CHRIST’S COLLEGE

Chapel Services

Abundance (Abundantia), Peter Paul Rubens (1630)

Easter Term 2023
Regular Services

Sunday

9.30am **College Eucharist**
A simple communion service, with hymns and a short sermon, lasting about 40 minutes. Followed by breakfast in the Chaplain’s Rooms, (A1, Second Court).

6.00pm **Choral Evensong**
A sung service with the choir and a guest speaker, which lasts about an hour. Afterwards, drinks are served in the anti-chapel, to which all are welcome.

Weekdays

Morning Prayer is said at 8.30am, Monday to Friday. Evening services as follows:

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<td>Monday-Wednesday, Friday</td>
<td>5.30pm</td>
<td>Evening Prayer</td>
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<td>Choral Evensong</td>
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Special Services this Term

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<td>Tuesday 9 May</td>
<td><strong>Compline</strong> (9.00pm)</td>
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<td>A peaceful candlelit service, sung by the choir, followed by hot chocolate in A1.</td>
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<td>Thursday 18 May</td>
<td><strong>Ascension Anthems</strong> (8.15am, First Court)</td>
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<td>The choir sings anthems from the top of the Great Gate to celebrate the Feast of the Ascension.</td>
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<td>Tuesday 30 May</td>
<td><strong>Soulscape</strong> (9.00pm)</td>
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<td>Space to reflect and be yourself. Meditative music, silence, and contemplative words, all by candlelight.</td>
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<td>Thursday 9 June</td>
<td><strong>Choral Eucharist for Corpus Christi</strong> (6.15pm)</td>
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<td>We celebrate the gift of Holy Communion on this feast day.</td>
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<td>Thursday 15 June</td>
<td><strong>Alumni Evensong</strong> (6.45pm)</td>
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<td>Alumni join us for the final Evensong of term.</td>
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<td>Tuesday 27 June</td>
<td><strong>Leavers’ Service</strong> (6pm)</td>
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<td>A service to celebrate and give thanks for our graduands before the graduation dinner.</td>
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Abundant Life

‘I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly’, promises Jesus in John’s Gospel. But what does ‘abundant life’ actually look like, and how may we experience it? This term’s preachers reflect on the choices they’ve made in search of fulness of life: choices around identity, material possessions, relationships, cultural life, career and vocation.

30 April
Easter 4
The Chaplain

7 May
Easter 5
August Gawen
Minimalist Educator
Minimalist Living UK

14 May
Easter 6
Canon Sarah Jones
Team Rector
Calon Y Ddinas Ministry, Cardiff

21 May
Easter 7
The Reverend Simon Asquith
Asst Curate, Merton Team Ministry, London
formerly, Producer for Les Arts Florissants
and The Venetian Centre for Baroque Music

28 May
Pentecost
Dr Gemma Simmonds CJ
Director, Religious Life Institute,
Margaret Beaufort Institute of Theology, Cambridge

4 June
Trinity Sunday
Alan Mitchell
Doctoral student and Licensed Lay Minister
Christ’s College

11 June
St Barnabas
The Chaplain
## Chapel Contacts

**Chaplain**
The Reverend Dr Helen Orchard
The Chaplain is readily available to speak in confidence with any member of the College (irrespective of religious belief) concerning any matter. She can be contacted in her rooms (Second Court, A1) or by email (hco23).

**Chapel Officers**
Alan Mitchell, Shady Anis, Carrie Day, Georgia Denham, Reuben Jenkins, Sophia Johnson, Rebecca Lee, Pippa Wakelin, Lily Mansfield, Caleb Todd and James Tett.

**Chapel Choir**
For enquiries regarding the Choir, please contact the Director of Music, Professor David Rowland (der26), or the Choir Administrator, Tom Baarda (thb37).

**Organ Scholars**
Davon Halim and Clare Pryor

**Christian Union**
The College Christian Union meets weekly. For details, contact Sarah Clark (sc2292).

**Fisher House**
For information about the Roman Catholic Chaplaincy, please contact Jeremy Lee (jhjl2).

**Faith Contacts**
The Chaplain has contacts with representatives from a range of religions and denominations. If you would like to be put in touch with members of a particular faith, please do contact her.

This term’s chapel collections will go to **Lyn’s House**, a transformational community in Cambridge providing friendship and hospitality for people with, and people without, learning disabilities. [www.lynshouse.org](http://www.lynshouse.org)

## The Sacraments

All who customarily receive the Eucharist (Holy Communion) are welcome to receive it in the College Chapel, regardless of denomination. Also available for college members and staff are preparation for Baptism and Confirmation, the Sacrament of Reconciliation (sometimes called Confession), and prayer with Anointing for Healing. Please contact the Chaplain for further details.