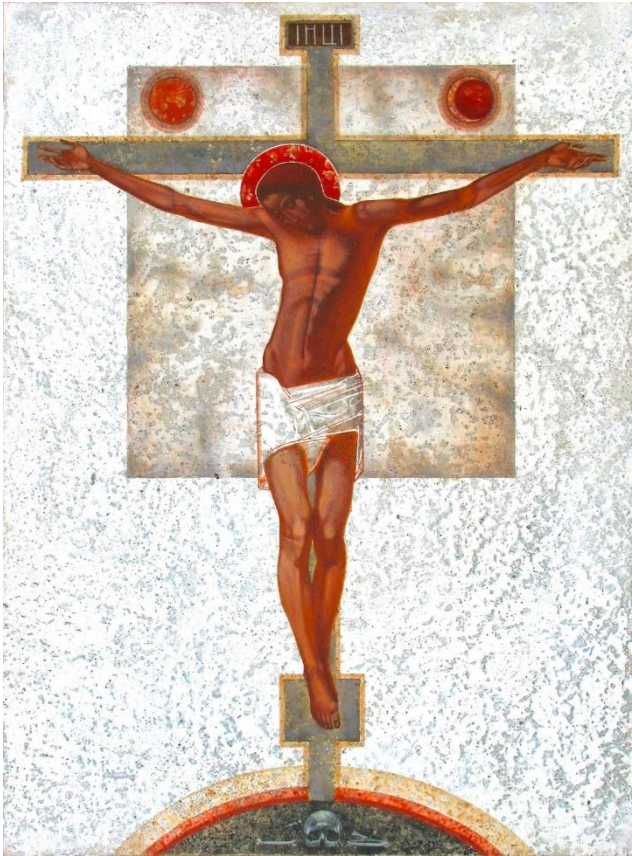




THE CHAPEL OF MAGDALENE COLLEGE CAMBRIDGE



LENT TERM 2023

CHAPEL IS AT THE HEART OF THE COLLEGE: ALL ARE WELCOME

SUNDAYS

- Holy Communion** **9.00-9.50am** 15 January – 12 March
Simple service followed by a free breakfast
- Choral Evensong** **6-7pm** 22 January – 12 March
Traditional service with glorious music from the Choir and thoughtful sermons from a range of preachers; followed by drinks in Benson Hall

WEEKDAYS

- Morning Prayer** **Monday to Thursday in Term, 8.30-50am**
20 minutes of prayer with Scripture readings
- Choral Evensong** **Five Thursdays, 6.15-6.50pm**
*A beautiful Choral service with prayers (no sermon)
26 January, 2 February (St Giles' Church), 16 February, 2 & 9 March*
- Candlelit Compline** **Wednesdays 25 January & 8 March, 9.00-9.20pm**
Ancient plainchant sung in the dark; then port & hot chocolate

SPECIAL SERVICES

- Candlemas Evensong** **Thursday 2 February 6.15pm, at St Giles's Church**
A candlelit celebration of light on the last of the 40 days of Christmas
- College Communion and Chapel Supper** **Wednesday 8 February, 6.15pm**
All denominations welcome to the service and the curry
- Ash Wednesday** **Wednesday 22 February, 6.15pm-7.00pm**
The ceremony of Ashing, with music and prayers for repentance to mark the start of Lent.
- Pepys' Birthday** **Friday 24 February, 6.15pm**
A service before the College's annual Samuel Pepys feast.
- 'Cross of the Cosmos' Choral Evensong** **Sunday 26 February, 6pm**
*A special service with a new sculpture by David Maude-Roxby-Montalto. Roderick Williams sings the premiere of his anthem in its honour. NB Video recording will take place. *Reserve a seat: sct39**
- Catholic Mass** **Monday 27 February, 6pm**
In Magdalene Chapel with Fr Paul Keane; followed by drinks
- Cantata** **Sunday 12 March, 6pm - Membra Jesu nostri, Buxtehude**
See opposite

SUNDAY CHORAL EVENSONG

Our Term's theme is drawn from the cantata cycle Membra Jesu nostri by Dietrich Buxtehude which the Choir sing at the end of Term. Each cantata takes part of the crucified body of Christ as the starting point for a meditation on the Passion, so each week we do likewise, exploring varied perspectives on the Cross with invited preachers. Charity collections are taken for Concrete Rose (support and housing for young people in Cambridge) and Amnesty International.

- 22 January **'Ad pedes/To the feet'**
The Dean of Chapel
- 29 January **'Ad genua/To the knees'**
Ms Hannah Fytche *PhD student, Divinity Faculty*
- 5 February **'Ad manus/To the hands'**
Sr Gemma Simmonds CJ *Director of the Religious Life Institute at the Margaret Beaufort Institute of Theology, Cambridge*
- 12 February **'Ad latus/To the side'**
Dr Giles Waller *Research Associate and Affiliated Lecturer, Divinity Faculty and Cambridge Inter-Faith Programme*
- 19 February **'Ad pectus/To the breast'**
Fr Paul Keane *Catholic Chaplain to the University, Fisher House*
- 26 February **'Ad cor/To the heart'; with the 'Cross of the Cosmos'**
Dr Rowan Williams *Honorary Fellow; formerly 35th Master of Magdalene and 104th Archbishop of Canterbury*
- 5 March **'Ad faciem/To the face'**
Dr Charles Moseley *Life Fellow, Hughes Hall*
- 12 March **Cantata: Membra Jesu Nostri, Buxtehude**

CANTATA

Membra Jesu Nostri, Buxtehude
Sunday 12 March at 6pm

The Choir will be joined by baroque musicians to give this moving cantata cycle of seven meditations on the Cross. All members of College and their guests are welcome. There is a retiring collection. Please reserve a seat for this highlight of the Term by emailing sct39. The Precentor gives an introductory talk at 5.30pm. Drinks follow in Benson Hall c.7.10pm.

CHAPLAIN'S EVENTS

Interfaith reading group 'Scriptural Reasoning' 1 Feb and 1 March 7.30pm
Fireside tea & cake 15 Jan & 2 March 4pm
New year walk 17 January 1pm
Chapel Team pancakes 21 February 6pm

GET AWAY FOR A DAY

Westminster Abbey, 11 February
with the Dean, David Hoyle.
Ely town and cathedral, 11 March
with Charles Moseley. Change the scene.
Free. All welcome. Sign up essential: sct39

THE CHAPEL IS OPEN EVERY DAY FOR EVERYONE TO ENJOY ITS PEACE

Belonging | Peace | Meaning | Beauty | Justice

The Chapel is a welcoming community offering space, worship and events open to all of any faith or none. It serves as a reminder of the spiritual dimension of our lives today as well as the College's Benedictine foundation. All are welcome to visit, to sit in stillness and for services, whatever their beliefs. The worship is in the Anglican tradition, founded on the grace of God revealed in Jesus Christ, extending God's welcome to everyone.

THE DEAN OF CHAPEL

The Reverend Sarah Atkins

A6 First Court, 01223 332129, sct39@cam.ac.uk

Pastoral care

Sarah is the Chaplain and is available to offer a listening ear on any matter to any member of the College community, whatever their beliefs. Don't hesitate to get in touch if you need an impartial, safe, supportive space, or would just like to sit in C S Lewis's chair in her office.

Faith support and prayer room

Sarah also supports people of any faith tradition as they practice their faith in Cambridge and oversees the new College Prayer Room. If you would like to run an event for your faith in College please contact her. She also accompanies anyone exploring Christian faith or vocation.

THE CHAPEL TEAM

Director of Music and Precentor, Mr James Potter, jp2025

Organ Scholars, Cameran Johal & Jiayi Zheng

Student Reps (Sacristans), Hugh Jones, Miriam Davies & Caredig ap Tomos

COLLEGE REPS, OTHER GROUPS AND FAITH CONTACTS

Christian Union Katie kl555, Andrew ajhl3

Catholic Chaplaincy Charlotte cmm214;

Chaplains Fr Paul Keane pjh1001

and Sr Ann Swailes acs92

Student Christian Movement

cambridgescm.wordpress.com

Just Love justlovecambridge.wordpress.com

Buddhism buddha.soc.srcf.net

Hinduism cuhcs.soc.srcf.net

Islam isoc.co.uk

Jainism cambridgesu.co.uk/organisation/7121

Judaism cujs.org - Chaplains Ben and Atira

Baruch: ben@ / atira@mychaplaincy.co.uk

Sikhism facebook.com/cusikhso

THE COLLEGE MORNING PRAYER

Almighty and Everlasting God, who dost fill all things with thy presence, may thy blessing rest upon this College of St Mary Magdalene, upon the Master, Fellows, Scholars, Staff and all the members of the same. Prosper their endeavours, promote their studies, and purify their minds even unto the perfect knowledge of thyself; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Cover image: 'Crucifixion' Ukrainian artist Ivanka Demchuk (born 1990)