

## Congregational Forum Sunday 14 April, Claggett Auditorium during post Eucharist coffee

Please submit any questions or comments to the Dean's EA Andrea Tadiwala by email or letter (andrea.tadiwala@canterbury-cathedral.org) by Easter Sunday so that responses can be considered in advance of our gathering.

The Dean is especially interested in identifying people and issues which can go to help grow and develop our Christian community here. If people have worries, then it is lovely to not only know about them but also to hear how they could be addressed as we build a community in which we all take our responsibility as best we can for shaping the identity and life of this place. How can we make this place sing with love and joy and mercy as much for others as for ourselves?

## Friendly Singing for Wellbeing

Turn up for a cuppa and a biscuit followed by some sociable singing to put a smile on your face, led by Jamie Rogers, Assistant Director of Music, and our Choral Scholars. ALL welcome – rusty singers included! Free to attend but donations welcomed.

St Paul's Church Hall, Canterbury, CT1 1NH

Supported by The Friends of Canterbury Cathedral (Charity No 256575). For more

information email friends@canterbury-cathedral.org or phone 01227 865292

Please join us between 14.00-15.00 on: Monday 11 March 2024

## International Women's Day - 8th March

Did you know that Friday 8 March is International Women's Day?

internationalwomensday.com

This year's theme is #InspiringInclusion, and we are going to shine a light on some of the many inspiring women from the staff and volunteer teams at the heart of Cathedral life! Look out on our social media for more.

## 'Women at Canterbury Cathedral' Tour \*SPECIAL THEMED TOUR\*

Experience this special themed tour in honour of International Women's Day: Friday 8 March. Canterbury's story is not just shaped by monks and monarchs - uncover the lives of the queens, noblewomen and more humble artists and makers who have all helped shape Canterbury Cathedral on this fascinating tour.

International Women's Day: Friday 8 March, 14:15-15:30

£5 per person, plus admission charge. Book at our Visitor Centre, or reserve your space by emailing visits@canterbury-cathedral.org

If you would like to make a donation to the Cathedral, please use the following link:

<https://www.canterbury-cathedral.org/get-involved/donate/online-form/>

Please send submissions for the Pew Sheet to:

[tobin.wallace-sims@canterbury-cathedral.org](mailto:tobin.wallace-sims@canterbury-cathedral.org) by Wednesday please



THE CATHEDRAL AND METROPOLITAN CHURCH OF CHRIST, CANTERBURY

Welcome to our services for the week beginning Sunday 3rd March 2024

Third Sunday of Lent

Canon in Residence: The Reverend Dr Tim Naish

You are more than welcome to join us at any of the following daily services

### Weekend Services (Sat & Sun)

8.00	Holy Communion
9.15	Matins
11.00	Choral Eucharist (Sunday)
15.00	Huguenot Service (in French, Sunday only)
17.30	Choral Evensong

### Weekday Services (Mon—Fri)

7.30	Matins (9.15 Bank Holidays)
8.00	Holy Communion
11.00	Bell Ceremony
12.30	Holy Communion (Wednesdays and Feast Days)
17.30	Choral Evensong

Today 5.30pm This evening we continue with our short homilies at Evensong. Today we will hear from Richard Llewellyn, former Bishop of Dover, Bishop at Lambeth, resident of the Precincts and regular member of the congregation.

## Julian Prayer

There will be Julian Prayer at 6.30pm on Thursday 7th March.

## Easter Lilies

If you would like to dedicate an Easter lily in memory of someone who has died, please pick up a leaflet in the Cathedral or in Cathedral House and return the completed form before Palm Sunday on 24th March.

## Taizé Prayer Services Mondays in Lent 12.30pm

This act of worship inspired by the ecumenical Taizé Community is made up of the singing of simple repetitive chants, short readings of scripture and silence and is part of our Pilgrimage of Prayer with the support of our Choral Scholars. All are welcome to come and experience this way of praying. The service will take place in the Eastern Crypt and last approximately half an hour.

## Archdeacon in the Province of Canterbury

This weekend Archdeacon Will and Owen the Vesturer are away for the enthronements of the Bishops of Birmingham (Saturday) and Peterborough (Sunday). The Archdeacon of Canterbury has the ancient duty and privilege of installing every diocesan bishop in the Province of Canterbury. Please pray for these new bishops, Michael and Debbie, as they take up their duties in their dioceses.

# A Pilgrimage of Prayer: our Lenten theme

## Growing in Prayer, Thursdays 18:30-19:30 in the Community Studio

A five-session course on teaching and practicing prayer led by our Cathedral clergy, and supported by weekly Sunday sermons.

**7 March**, Talk 4: "Prayer with scripture and poetry" with Canon Tim

**14 March**, Talk 5: "Public and Private Prayer" with Archdeacon Will

Free to attend, but pre-booking required.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/cc/growing-in-prayer-talk-series-3019969>

## World Day of Prayer

The Canterbury World Day of Prayer Service will be held at **St George's Place Baptist Church** on **Friday 1st March at 11:00**. This service was written by the Christian Women of Palestine a couple of years ago. It would be wonderful if members of the Cathedral congregation were able to support this day of prayer which will be celebrated all around the world. You are all most welcome.

## The joy of a toilet

In Lent as well as fasting we are also encouraged to give attention to doing good and in this case 'Twinning Our Toilets'. We will twin up one of our public or staff toilets with another toilet somewhere in the world where sanitation is not a given. This scheme builds new toilets in the two-thirds world and educates people around health and sanitation. There are 95 toilets in workplace or public spaces within the Cathedral Precincts. Each twinned toilet will get a certificate with a photo of the twin so that every time we 'go' we keep aware of what we have. Each toilet costs £60 and I'll start it off by pledging to twin a toilet. Maybe you could have a little fundraiser or club together to raise the £60. Or if you are feeling flush or half flush to donate accordingly! Please place your donation (Cheques to Canterbury Cathedral) in an envelope in the service collection or leave with Cathedral House Reception clearly marked 'Twinning our Toilets'. Dean David

## Destruction in the Cathedral: a study day to mark the arrival of the Thomas Johnson's 'Quire of Canterbury Cathedral'

Canterbury Cathedral, Monday 11th March 2024, 11.15 to 17.15. Doors open at 10.45. To mark the acquisition by the Cathedral under the Acceptance in Lieu Scheme of the painting by Canterbury artist Thomas Johnson of the 'Quire of Canterbury Cathedral', dated 1657. This is the earliest known depiction of the quire and is rare for portraying iconoclastic acts actively underway. Papers will be given by specialists in the fields of medieval and early modern history and the history of art. General admission £30 to include refreshments and sandwich lunch. For further details and to book, please email [archives@canterbury-cathedral.org](mailto:archives@canterbury-cathedral.org)

## The Cloud of Unknowing Lenten Book Group - Online

As part of our theme for Lent this year, a pilgrimage of prayer, you are warmly invited to join Canon Emma online each Tuesday evening from 8 pm to 9pm BST to reflect and discuss the great spiritual classic The Cloud of Unknowing.

Each week Canon Emma will begin with a brief introduction followed by discussion and then concluding with prayer.

Week Three 5th March – The Life of Virtue: Chapters 13 to 16

Week Four 12th March – Mary and Martha: Chapters 17 to 23

Week Five 19th March – The Stirring of Love: Chapters 24 to 27

Please register your interest in joining this group so that we can send you the Zoom link.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/the-cloud-of-unknowing-lenten-book-group-tickets-807580704627> The group is free but any donation you may wish to make to the mission and ministry of the Cathedral will be warmly welcomed.

## Cathedral Lodge, Holy Week Package

Canterbury Cathedral and Canterbury Cathedral Lodge have been working together and are pleased to announce that we will be hosting an exclusive package during Holy Week, running from Wednesday 27th March-Sunday 31st March. This package will give guests the opportunity to immerse themselves in the experience of Holy Week by joining Clergy members throughout this retreat and enjoy Bible studies and reflective talks. Our exclusive retreat includes special activities, unique access, and 4-night full-board accommodation with a full Kentish breakfast, light lunch, and sumptuous three-course dinner at the Cathedral Lodge. This package is £950 for a single guest, or £1350 for two guests sharing the same room. We also offer this as a non-residential package, costing £300 per person; including everything minus accommodation and breakfast. Contact Canterbury Cathedral Lodge on 01227 865350 or [stay@canterburycathedrallodge.org](mailto:stay@canterburycathedrallodge.org) to book.

## MOTHERING SUNDAY LUNCH – SUNDAY 10TH MARCH

Every Mum deserves a chance to relax! Enjoy a delicious 3-course À la Carte lunch in our Refectory Restaurant, and every Mum receives a complimentary glass of Prosecco too! £41 per adult or £20 per child under 14 years (under 4's eat free). We are offering sittings between 12:30-16:30, which must be pre-booked in advance.

Pre-payment will be taken at the time of booking and is non-refundable unless we are able to resell the places booked. If you have any allergies or dietary requirements please advise when booking.

## FREE\* Floragami Bouquet Making

Saturday 2 & Saturday 9 March, 11:00 - 15:00 in the Community Studio  
Pop into our Community Studio and craft a beautiful floral bouquet out of paper, to display in your home or to give as a special gift - just in time for Mothering Sunday!  
Contribute to our prayer flowers, that will form part of our Mothering Sunday Service on Sunday 10 March at 11:00. Drop-in activity; no need to book.  
Both children and adults welcome. Suitable for ages 4+ (parents/guardians may need to assist younger children). \* Cathedral Admission Ticket not required.