

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



THE CATHEDRAL AND METROPOLITICAL CHURCH OF CHRIST, CANTERBURY

Welcome to our services for the week beginning Sunday 8th October 2023

The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity - Harvest Thanksgiving

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 Alexander Muir, regular member of the congregation and server.

Today 3.00pm Pet Blessing Service - Round the Compass Rose

### Join the Cathedral Choir

The Cathedral is offering an exciting opportunity for boys who are currently in school years 3-7, and are enthusiastic singers, to join its highly-regarded choir of boy choristers. The boy choristers sing at services and concerts, and also take part in recordings. Auditions will be held on Saturday 14 October 2023 and no previous experience is necessary. Further details and an application form can be found via the link below, and the deadline for requesting an audition place is on Sunday 8 October 2023.

<https://www.canterbury-cathedral.org/music/choir/join-the-choir/>

### Congregational Forum - Sunday 22nd October

Please mark in your diaries Sunday 22 October after the 11am service during our coffee time in the Clagett Auditorium. Please send in any questions by email to [gail.woods@canterbury-cathedral.org](mailto:gail.woods@canterbury-cathedral.org) or in an envelope to reception in Cathedral House by Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> 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.

### Film Club Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2pm, MON ONCLE - All welcome

Director: Jacques Tati, 1h 58m  
Genial, bumbling Monsieur Hulot (Jacques Tati) loves his top-floor apartment in a grimy corner of the city, and cannot fathom why his sister's family has moved to the suburbs. Their house is an ultra-modern nightmare, which Hulot only visits for the sake of stealing away his rambunctious young nephew (Alain Becourt). Hulot's sister (Adrienne Servantie), however, wants to win him over to her new way of life, and conspires to set him up with a wife and job.  
*Mon Oncle My Uncle (1958)*

### Barchester Remembered St Paul's Church - Tue, 10<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30pm

Christopher Gower, who directed the music for the series, gives the inside story of the filming of the BBC's 'Barchester Chronicles'. Admission is free. Retiring collection for the Friends of St Martin's Church and the Without the Walls Appeal at St Paul's.

### The Church and Social Justice Today - Saturday, 14 October

A day exploring what Christian discipleship, church and Christian doctrine have to say about social and environmental justice today. At The Gateway Chamber, St. Augustine's, The King's School, Lady Wootton's Green, Canterbury, CT1 1NN, beginning at 9.30am. To book a place go to: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/the-church-and-social-justice-today-tickets-687350482797>

### St Luke's Service - Saturday 14th October, 2.30pm, Eastern Crypt

Join Bishop Rose, who will be speaking, and the team from the Living Well for a service of thanksgiving for Christ's healing. There will be prayer and the laying on of hands offered during this service.

### IJM / STT - JUSTICE & FREEDOM prayer event on Sat 14th October

Intercessory prayer event to mark National Anti-Slavery Day bringing together those with a heart for justice to seek to bring an end to modern slavery & human trafficking in Kent and around the world. Prayer, worship and an opportunity to find out more about the work of IJM & STOP THE TRAFFIK in combating modern slavery and the role you could play in tackling this human rights abuse.

**Where:** SMB Church, Canterbury **When:** Sat Oct 14th, 4 - 6pm

**Register:** To find out more and to register for this event visit [Eventbrite \(https://www.eventbrite.com/e/justice-freedom-stop-the-traffik-kent-ijm-prayer-event-tickets-700206786347\)](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/justice-freedom-stop-the-traffik-kent-ijm-prayer-event-tickets-700206786347)

## 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](#) 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](http://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](mailto: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 22<sup>nd</sup> October – Credo (I believe)

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> October – Teach us to Pray

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November – Following Christ

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> 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 18<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto:janet.mcdonald@btinternet.com) for more information and booking