

## Safeguarding : Do you need to talk?

**Are you concerned about the safety of a child, young person or vulnerable adult?  
Or is there something that you would like to discuss that affects you?**

A safeguarding concern is anything that may impact the safety and wellbeing of a child, young person or vulnerable adult; if they are being neglected, harmed or at risk of being harmed by others or themselves, and are in need of protection. To report a non-emergency safeguarding concern please scan the QR code and complete our online form or email [safeguarding@canterbury-cathedral.org](mailto:safeguarding@canterbury-cathedral.org)  
TO REPORT AN EMERGENCY SAFEGUARDING CONCERN PLEASE CONTACT THE CATHEDRAL CONSTABLES OFFICE:  
Located by the main entrance to the Precincts, Christ Church Gate.  
Alternatively, please call 01227 866237



## Friends' Events

The next **FRIENDly Singing** session is on **Monday, 11 November at 14.00** in St Martin & St Paul Church Hall, CT1 1NH. It will be led by Jamie Rogers, Assistant Director of Music. Simply turn up just before the start for a cuppa and a biscuit followed by some sociable singing to put a smile on your face. Rusty singers welcome! This is a FREE event but donations to help sustain this monthly event are welcomed.

There will be a **FRIENDS' TALK** on **Tuesday, 19 November at 10.30** in the Clagett Auditorium: **More Than a Nail Man** – modern art installations in Canterbury Cathedral. Canon Christopher Irvine, former Canon Librarian and now Honorary Teaching Fellow at St Augustine's College of Theology, will look at the three extraordinary pieces of contemporary sculpture in our Cathedral: Stephen Cox's altar and water stoup and Gormley's Transport in The Crypt. Hear how and why they were commissioned, wonder at their materiality and design, and see afresh how they connect with some of the key figures in the story of our Cathedral. £10 Friends, £15 Friends' guests, includes tea and coffee on arrival.

Join us on **Tuesday, 26 November at 10.30** in the Clagett Auditorium for another **FRIENDS' TALK: Canterbury in the Time of Daniel Defoe and Jane Austen**. Popular speaker Doreen Rosman returns to continue her series of talks on the history of life in Canterbury. Defoe, who visited in 1724, described the city as 'a general ruin, a little recovered', but by Austen's day it had been comprehensively refurbished. This talk will depict life in the Georgian city and explore how it had changed by the time of Austen's visit, three-quarters of a century after Defoe. £10 Friends, £15 Friends' guests, includes tea and coffee on arrival.

All Friends' events can be booked online: <https://www.canterbury-cathedral.org/whats-on/events/> or contact the Friends' Office.

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 10th November 2024**

Third Sunday before Advent - Remembrance Sunday

**Canon in Residence: The Reverend Andrew Dodd**

**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 Taizé Prayer - Mondays (from 4/11)  
Holy Communion - Wednesdays

17.30 Choral Evensong  
Thursdays said Evening Prayer

## Evensong

This evening we welcome The Reverend Seth Cooper to give the homily at Evensong. Seth is the Vicar of Walmer and Cornilo, and an Honorary Canon of the Cathedral.

## Clergy Out and About in the Diocese

The Archdeacon is preaching at the Remembrance Sunday service in the town centre in Whitstable.

## New Bishops

We welcome the new Bishops' group who are with us for the next week. Please do make them welcome if you see them around the Cathedral and Precincts.

## Live Stream of Dean Emeritus Robert's Funeral Service

We are hoping to livestream the funeral of Robert Willis which is taking place in New Haven Connecticut on 13 November. This will be subject to ensuring all the technology can be made operable. It will take place at 3.00pm (our local UK time) in the Claggett Auditorium. In order to try and manage this well, can you please email [events@canterbury-cathedral.org](mailto:events@canterbury-cathedral.org) if you are intending to attend. Doors will open from 2.00pm and will be capped at the maximum capacity of that space.

It will also be possible to watch this livestream from your own computers using the link that will be provided shortly prior to the service on the website of the American parish church hosting the funeral – see [www.christchurchnh.org](http://www.christchurchnh.org)

# Dates for your diary and news from the Cathedral and around the local area.

## Children's Church

There is no Children's Church this week due to the Remembrance Service. We will return to the usual routine next week—meeting from 10.30am in the Community Studio and coming over to the service in time for Communion.

## Open Table - this afternoon at 3.30pm - St Peter's Anglican Church

The Open Table network is a growing partnership of Christian worship communities that welcome and affirm people who are Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer/Questioning, Intersex, Asexual (LGBTQIA) and anyone who wants to belong to an accepting, loving community. This community meets on the second Sunday of each month in St Peter's Anglican Church in the city centre parish.

Refreshments are served from 3pm, and the service begins at 3.30. The preacher will be the Reverend Dr Joel Love, Vicar of St Peter with St Margaret, Rochester.

You can find more information at [www.opentable.lgbt](http://www.opentable.lgbt)

## Film Club - TODAY at 2pm

For Remembrance Sunday the film is Atonement. It is the 2007 war drama film directed by Joe Wright and starring James McAvoy and Keira Knightley. It is based on the 2001 novel by Ian McEwan.

## Taizé Prayer Monday 11th November 12.30pm - TOMORROW

A new six week run of Taizé Prayer begins tomorrow. We have practised the new chants and are ready for the new season of Taizé Prayer which runs until Monday 16th December. Do join us for this very special time of prayer, chant, and silence.

## Holodomor Service for Ukraine - Saturday 23rd November at 5.30pm

On Saturday 23rd November there will be a special service for Ukraine, commemorating the famine of 1932-3, when millions of people died, and also continuing to pray for the people of Ukraine now in their third year of invasion and war. The C4U Ladies Choir will sing at the service. Please come along to support this service and our sisters and brothers from Ukraine.

## Week of Accompanied Prayer

An 'at home' pre-Advent Week of Accompanied Prayer 24–30 November 2024. Opening service 4.30 pm Sunday 24 November on Zoom. Closing service 9.30 am Saturday 30 November on Zoom. Monday to Friday – 30 minutes private prayer each day 30 minutes talk to your Prayer Guide either on Zoom or by 'phone. No set costs, but donations to Weeks of Accompanied Prayer welcome. Everyone, everywhere very welcome! For more info contact Janet McDonald [janet.mcdonald@btinternet.com](mailto:janet.mcdonald@btinternet.com)

## Sunday 17th November - National Safeguarding Sunday

We are joining with thousands of churches to highlight the importance of safeguarding and to protect vulnerable people. Our preacher will be Bishop Jo Bailey-Wells, and she will preach on the theme of the Anglican Communion Safe Church Commission. Please join us as we commit to building a safer church for all and lament the mistakes of the past.

## Requests for gifts and prizes

In the past it seems that free entrance tickets or other such things have been fairly freely offered when requests have come into the cathedral for raffles, fayres and community events. This has been uncoordinated and often connected with someone knowing someone who could lever that contribution.

The Cathedral is now a regulated charity and can no longer act like this. We can only support others who are closely and directly aligned with our own charitable objects (the advancement of the Christian faith in the Church of England and the care and stewardship of the cathedral) e.g. other Church of England parishes and Church of England schools would be included, general care of the elderly or supporting a PTA would not be eligible. Additionally support could be considered to be offered to organisations that share the cathedral's current strategic commitments as laid out and decided by Chapter. For example, at present this includes homelessness.

So please only make requests if you think it fits these criteria. A number of those offered in the past cannot now be offered because of these new charity rules with which we have to comply. It's the law! Dean David

## Canterbury Community Shelter (CCS) - Catching Lives

CCS is a winter shelter for adults who are homeless in Canterbury. The shelter is run by local homelessness charity Catching Lives, in partnership with local churches.

This year, for the first time, the Cathedral will be providing shelter on Mondays. If you would like to be involved specifically in the Cathedral's shelter, please contact Canon Emma. To support more widely, please see below.

**Volunteers – can you help? Kitchen volunteers:** cooking and serving a hot evening meal at Catching Lives' Centre on Station Road East. **Host volunteers:** welcoming guests as they arrive at the church, providing refreshments and maybe playing board games and chatting to people as they settle ahead of lights out. **Volunteer drivers:** transporting bulky bedding packs between the Centre and churches, ideally with access to an estate car. Needing in the evenings and early mornings. **Contact** For further info or offer support, please contact Tasmin Maitland: [tasmin@catchinglives.org](mailto:tasmin@catchinglives.org)

## UKC Inter-faith week - events next week

**Tuesday 12 November** Invited Speakers, Panel and Discussion Women in Islam: Our Forgotten Legacy. With Shehrazade Mamjan and Nourul-Huda Souleh. Darwin College Lecture Theatre 1, 5pm-6.30pm. Refreshments.

**Thursday 14 November** Students representing some World Faiths... "Chosen objects which Tell a Story": Mini-presentations about religious faith and life based on objects which carry some meaning. Grimond Lecture Theatre 2, 6pm for 6.15pm Meeting ends with a free veggie and vegan buffet!