

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

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

The Friends of Canterbury Cathedral

THE FRIENDS OF CANTERBURY CATHEDRAL are the Cathedral's fan club. We are admirers of the building, its history, and its community, and we help to support the Cathedral and its work. Why not come along to one of our **Friendly Talks this autumn** and find out more about us? On **Wednesday, 28 October** at 10.30, in the Clagett Auditorium, Adrian Waddingham, author of **BREAKSPEAR: THE ENGLISH POPE WHO WENT TO WAR** will come to speak to Friends about Nicholas Breakspear who was born in St Albans and elected pope in 1164 but has been all but forgotten ever since. On **2 November**, we welcome Clive Aslet (former editor of *Country Life*) who will speak about **King Charles III – 40 Years of Architecture**. This talk is at 10.30 in the Clagett Auditorium. On **Tuesday 10 November**, also at 10.30 in the Clagett, there will be a talk about **MARY MODERS – THE COUNTERFEIT LADY UNVEILED**. Dr Sara Read, Senior Lecturer at Loughborough University will reveal to Friends the story of the many lives and escapades of Mary Moders (aka 'the Crafty Whore of Canterbury' and 'the Famous Cheat'), born near our Cathedral in 1642 and who died by execution in 1673. For more information go to <https://www.canterbury-cathedral.org/get-involved/become-a-friend/>. Or pop into our Office in Cathedral House or phone 01227 865292 for more information. There are lots of benefits of being a Friend including discounts in The Lodge and Shop, monthly e-newsletters, exclusive events, and more. We look forward to welcoming you! For more information go to <https://www.canterbury-cathedral.org/get-involved/become-a-friend/>. Or pop into our Office in Cathedral House or phone 01227 865292 for more information. There are lots of benefits of being a Friend including discounts in The Lodge and Shop, monthly e-newsletters, exclusive events, and more. We look forward to welcoming you!

FRIENDly Singing for Wellbeing St Paul's Church Hall, Canterbury, CT1 1NH
ALL welcome – rusty singers included!
Turn up for a cuppa and a biscuit, followed by sociable singing to put a smile on your face. Led by Jamie Rogers, Assistant Director of Music at Canterbury Cathedral.
FRIENDly Singing will return in September, with the dates for future sessions on **12th October, 2nd November, and 14th December**.



THE CATHEDRAL AND METROPOLITICAL CHURCH OF CHRIST, CANTERBURY

Welcome to our services for the week beginning Sunday 11th October2026

The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity

Canon in Residence: The Venerable Dr Will Adam

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

Weekend Services (Sat & Sun)		Weekday Services (Mon—Fri)	
8.00	Holy Communion	7.30	Morning Prayer (9.30 Bank Holidays)
9.30	Morning Prayer	8.00	Holy Communion
11.00	Choral Eucharist (Sunday)	11.00	Bell Ceremony
15.00	Huguenot Service (in French, Sunday only)	12.30	Holy Communion - Wednesdays Taizé Prayer - Mondays in Term Time Prayers for Peace – Tuesdays in Term Time
17.30	Choral Evensong	17.30	Choral Evensong

Congregational Forum with Dean David

Please mark in your diaries 22nd November after the 11am service during our coffee time in the Clagett Auditorium. Please send in any questions by email to andrea.tadiwala@canterbury-cathedral.org or in an envelope to reception in Cathedral House by Friday 6th November 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

Ministry of Healing – next Sunday – 18th at the Sung Eucharist

Next Sunday is the feast of St Luke, the Evangelist, and also Paul's 'beloved physician'. It is therefore apt that this day should be one when the Ministry of Healing is offered through anointing or the laying on of hands. Also, members of the Pastoral Care team will be available to spend time with those who need to talk after they have received healing.

Please send submissions for future Pew Sheets to tobin.wallace-sims@canterbury-cathedral.org
To be featured in the next publication, submissions should be sent by Wednesday latest



Pastoral Care
If you would like to speak to a member of the Pastoral Care Team kindly email your name and contact details to: pastoralcare@canterbury-cathedral.org and a member of the team will be pleased to assist. If you need a local pastoral visit, if you are a newcomer wanting to get more involved in the cathedral congregations, if you or someone else from the congregation need support or help, then please complete a Pastoral Care Card which are dotted around the quire of the cathedral or please ask a steward or virger for one. Please complete and send in following the instructions on the card.
Canon Andrew Leaving Gift
As Canon Andrew Dodd prepares to leave us at the end of October to become Dean of Coventry, you are warmly invited to contribute towards a farewell gift. Donations can be made anonymously using the link below. There is also an opportunity to leave a message if you wish. https://viing.com/v/andrews-leaving-card-dwa3la Alternatively, you can sign a card and leave a cash donation or gift at Reception, No 2 The Precincts, Monday to Friday, between 9.00am -5.00pm. The Constables' Office will be able to assist outside of these hours. Please leave donations by 19 October 2026 to allow time for them to be presented to him at the Evensong service on Sunday 1st November. Thank you for helping us to mark Canon Andrew's ministry among us and wish him well for the future.
An invitation to the Collation, Induction and Installation of The Revd Canon Andrew Dodd, the next Dean of Coventry.
Andrew will be installed as Dean of Coventry on Saturday 28 November 2026 at 2.00pm in Coventry Cathedral, Priory Street, Coventry CV1 5AB. Members of the cathedral community are warmly invited to attend, and you can reserve a place by using the link below: https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/2002617344386?aff=oddttdtcreator
Behind the Scenes: Book and Paper Conservation in Action
Tuesday 13 October, 14:00-15:15 in the Conservation Studio . A rare chance to see behind the scenes of the Archives and Library, in our conservation and bookbinding studio. Learn about the skills and techniques required to repair fragile paper, parchment, bindings and seals, and view some fine and rare examples of bindings from our collections. £25 per person. Cathedral admission not included. Pre-booking required; not suitable for under 18s. Regrettably, due to the location, this tour is not wheelchair accessible, and is not suitable for those with limited mobility. To book, please go to: https://www.canterbury-cathedral.org/whats-on/events/behind-the-scenes-book-and-paper-conservation-in-action/ or via the What's on pages of the cathedral website.
Film Club – next Sunday – 18th – at 14:00
Of God and Men 2h 2m Director Xavier Beauvois Directed by acclaimed French filmmaker Xavier Beauvois, Of Gods and Men tells the true story of a community of Trappist monks in Algeria facing violence and uncertainty during the civil war. A powerful and moving exploration of faith, brotherhood, courage, and self-sacrifice, this award-winning film offers profound insight into Christian discipleship and the cost of peace.

New Bishops
We will be hosting new bishops from the Anglican Communion in the first weeks of November and are seeking volunteers to have one or two bishops to lunch, after the Remembrance Service, on Sunday 8 th November. To make an offer of lunch please email ExecutiveSupportConferences@canterbury-cathedral.org to let us know. Thank you.
Free Recital – Thursday 15th October, St Paul's Church
Orlando Hodges, a Baritone who is a deputy lay clerk, accompanied on the piano by Oliver Jones, one of our lay clerks, is giving a free recital at St Pauls on Thursday 15 th October at 13:00 - 'A Selection of English Song'. All are welcome
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Listening to the Music of the Soul - Saturday 14 November, 18:30-20:00
The Second Public Theology Lecture in the New Series of Michael Ramsey Events Speaker: The Rt Revd Dr Guli Francis-Dehqani Bishop of Chelmsford Canterbury Cathedral Lodge, CT1 2EH. Some reflections on how music and the arts can help transform our pain and enable us to engage with the complexities of life and faith. The talk is presented by The Michael Ramsey Professor of Faith, Culture and the Arts, Canterbury Cathedral, and the University of Kent. The Michael Ramsey Chair was originally established in 1991 in memory of Michael Ramsey (1904–1988), who was the 100th Archbishop of Canterbury (1961-1974) and previously Regius Professor of Divinity at the University of Cambridge. The Michael Ramsey Chair is a key point of contact between the University of Kent And Canterbury Cathedral in the development and delivery of major projects and programmes in culture and the arts. Jonathan Arnold is Executive Director of The Social Justice Network, Canterbury Diocese. Booking essential, as spaces limited. Tickets: £6; Students in full-time education free of charge. Book via the Cathedral website or use the QR code
