

Street Pastors needed

Are you looking for a new way to serve the Lord? Street Pastoring is an opportunity for Christians to serve others, to show the love of Jesus in a practical way and to share the good news on the streets of our city. Canterbury Street Pastors are offering the opportunity for ten new street pastors to train alongside their award-winning team. Could you be one of the ten who help to make the streets of Canterbury safer? For more information, please contact Canterbury Street Pastors on coordinator@canterburystreetpastors.org

Welcome

Wendy Dalrymple will be licensed and installed as Canon Precentor (designate) and Head of Worship and Events on Sunday 5 November at 5.30pm. Everyone is most welcome to attend. As a sign of our welcome, I want to invite the community to contribute an item for a 'pantry hamper' which we can give to Wendy when she arrives. It doesn't matter if we have duplicate items as they need to be 'store cupboard' goods with a shelf life. I'd suggest items such as olive oil or vinegars, nibbles, jars of jam or pickle, wine, juice, herbs or mustards, rice and pasta. Please be imaginative too! Please leave them at Reception in Cathedral House making it clear they are a gift for Wendy.
Dean David

Cathedral Deanery Synod Reps

We are part of the local Church of England Deanery Synod. All the clergy are automatically members but it would also be good to have two cathedral representatives from our lay community. Meetings happen approximately quarterly where common matters of mission are discussed and ideas shared about how we all can contribute to the work of the diocese and the ongoing work of serving the city better. It is one tool to help keep the cathedral plugged into the wider Church of England scene. Please email or write to the Dean if this possibility appeals to you.

Cathedral Worshipper Roll

We are now have the forms and technology to update the Cathedral Worshipping Roll. This is for those who habitually worship at the Cathedral and is in line with the new Cathedrals Measure which is coming into force now. You need to apply even if you have been on the previous Cathedral Roll. You can do so online by going to: <https://www.canterbury-cathedral.org/worshipping-community-roll-application-form/> or by filling in a form that can be collected from Reception in Cathedral House.

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 by Wednesday please



THE CATHEDRAL AND METROPOLITAN CHURCH OF CHRIST, CANTERBURY
Welcome to our services for the week beginning Sunday 15th October 2023
The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity

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

Additional Services and Events taking place this week:

Today 5.30pm Today at Evensong we continue with our short homilies from members of the Cathedral Community. Today the homily will be from Jeremy Cross, member of the congregation.

Rarely-used vestments seen for the first time in years.

You may have noticed some unfamiliar vestments being worn at the Harvest Festival Eucharist last Sunday. The green 'High Mass' set - being a chasuble, dalmatic and tunicle (rather than the usual three chasubles) - is made of green and silver brocade with crimson and gold orphreys and lined with grey silk. Their provenance is uncertain, but the chasuble appears in the 1944 British Council film about the cathedral - to be found at <https://film.britishcouncil.org/resources/film-archive/message-from-canterbury> at 12 minutes and 20 seconds. This set was last worn in 1999. The copes that were worn on Sunday by the Bishop and Archdeacon of Worcester, are of green Thai silk, and were made by East Kent Embroiderers and dedicated on Trinity Sunday 1988.

Congregational Forum - Sunday 22nd October

Please mark in your diaries Sunday 22 October after the 11am service during our coffee time in the Claggett Auditorium. Please send in any questions by email to gail.woods@canterbury-cathedral.org or in an envelope to reception in Cathedral House by Sunday 15th October at the very latest so we can collate them and then I can produce answers on a sheet. For ease of administration please mark them Congregational Forum. Please do not send them to me!
Dean David

Dates for your diary at the Cathedral and across the city:

Organ Recital Series - Fridays at 6.15pm

This series of recitals begins again with performances from the Cathedral's resident organists and from guests. Recitals are un-ticketed and free. There is a retiring collection.

Oh What A Knight! - LEGO® Brick Masterclasses 24-26 October

Can you help to create an army of LEGO® Brick Knights to fill Canterbury Cathedral?

Join professional LEGO® Brick Artists and Designers, Kevin Hall and Emily Corl from Brick Galleria - the LEGO® experts from TV's Celebrity LEGO MASTERS UK at Christmas - for three days of LEGO® Brick Masterclasses for the whole family, inspired by Canterbury's medieval knights! For all those who already build and want to expand on their LEGO® building skills, come along to discover how to make a knight out of LEGO® and then get creative as you uniquely customise it with armour, shields, swords and... well, whatever you can imagine! Show us your awesome builds - our favourites will stay on display throughout the sessions. Suitable for ages 4+ (including parents and LEGO®-loving adults!). Children must be accompanied at all times.

If you have any accessibility requirements please email visitsenquiries@canterbury-cathedral.org *Builder ticket: £5; Helper (parent/guardian) ticket: £3*

All event tickets must be accompanied by a valid form of Precincts entry for that day (either paid visitor ticket for that day or valid form of cathedral pass)

All Saints' Day - 1st November - Sung Eucharist at 5.30pm

For the first time, we will celebrate the Feast of All Saints' with a Sung Eucharist at 5.30pm. This is a principal feast day and one where we come to remember the great company of witnesses who worship God 'but upon another shore and in a greater light'. Do join us for this special service.

All Souls' Day - 2nd November - Sung Requiem at 5.30pm

We will come together to remember all the departed at our annual All Souls' Requiem. If you would like loved ones remembered at the service, please send their name/s to tobin.wallace-sims@canterbury-cathedral.org by Friday 27th October or drop off names at reception in Cathedral House, or telephone 01227 762862.

Requiem Eucharist for the late Dawn Stroud - 3rd November 11am

Dawn was a regular member of the congregation for many years and the widow of Canon Bob Stroud. The funeral will be in the Quire and everyone is welcome.

Calling potential servers

You will see servers carrying candles, cross or swinging the censur at services. The Servers' Company of St Andrew is a group of forty volunteers who assist at worship. We are of all ages and backgrounds and welcome new members. Please email Sue Roberts at sroberts202@yahoo.co.uk if you would like to join us.

The Clewer Initiative—Refugee Week and beyond

There are a wide range of resources on <https://theclewerinitiative.org> including the National online service and the work of the diocese of Canterbury. An online Service was recorded in the Huguenot Chapel for Modern Slavery Day and will go live on 18th October. It includes items from the Cathedral and Diocese.

Christian Aid launches emergency appeal for Libya

Thousands of people have died and thousands more are missing following the devastating floods which swept away entire neighbourhoods in Libya's port city of Derna. In a bid to help provide vital support, international development charity [Christian Aid](https://www.christianaid.org.uk) has launched an appeal. People are without the basics such as clothing, medical supplies, access to clean water and proper sanitation facilities. To donate please go to: www.christianaid.org.uk/appeals/emergencies/libya-floods-appeal

Confirmation - Saturday 18th November

There will be a Confirmation on 18th November and we are hoping to hear from any members of the cathedral community who would like to explore fuller membership of the church through baptism and confirmation. Classes for adults and younger people can be arranged. Please contact occasionaloffices@canterbury-cathedral.org if you are interested. Classes for young people are as follows:

From 4 pm to 5 pm at No 15 The Precincts on:

Sunday 22nd October – Credo (I believe)

Sunday 29th October – Teach us to Pray

Sunday 5th November – Following Christ

Sunday 12th November 2 pm - Exploring our Heritage (Pilgrimage from St Martin's to St Augustine's Priory and Canterbury Cathedral ending with tea at No 15).

Each session consists of input from Emma, a time of wondering and sharing, tea and cake and a prayer of ending. There will also be a rehearsal for the service in the cathedral on the afternoon of 18th November followed by the Confirmation Service on 7.30 pm.

Week of Accompanied Prayer (online) - Digging deeper into prayer—26 Nov-2 Dec

An online pre-Advent Week of Accompanied Prayer, led by daily inputs by the Rt Rev'd John Pritchard, former Bishop of Oxford, formerly Archdeacon of Canterbury.

All input and services are on Zoom.

Opening Service - 4.30pm Sunday 26th November

Closing Service - 9.30am Saturday 2nd December

Monday to Friday 9.30-10.00 Input from John Pritchard

30 minutes Private Prayer, 30 minutes talk with Prayer Guide by Zoom or telephone.

Everyone welcome, no set costs but donations to Weeks of Accompanied Prayer welcome.

Contact janet.mcdonald@btinternet.com for more information and booking