

MAGDALEN COLLEGE CHAPEL



HILARY TERM 2019

WELCOME

All members of the College are warmly invited to use the Chapel as a place for quiet reflection, prayer and worship. The services are conducted according to the rites of the Church of England, but people of all faiths - and none - are welcome to attend, and Christians of any denomination may receive Holy Communion. We have a world-class choir and all the services are also open to the public.

The Dean of Divinity is the Reverend Dr Jonathan Arnold, jonathan.arnold@magd.ox.ac.uk, who is an Anglican Priest. He is happy to meet and talk to everyone in College at any time, so do not hesitate to contact him. He can be called on in Cloisters 4:2 without appointment. Telephone 01865 276027 (76027 within the network).

Jonathan is assisted with the weekly round of services by the Fellows' Chaplains (the Reverend Professor Robert Gilbert and the Reverend Elaine Bardwell), and by the Honorary Chaplains (the Reverend Professor Sabina Alkire and the Reverend James Crockford). The Founder's Chaplain is Dr Ralph Walker, who is an Emeritus Fellow of the College.

The Informator Choristarum (Director of Music) is Mark Williams, mark.williams@magd.ox.ac.uk. He is responsible for the recruitment, training and direction of the Choir. His rooms are in Cloisters 1, and he is assisted by Alexander Pott (Assistant Organist) and Rupert Jackson (Organ Scholar).

The Chapel and Choir office is in Cloisters 2, and the **Chapel and Choir PA**, Melanie Bennette, can be contacted at choir@magd.ox.ac.uk, telephone 01865 286701.

The Verger is Joan Jones. She assists the clergy in the administration of worship, the maintenance of the Chapel, and the ministry of welcome. joan.jones@magd.ox.ac.uk.

The Sacristans are Kyle Butcher, Kathryn King, Oliver Baldwin, Spencer Klavan and Harry Forbes. They are always happy to train up fellow-students who would like to be altar servers and/or to assist in the life of the Chapel more broadly. If you would be interested in serving as a Sacristan, contact kyle.butcher@magd.ox.ac.uk.

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Presentation at the Temple *Giovanni Bellini (c. 1460)*

TIMES OF SERVICES IN FULL TERM

<i>Sunday</i>	11.00am Sung Eucharist Followed by a light lunch in the New Room.	6.00pm Choral Evensong Followed by refreshments in the Antechapel.
<i>Monday</i>	8.15am Morning Prayer	-----
<i>Tuesday</i>	8.15am Morning Prayer	6.00pm Choral Evening Prayer
<i>Wednesday</i>	8.15am Morning Prayer	6.00pm Choral Evensong
<i>Thursday</i>	8.15am Morning Prayer	6.00pm Choral Evensong
<i>Friday</i>	8.15am Morning Prayer	6.00pm Choral Evening Prayer
<i>Saturday</i>	-----	6.00pm Choral Evensong

On Sundays, between 9.45 and 10.30am, a light breakfast is available in Cloisters 4:2.

SPECIAL SERVICES THIS TERM

Wednesday 16 January, 7.00pm	Roman Catholic Mass
Friday 25 January, 6.00pm	Festal Choral Evensong for the Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul, sung by the Clerks Sung Compline (Night Prayer)
Friday 25 January, 9.00pm	Choral Evening Prayer sung jointly by the Consort of the Oratory School, Woodcote and the Academical Clerks.
Friday 1 February, 6.00pm	Sung Eucharist for Candlemas sung by the Consort of Voices
Saturday 2 February, 6.00pm	Choral Evening Prayer sung jointly by the Boy Choristers Magdalen College and the Girl Choristers of Merton College
Friday 15 February, 9.00pm	Sung Compline (Night Prayer)
Tuesday 5 March, 6.00pm	Choral Evensong with distribution of Claymond's Dole
Wednesday 6 March, 6.00pm	Sung Eucharist for Ash Wednesday with the Imposition of ashes
Saturday 9 March, 6.00pm	Choral Evensong sung by the College Choir and Consort of Voices combined
Thursday 18 April, 6.00pm	Sung Eucharist with Washing of Feet
<i>Maundy Thursday</i>	
Friday 19 April, 12.00pm	The Good Friday Liturgy, sung by the Clerks
<i>Good Friday</i>	
Sunday 21 April, 11.00am	Festal Sung Eucharist
<i>Easter Day</i>	

**SUNDAY HOMILIES, SERMONS AND ADDRESSES
AT THE EUCHARIST AND CHORAL EVENSONG**

13 January – 1ST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

11am: The Dean of Divinity

Followed by a hot lunch in the New Room.

20 January – 2ND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

11am: Spencer Klavan

Lecturer in Greek Language and Literature

6pm: Michael Symmons Roberts

Poet, Novelist and Librettist

27 January – 3RD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

11am: The Reverend Professor Sabina Alkire

Honorary Chaplain

3 February – 4TH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

11am: The Reverend Professor Robert Gilbert

Fellows' Chaplain

6pm: The Right Reverend Graeme Knowles

Honorary Assistant Bishop in the Diocese of London

10 February – 5TH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

11am: The Dean of Divinity

17 February – SEPTUAGESIMA

11am: Dr Ralph Walker

Founder's Chaplain

6pm: The Very Reverend Michael Tavinor

Dean of Hereford Cathedral

24 February – SEXAGESIMA

11am: The Reverend Julia Baldwin

Chaplain of Brasenose College, Oxford

3 March – QUINQUAGESIMA

11am: The Dean of Divinity

6pm: Professor Janet Soskice

Professor of Philosophical Theology at the University of Cambridge
and Fellow of Jesus College, Cambridge

THE ADDISON SOCIETY

Joseph Addison (1672-1719) was an English essayist, poet, playwright, politician and Fellow of Magdalen. Every **Thursday** lunchtime (a new day from this term), from 1.00pm until 2.00pm, **The Addison Society** meets in the Dean of Divinity's rooms (Cloisters 4:2) for a free lunch to talk about the arts, culture, current affairs and faith. All are welcome to this open, non-judgmental and frank discussion group. If you are interested in joining this group then please speak to, or email, the Dean of Divinity or just come along.

The Addison Society Talk by Professor Alister McGrath: 'Richard Dawkins and C.S. Lewis on Science and Religion'

The Society Talk is open to all members of College and provides a forum to discuss ethical, social and religious issues. This term the Society meets in the Oscar Wilde Room on Wednesday 30 January at 4.30pm for a talk by Alister McGrath, Andreas Idreos Professor of Science and Religion at Oxford University, on 'Richard Dawkins and C.S. Lewis on Science and Religion.' All are welcome.

If you would like to come to this event then please contact the Dean of Divinity on jonathan.arnold@magd.ox.ac.uk

VISIT FROM THE ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY

Archbishop Justin Welby will be visiting Oxford on Sunday 27 January and will be giving a talk at the University Church of St. Mary-the-Virgin at 3.30pm on 'Reimagining Britain: Values for a Changing World.' A few free tickets for this event are available from the Dean of Divinity on jonathan.arnold@magd.ox.ac.uk

HOLY WEEK AT MAGDALEN

There are a number of events and services for Holy week in Magdalen College Chapel this year, including a performance of Joseph Haydn's *Seven Last Words of Christ* by the Villiers Quartet on Tuesday 16 April at 7.30pm and a concert by the College Choir on Wednesday 17 April at 7.30pm. On Maundy Thursday (18 April), the College Choir will sing the Eucharist at 6.00pm, with Washing of Feet, and on Good Friday (19 April), the Clerks will sing the Liturgy of Good Friday at 12.00pm. On Easter Day (21 April), the College Choir will sing a Festal Eucharist at 11.00am. See the 'Services and Music List' for more details.

WHO'S WHO

The Christian Union Rep in College is Chloe Hughes, chloe.hughes@magd.ox.ac.uk. **The Christian Union** organises Bible studies and prayer meetings in College on a weekly basis.

The Muslim Rep in College is Yethrib Muhamed, yethrib.muhamed@magd.ox.ac.uk. **The Muslim Chaplains** are Dr Afifi Al-Akiti, afifi.al-akiti@worc.ox.ac.uk and Professor Muhammad Talib (01865 288531), muhammad.talib@anthro.ox.ac.uk.

The Jewish Chaplains are Rabbi Michael and Tracey Rosenfeld-Schuler (07717 742835), michael@mychaplaincy.co.uk; tracey@mychaplaincy.co.uk, www.mychaplaincy.co.uk.

The Roman Catholic Reps in College are Carol Mak and Marta Arnaldi, pui.mak@magd.ox.ac.uk; marta.arnaldi@magd.ox.ac.uk. **The Roman Catholic Chaplaincy** is run by Senior Chaplain Fr Matthew Power SJ (01865 276993), matthew.power@jesuits.net. The Assistant Chaplain is Fr Keith McMillan SJ (01865 276990), k.p.mcmillan.sj@gmail.com; catholic.chaplaincy@ox.ac.uk.

The Hindu Chaplain is Shaunaka Rishi Das (01865 304303), shaunaka@ochs.org.uk.

The Greek Orthodox Priest of Holy Trinity Church is Protopresbyter Ian Graham (01865 200717).

The Russian Priests are Fr Seraphim Vanttinen Newtonon (01993 772834), frseraphim@btinternet.com and Fr Stephen Platt, fr.stephen.platt@gmail.com.

The Buddhist Chaplain is the Venerable Dr Khammai Dhammasami (01865 791591), oxford_buddhavihara@yahoo.co.uk; www.oxfordbuddhavihara.org.uk.

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