

Responses	<i>Gabriel Jackson</i>
Psalm	127
Readings	Ezekiel 20. 39–44; John 17. 20–26
Canticles	Service in F <i>George Dyson</i>
Anthem	Videntes stellam <i>Francis Poulenc</i>
Hymn	410

28 WEDNESDAY

3.00 Evensong

Introit	Bethlehem Down <i>Peter Warlock, arranged David Hill</i>
Responses	<i>Gabriel Jackson</i>
Psalm	136, 137, 138
Readings	Nehemiah 2. 1–10; Romans 12. 1–8
Canticles	Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis <i>Errollyn Wallen</i> from 'Christus' <i>Felix Mendelssohn</i>
Anthem	When Jesus our Lord Say, where is he born There shall a star
Hymn	52
Voluntary	Allegro giocoso (Organ Sonata in E-flat major) <i>Edward Bairstow</i>

This service will be broadcast live on BBC Radio 3.

The congregation is asked to be seated by 2.45.

29 THURSDAY

6.30 **Evensong** sung by the Lower Voices

Responses	<i>Andrew Millington</i>
Psalm	142
Readings	Deuteronomy 26. 16–19; Romans 14. 1– 9
Canticles	The Short Service <i>Orlando Gibbons</i>
Anthem	Ríu, ríu, chíu <i>Mateo Flecha</i>
Hymn	340

30 FRIDAY

6.30 **Evensong**

Introit	Dein Will gescheh, Herr Gott, zugleich <i>J S Bach</i>
Responses	<i>Richard Shephard</i>
Psalm	118. 1–16
Readings	Leviticus 19. 9–28; Romans 15. 1–7
Canticles	The Short Service <i>William Byrd</i>
Anthem	O magnum mysterium <i>Francis Poulenc</i>
Hymn	452

31 SATURDAY

6.30 **Evensong**

Responses	<i>Richard Shephard</i>
Psalm	149
Readings	Jeremiah 33. 1–11; 1 Peter 5. 5b–14
Canticles	Service in C <i>Bryan Kelly</i>
Anthems	Quem vidistis pastores <i>Francis Poulenc</i>
Hymn	Hodie Christus natus est <i>Francis Poulenc</i>
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1 SUNDAY

10.30 Sung Eucharist

The Fourth Sunday of Epiphany

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Introit	Ubi caritas <i>Maurice Duruflé</i>
Setting	Missa Ego flos campi <i>Juan Gutiérrez de Padilla</i>
Readings	1 Corinthians 1. 18–31; John 2. 1–11
Preacher	The Dean
Credo	I
Hymns	56, 272
Voluntary	Prelude in B minor (BWV 544i) <i>J S Bach</i>

6.30 Evensong

Responses	<i>Richard Shephard</i>
Hymns	358 (ii), 253
Psalm	118. 1–16
Readings	1 Samuel 1. 19b–28; Hebrews 4. 11–16
Canticles	The Second Service <i>William Byrd</i>
Anthem	Videte miraculum <i>Thomas Tallis</i>
Preacher	The Chaplain
Voluntary	Ave maris stella (Vêpres du commun des fêtes de la Sainte Vierge) <i>Marcel Dupré</i>

2 MONDAY

The Presentation of Christ in the Temple

6.30 La Nativité du Seigneur by Olivier Messiaen

This monumental organ work is made up of nine movements meditating on the birth of Christ. The duration is approximately 65 minutes.

It will be played by Herbert Howells Organ Scholar Tingshuo Yang, with readings and prayers interspersed.

3 TUESDAY

6.30 Evensong sung by the Choristers

Responses	<i>William Smith</i>
Psalm	32
Readings	Proverbs 4. 10–27; Matthew 5. 13–20
Canticles	Service in C <i>Wayne Marshall</i>
Anthem	Agnus Dei ('Coronation' Mass) <i>Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart</i>
Hymn	246 (ii)

4 WEDNESDAY

6.30	Evensong	sung by the Lower Voices
Responses		<i>Thomas Tallis</i>
Psalm	23	
Readings		<i>Isaiah 61. 1–9; Luke 7. 18–30</i>
Magnificat		<i>Primi toni</i> <i>Francesco Soriano</i>
Nunc Dimittis		<i>Primi toni</i>
Anthem		<i>Ego flos campi</i> <i>Clemens non Papa</i>
Hymn	362	(tune 185)

5 THURSDAY

6.30	Evensong	
Responses		<i>Humphrey Clucas</i>
Psalm	148	
Readings		<i>Isaiah 52. 1–12; Matthew 10. 1–15</i>
Canticles		<i>Service in E</i> <i>Herbert Murrill</i>
Anthem		<i>Gloria in excelsis Deo</i> <i>Thomas Weelkes</i>
Hymn	476	

6 FRIDAY

6.30	Evensong	
Introit		<i>Wer hat dich so geschlagen</i> / <i>S Bach</i>
Responses		<i>Humphrey Clucas</i>
Psalm	32	
Readings		<i>Isaiah 56. 1–8; Matthew 28. 16–20</i>
Canticles		<i>The Short Service</i> <i>Robin Orr</i>
Anthem		<i>Geistliches Lied</i> <i>Johannes Brahms</i>
Hymn	430	

7 SATURDAY

6.30	Evensong	
Responses		<i>Humphrey Clucas</i>
Psalm	37. 1–11	
Readings		<i>Habakkuk 2. 1–4; Revelation 14. 1–7</i>
Canticles		<i>Service in E flat</i> <i>Charles Wood</i>
Anthem		<i>Cantique de Jean Racine</i> <i>Gabriel Fauré</i>
Hymn	343	

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8 SUNDAY

10.30 Sung Eucharist

The Second Sunday before Lent

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Introit	Gloria in excelsis Deo <i>Thomas Weelkes</i>
Setting	Cantus Missae <i>Josef Rheinberger</i>
Readings	Romans 8. 18–25; Matthew 6. 25–34
Preacher	The Chaplain
Credo	II
Hymns	271, 265
Voluntary	Sicilienne (Suite) <i>Maurice Duruflé</i>

6.30 Evensong

Responses	<i>Humphrey Clucas</i>
Hymns	433, 466
Psalm	148
Readings	Proverbs 8. 1, 22–31; Revelation 4
Canticles	The Short Service <i>Robin Orr</i>
Anthem	A Sequence for St Michael <i>Herbert Howells</i>
Preacher	The Very Rev'd Joe Hawes, <i>Dean, St Edmundsbury Cathedral</i>
Voluntary	Allegro giocoso (Organ Sonata in E-flat major) <i>Edward Bairstow</i>

9 MONDAY

5.00 Evensong sung by St Peter's School Chapel Choir, York

Responses	<i>John Reading</i>
Psalm	30
Readings	Isaiah 61. 1–9; Mark 6. 1–13
Canticles	Service in B minor <i>Thomas Tertius Noble</i>
Anthem	Justorum animae <i>Charles Villiers Stanford</i>
Hymn	368

10 TUESDAY

6.30 Evensong

Responses	<i>Bernard Rose</i>
Psalm	53
Readings	Isaiah 52. 1–10; Romans 10. 5–21
Canticles	Service in A <i>Charles Villiers Stanford</i>
Anthem	O, for the wings of a dove <i>Felix Mendelssohn</i>
Hymn	392

11 WEDNESDAY

6.30	Evensong sung by the Lower Voices	
Responses	<i>Andrew Millington</i>	
Psalm	61	
Readings	Isaiah 52. 13– 53. 6; Romans 15. 14–21	
Canticles	Collegium Regale <i>Adrian Crift</i>	
Anthem	Praise our Lord, all ye gentiles <i>William Byrd</i>	
Hymn	486	

12 THURSDAY

6.30	Evensong	
Responses	<i>William Smith</i>	
Psalm	50. 1–15	
Readings	Isaiah 53. 4–12; 2 Corinthians 4. 1–10	
Canticles	The Second Service <i>Orlando Gibbons</i>	
Anthem	Rejoice in the Lamb <i>Benjamin Britten</i>	
Hymn	439	

13 FRIDAY

6.30	Evensong	
Introit	Ach grosser König, gross zu allen Zeiten / <i>S Bach</i>	
Responses	<i>Bernard Rose</i>	
Psalm	70	
Readings	Zechariah 8. 16–23; Matthew 10. 1–15	
Canticles	The Sixth Service <i>Thomas Weelkes</i>	
Anthem	Hosanna to the son of David <i>Orlando Gibbons</i>	
Hymn	441	

8.00 **Psalter: Themes for Peace**

A Jazz Suite by Tim Boniface.

A journey through joy, rest, protest and hope.

Tickets available at: <https://bit.ly/SJC-TfP>

14 SATURDAY

6.30	Evensong sung by the Lower Voices	S
Responses	<i>Andrew Millington</i>	
Psalm	46	
Readings	Jeremiah 1. 4–10; Matthew 10. 16–22	
Canticles	The Second Service <i>Philip Moore</i>	
Anthem	Ubi caritas <i>Ola Gjeilo</i>	
Hymn	408 (ii)	

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15 SUNDAY

The Sunday Next before Lent

10.30 Sung Eucharist with the Lower Voices of the College Choir and sopranos from other Cambridge colleges

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Introit	Prevent us, O Lord	William Byrd
Setting	Missa Brevis	Zoltán Kodály
Readings	2 Peter 1. 16–25; Matthew 17. 1–9	
Preacher	The Dean	
Credo	III	
Hymns	296, 366	
Voluntary	Toccata (Suite)	Maurice Duruflé

6.30 Evensong sung by the Lower Voices

Responses	Andrew Millington
Hymns	401, 234 (ii)
Psalm	84
Readings	2 Kings 2. 1–12; Matthew 17. 9–23
Canticles	Collegium Regale Adrian Crift
Anthem	Ego flos campi Clemens non Papa
Preacher	The Rev'd Natasha Beckles, Rector, St Nicholas, Perivale, London
Voluntary	Prelude in G minor Johannes Brahms

16 MONDAY

6.30 Evening Prayer (spoken)

17 TUESDAY

6.30 Evening Prayer (spoken)

18 WEDNESDAY

Ash Wednesday

8.15 Holy Communion for Ash Wednesday

6.30 Eucharist for Ash Wednesday sung by the Lower Voices

Introit	O Lord, my God	William Byrd
Setting	Missa Aeterna Christi munera	
Readings	Isaiah 58. 1–12; Matthew 6. 1–6, 16–21	Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina
Hymns	60 (tune 181 ii), 75	

19 THURSDAY

6.30	Evensong sung by the Choral Graduates	
Responses	<i>Thomas Tallis</i>	
Psalm	101	
Readings	Genesis 2. 7–25; Hebrews 2. 5–18	
Magnificat	Primi toni <i>Francesco Soriano</i>	
Nunc Dimittis	Primi toni	
Anthem	O Lord, in thy wrath <i>Orlando Gibbons</i>	
Hymn	71	

20 FRIDAY

6.30	Evensong	
Introit	Durch dein Gefängnis, Gottes Sohn <i>J S Bach</i>	
Responses	<i>Philip Radcliffe</i>	
Psalm	33	
Readings	Genesis 4. 1–12; Hebrews 4. 12–16	
Canticles	The Fourth Service <i>Adrian Batten</i>	
Anthem	Civitas sancti tui <i>William Byrd</i>	
Hymn	245	

21 SATURDAY

6.30	Evensong	
Responses	<i>Philip Radcliffe</i>	
Psalm	40	
Readings	2 Kings 22. 11–21; Hebrews 5. 1–10	
Canticles	Collegium Regale <i>Herbert Howells</i>	
Anthem	My shepherd is the living Lord <i>Thomas Tomkins</i>	
Hymn	63	

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22 SUNDAY

The First Sunday of Lent

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10.30 Sung Eucharist

Introit	In meines Herzens Grunde / <i>S Bach</i>
Setting	Mass for Four Voices <i>William Byrd</i>
Readings	Romans 5. 12-19; Matthew 4. 1-11
Preacher	The Chaplain
Credo	IV
Hymns	67, 74
Voluntary	Fugue (Chromatic Fantasia and Fugue, BWV 903ii) <i>J S Bach (arranged Max Reger)</i>

6.30 Evensong

Responses	<i>Philip Radcliffe</i>
Hymns	457 (ii), 364 (tune 408 i)
Psalm	50. 1-15
Readings	Deuteronomy 6. 4-9, 16-25; Luke 15. 1-10
Canticles	The Fourth Service <i>Adrian Batten</i>
Anthem	Ne irascaris, Domine <i>William Byrd</i>
Preacher	The Dean
Voluntary	Passacaglia (Prelude, Scherzo, and Passacaglia) <i>Kenneth Leighton</i>

23 MONDAY

6.30 Evening Prayer (spoken)

24 TUESDAY

6.30 Evensong

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Responses	<i>Gabriel Jackson</i>
Psalm	135. 1-14
Readings	Deuteronomy 31. 7-13; 1 John 3. 1-10
Canticles	Service in G <i>Francis Jackson</i>
Anthem	A Hymne to Christ <i>Imogen Holst</i>
Hymn	239

25 WEDNESDAY

6.30 Evensong sung by the Lower Voices

Responses	Thomas Tallis
Psalm	119. 41-48
Readings	Genesis 11. 1-9; Matthew 24. 15-28
Magnificat	Septi toni <i>Anonymous, 17th century Spanish</i>
Nunc Dimittis	Septi toni
Anthem	Miserere mei, Deus <i>William Byrd</i>
Hymn	472 (ii)

26 THURSDAY

6.30 **Evensong**

Introit	Ernahm alles wohl in acht / <i>S Bach</i>
Responses	<i>Gabriel Jackson</i>
Psalm	33
Readings	Genesis 13. 1–13; 1 Peter 2. 13–25
Canticles	The Short Service <i>Thomas Tallis</i>
Anthem	Upon your heart <i>Eleanor Daley</i>
Hymn	458

27 FRIDAY

6.30 **Evensong**

Introit	Ach Herr, lass dein lieb Engelein / <i>S Bach</i>
Responses	<i>Philip Radcliffe</i>
Psalm	121
Readings	Genesis 21. 1–8; Luke 9. 18–27
Canticles	Service in E minor <i>Pelham Humfrey</i>
Anthem	Ruht wohl (Johannespassion, BWV 245) / <i>S Bach</i>
Hymn	249

28 SATURDAY

6.30 **Evensong**

Responses	<i>Philip Radcliffe</i>	S
Psalm	132	
Readings	Genesis 32. 22–32; 2 Peter 1. 10–21	
Canticles	Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis <i>Ruth Gipps</i>	
Anthem	Love bade me welcome (Five Mystical Songs) <i>Ralph Vaughan Williams</i>	
Hymn	379	

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1 SUNDAY

10.30 Sung Eucharist

The Second Sunday of Lent

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Introit	Upon your heart <i>Eleanor Daley</i>
Setting	Missa Papae Marcelli <i>Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina</i>
Readings	Romans 4. 1–5, 13–17; John 3. 1–17
Preacher	The Dean
Credo	VI
Hymns	273, 425
Voluntary	Praeludium in E minor <i>Nicolaus Bruhns</i>

6.30 Evensong

Responses	<i>Richard Ayleward</i>
Hymns	467, 76
Psalm	135. 1–14
Readings	Numbers 21. 4–9; Luke 14. 27–33
Canticles	Service in B minor <i>Hugh Blair</i>
Anthem	Wash me throughly <i>Samuel Sebastian Wesley</i>
Preacher	The Rev'd Canon Tom Buchanan, <i>Associate Vicar, St Mark's Newnham and St Andrew's Grantchester</i>
Voluntary	Fugue in B minor (BWV 544ii) <i>J S Bach</i>

2 MONDAY

6.30 Evening Prayer (spoken)

3 TUESDAY

6.30 Evensong

Responses	<i>Sasha Johnson Manning</i>
Psalm	34
Readings	Zechariah 3; 2 Peter 2. 1–10a
Canticles	The Second Service <i>Orlando Gibbons</i>
Anthem	O Lord, support us <i>Henrietta Moran</i>
Hymn	247

4 WEDNESDAY

6.30 Evensong sung by the Lower Voices

Responses	<i>Christopher Gray</i>
Psalm	20
Readings	Job 1. 1–22; Luke 21. 34–22. 6
Canticles	The Worcester Service <i>Piers Connor Kennedy</i>
Anthem	Look down, O Lord <i>Jonathan Seers</i>
Hymn	242

5 THURSDAY

6.30 Evening Prayer (spoken)

6 FRIDAY6.30 **Evensong**

Introit	O hilf, Christe, Gottes Sohn / <i>S Bach</i>
Responses	<i>Richard Ayleward</i>
Psalms	32, 33, 34
Readings	Exodus 19. 1–9a; 1 Peter 1. 1–9
Canticles	The Short Service <i>William Byrd</i>
Anthem	O Lord, rebuke me not <i>Henry Purcell</i>
Hymn	248 (tune 320 i)

7 SATURDAY6.30 **Johannespassion (BWV 245) J S Bach**

A concert performance by the College Choir with St John's Sinfonia

Soloists	Katherine Gregory
	Tom Lilburn
	Joseph Hancock
	Alex Semple
	Tom Butler
Evangelist	Bradley Smith
Leader	Margaret Faultless
Conductor	Christopher Gray

Tickets The College community can find pre-sale details on 4th Court.

Tickets for members of the public will go on sale on 1 February. They are priced between £10 and £30 and may be purchased at sjchoir.co.uk/events

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8 SUNDAY

The Third Sunday of Lent

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10.30	Sung Eucharist	sung by the Choral Graduates
	Introit	<i>Sicut cervus</i> <i>Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina</i>
	Setting	‘Mean’ Mass <i>John Taverner</i>
	Readings	Romans 5. 1–11; John 4. 5–42
	Preacher	The Chaplain
	Credo	V
	Hymns	294, 376
	Voluntary	Sonata de primo tono para clave o para órgano con trompeta real <i>José Lidón</i>

6.30 **Evensong**

Responses	<i>Richard Ayleward</i>
Hymns	339, 368
Psalm	40. 1–13
Readings	Joshua 1. 1–9; Ephesians 6. 10–20
Canticles	Collegium Regale <i>Herbert Howells</i>
Anthem	Geistliches Lied <i>Johannes Brahms</i>
Preacher	Professor Alexander Bird, <i>Bertrand Russell Professor of Philosophy at Cambridge University and a Fellow of St John’s College</i>
Voluntary	Fugue (Sonata on the 94th Psalm) <i>Julius Reubke</i>

9 MONDAY

6.30 Evening Prayer (spoken)

10 TUESDAY

6.30 **Evensong**

Responses	<i>Richard Shephard</i>
Psalm	52
Readings	Exodus 15. 22–27; Hebrews 10. 32–39
Canticles	The Fifth Service <i>Thomas Tomkins</i>
Anthem	Ave verum corpus <i>William Byrd</i>
Hymn	386 (tune 385)

11 WEDNESDAY

6.30	Evensong sung by the Lower Voices	
Responses	Plainsong	
Psalm	56	
Readings	Genesis 9. 8–17; 1 Peter 3. 18–22	
Canticles	Fauxbourdons <i>Thomas Morley</i>	
Anthem	Hear the voice and prayer <i>Thomas Tallis</i>	
Hymn	383	

12 THURSDAY

6.30	Evensong	
Responses	<i>William Smith</i>	
Psalm	62	
Readings	Daniel 12. 5–13; Mark 13. 21–37	
Canticles	Service in E minor <i>Daniel Purcell</i>	
Anthem	Hosanna to the son of David <i>Orlando Gibbons</i>	
Hymn	499	

13 FRIDAY

6.30	Evensong	
Responses	<i>William Smith</i>	
Psalm	31. 1–9	
Readings	Numbers 20. 1–13; 1 Corinthians 10. 23–33	
Canticles	The Short Service <i>Thomas Tallis</i>	
Anthem	Cast me not away <i>Samuel Sebastian Wesley</i>	
Hymn	388	

14 SATURDAY**6.00 A Meditation on the Passion of Christ**

A Service of readings and music for Lent and Passiontide.
Music by Humfrey, Gibbons, Rutter, and Wesley.

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Admission to this service is free, and tickets are not required.

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15 SUNDAY

The Fourth Sunday of Lent

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10.30	Sung Eucharist	sung by the Lower Voices
	Introit	Lent Prose
	Setting	Missa in simplicitate <i>jean Langlais</i>
	Readings	Ephesians 5. 8–14; John 9
	Preacher	The Dean
	Credo	VII
	Hymns	280, 84
	Voluntary	Vers l'espérance (Poèmes) <i>Thierry Escaich</i>

6.30 Evensong

	Responses	Gabriel Jackson
	Hymns	500, 398 (tune 395)
	Psalm	31. 1–9
	Readings	Micah 7; James 5
	Canticles	Service in G <i>Francis Jackson</i>
	Anthem	Christus factus est <i>Anton Bruckner</i>
	Preacher	The Rev'd Andrew Hurst <i>Assistant Priest, St Mark's Newnham and St Andrew's Grantchester</i>
	Voluntary	Quadragesima <i>Claude Lenners</i>

16 MONDAY

6.30 Evening Prayer (spoken)

17 TUESDAY

6.30 Children's Evensong

A service led by the Choristers of St John's College, with children from local primary schools; part of our education and outreach programme.

18 WEDNESDAY

6.30	Evensong	sung by the Lower Voices	S
Responses	Plainsong		
Psalm	91		
Readings	Hosea 11. 1–9; Luke 2. 41–52		
Canticles	Fauxbourdons <i>Thomas Morley</i>		
Anthem	Lamentations of Jeremiah (Part I) <i>Thomas Tallis</i>		
Hymn	490		

19 THURSDAY

St Joseph of Nazareth

6.30	Evensong		S
Responses	<i>Philip Radcliffe</i>		
Psalm	97		
Readings	Genesis 50. 22–26; Matthew 2. 13–23		
Canticles	Service in E minor <i>Daniel Purcell</i>		
Anthem	Deus, Deus meus <i>Roxanna Panufnik</i>		
Hymn	160 (tune 190 ii)		

20 FRIDAY

6.30	Evensong		
Responses	<i>Philip Radcliffe</i>		
Psalm	34		
Readings	Jeremiah 17. 1–14; Luke 6. 17–26		
Canticles	Service in B minor <i>Hugh Blair</i>		
Anthem	A Sequence for St Michael <i>Herbert Howells</i>		
Hymn	341		

The first Evensong next term is at 6.30 on Tuesday 28 April

APPLYING TO JOIN ST JOHN'S COLLEGE CHOIR

The Director of Music is always pleased to speak with prospective new Choir members and their families.

Recruitment takes place annually for boy and girl Choristers, Choral Scholars, Choral Graduates, and Organ Scholars.

More information is available on the Choir website at www.sjcchoir.org.uk.

To arrange an appointment, or for further details, please contact Isabelle Freeman (choir@joh.cam.ac.uk or 01223 768176).

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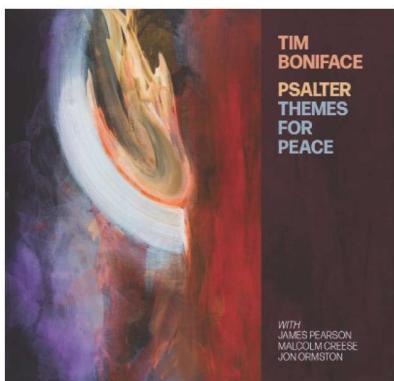
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SUNDAY 18 JANUARY – SUNDAY 1 FEBRUARY



Cambridge City Foodbank has had a presence in Cambridge for over ten years. It was founded by local churches, and is part of the Trussell Trust's network of foodbanks across the UK. It provides emergency food provisions to help people in crisis.

MONDAY 2 FEBRUARY – SUNDAY 15 FEBRUARY



Cambridge Cyrenians are providing accommodation for 104 homeless men and women in Cambridge, making up a third of all supported housing in the city. They believe in homes not hostels and the majority of their accommodation is in 3–5 bed houses. As well as providing housing they also provide specialised support and services.

MONDAY 16 FEBRUARY – SUNDAY 1 MARCH



GALOP is the UK's LGBT+ anti-abuse charity. They work with and for LGBT+ victims and survivors of interpersonal abuse and violence. They specialise in supporting victims and survivors of domestic abuse, sexual violence, hate crime, and other forms of abuse including honour-based abuse, forced marriage, and so-called conversion therapies.

MONDAY 2 MARCH – FRIDAY 20 MARCH



Lyn's House Cambridge is a transformational community based in Cambridge. It was founded in 2013 not as a care provider, but as a community of life-enhancing friendship amongst people with, and people without, intellectual disabilities.

