Welcome

All members of the College are invited to use the Chapel as a place for quiet reflection, prayer and worship. Services are conducted according to the rites of the Church of England, but people of all faiths - and of none - are welcome to attend. A multi-faith prayer room is also available to use on the west side of Cloisters.

The Dean of Divinity (Chaplain)

The Reverend Dr Andrew Bowyer
Cloisters IV:2
andrew.bowyer@magd.ox.ac.uk

Andrew is a Church of England Priest. He offers pastoral care to College members and officiates at Chapel services, assisted by the Chaplains and Ordinands on placement.

The Assistant Organist

Mr Alexander Pott
apott@mcsoxford.org

As the Informator Choristarum is on study leave during Hilary Term 2024, the Choir will be run by the Assistant Organist, Alexander Pott, assisted by the Organ Scholars, Edward Byrne and Henry Morris.

Chaplains
The Reverend Professor Robert Gilbert  Fellows’ Chaplain
Dr Ralph Walker  Founder’s Chaplain
Professor Jeremias Adams-Prassl Deputy Founder’s Chaplain
The Reverend Professor Sabina Alkire  Honorary Chaplain
The Reverend Wealands Bell  Honorary Chaplain
The Reverend Dr Laura Biron-Scott  Honorary Chaplain
Mrs Christina Peacock  Assistant Chaplain

Sacristans
Martin Gazi, Joseph Gillson, & Talav Bhimnathwala

Verger
Ms Joan Jones

Ordinands
Mr Parker Williams
Ms Amy Taylor

Chapel Administrator: chapel@magd.ox.ac.uk
Mr Edmund Racher 01865 286701

Choir Administrator  choir@magd.ox.ac.uk
Mrs Jo Burnett 01865 286701

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TIMES OF SERVICES IN FULL TERM

Sunday 9.45am Morning Prayer
Cloisters IV:2
Coffee is served from 9.30am
11.00am Sung Eucharist 6.00pm Choral Evensong
Followed by a light lunch in Hall  Followed by refreshments in the Antechapel

Monday 8.30am Morning Prayer No evening service
Tuesday 8.30am Morning Prayer 6.00pm Choral Evening Prayer
6.00pm Sung Compline
Wednesday 8.30am Morning Prayer 6.00pm Choral Evensong
Thursday 8.30am Morning Prayer 6.00pm Choral Evensong
Friday 8.30am Morning Prayer 6.00pm Choral Evening Prayer
Saturday No morning service 6.00pm Choral Evensong

SPECIAL SERVICES THIS TERM

Sun 14 January 6.00pm Festal Evensong for Epiphany Season
Sun 21 January 6.00pm Choral Evensong with Admission of Sacristan
Thurs 25 January 6.00pm Festal Evensong for the Conversion of St Paul
Sat 27 January 6.00pm Choral Evensong with prayers for Holocaust Memorial Day
Fri 2 February 6.00pm Sung Eucharist with Procession of Candles for Candlemas
( The Presentation of Christ in the Temple)
Thurs 8 February 6.00pm Choral Evensong with Distribution of Claymond’s Dole
Mon 12 February 6.00pm Roman Catholic Mass
Tue 13 February 6.00pm Compline & Benediction for Shrove Tuesday
Wed 14 February 6.00pm Sung Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes for Ash Wednesday
Sat 17 February 6.00pm Choral Evensong sung jointly with the Foundation Scholars of
Pimlico Musical Foundation
Fri 1 March 6.00pm Festal Choral Evensong for St David’s Day
Sat 2 March 6.00pm Choral Evensong sung jointly with the Schola Cantorum of
Hereford 6th Form College
Sun 17 March 6.00pm Evensong before the St Patrick’s Day Dinner
Sat 25 March 6.00pm Evensong before the Gaudy (1967-70)

HOLY WEEK & EASTER 2024

27 March MAUNDY THURSDAY
6.00pm Sung Eucharist Rheinberger Cantus missae

28 March GOOD FRIDAY
11.00am Liturgy of Good Friday Sanders The Reproaches, Lotti Crucifixus à 8

31 March EASTER SUNDAY
11.00am Sung Eucharist Langlais Messe solennelle
### Homilies, Sermons and Addresses

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### Baptism & Confirmation

Those who are interested in being baptised, confirmed or admitted to Holy Communion are invited to contact the Dean of Divinity, in anticipation of a special service at which the Bishop of Oxford will officiate at 11am, Sunday 12 May, 2024.

### Retiring Collections

Donations collected in Chapel in Hilary Term will support the work of British Red Cross: Israel and Palestinian Occupied Territory Appeal [https://www.redcross.org.uk/](https://www.redcross.org.uk/)
OPPORTUNITIES FOR VOLUNTEERING

**In the Chapel...** We encourage volunteers interested in reading, ushering or assisting as altar servers at Chapel services. Contact the Head Sacristan, Martin Gazi (Martin Gazi, martin.gazi@magd.ox.ac.uk) to find out more.

**In the community...** *The Porch Day Centre, Cowley:* a charity supporting the homeless and vulnerably housed in Oxford.  [www.theporch.org.uk](http://www.theporch.org.uk)

*The Oxford Hub:* a service that connects student volunteers to community projects.  [www.oxfordhub.org](http://www.oxfordhub.org)

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**DEAN OF DIVINITY’S DRINKS**

*Weekly, Tuesdays, c. 9.30pm (following Compline), Old Practice Room.*

Port, cheese, snacks and soft drinks available. All are welcome!

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**CHAPEL COMMUNITY RETREAT**

*Friday 22 March to Monday 25 March 2024, Cambridge*

A time to walk, read, explore and relax. This retreat is open to students, staff and Fellows of the College. Please contact the Dean of Divinity for more information and/or to express interest.

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**CHAPEL VOLUNTEERS’ DINNER**

*Saturday 13 January, 7.00 pm, Terry Newport Room*

Chapel volunteers (readers, ushers, & sacristans), and prospective volunteers, are invited to attend a special Chapel service (6pm), followed by dinner. Register with the Dean of Divinity.

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**THE ADDISON SOCIETY**

*Weekly, Thursday, 1-2pm, Cloisters IV:2* A forum for conversation about the arts, culture, current affairs and spirituality. A new topic is considered each week. A free sandwich lunch is provided. Look out for the Eventbrite invitation in the weekly Chapel email.

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**SEMINARS & TALKS**

**Spirituality and Pain: The Positives and the Pitfalls**

*Sunday 11 February, 4.30 pm, Terry Newport Room*

**Professor Amy Wachholtz**  *Associate Professor, Psychology, University of Colorado Denver*

Religion and spirituality (R/S) can have a powerful influence on health. This influence can be a positive or a negative, depending on the characteristics of the individual and the role of the R/S components. In this talk, a multi-faceted bio-psycho-social-spiritual model of health will be explored.
SEMINARS & TALKS (cont.)

PERSPECTIVES ON RECENT TRENDS IN POLITICAL ISLAM & ISLAMISM
Wednesday 14 February, 8.45 pm, Sophia Sheppard Room
Professor Raihan Ismail  His Highness Sheikh Hamad Bin Khalifa Al Thani Professor of Contemporary Islamic Studies, University of Oxford
Places for both events can be reserved via the Eventbrite link in the weekly Chapel email.

HILARY TERM INTER-FAITH DINNER

Wednesday 31st January, 7.00pm, Sophia Sheppard Room
An opportunity for those of different religious faiths at Magdalen to gather for food and conversation. The Roman Catholic Chaplain to the University, Fr Damian Howard SJ will be our guest of honour. Sign-up via the Eventbrite link in the weekly Chapel email.

ADDITIONAL FAITH CONTACTS

Scan the code for details of various faith societies and belief groups, and to connect with Roman Catholic, Orthodox Christian, Jewish, Muslim, and Buddhist chaplains.
Student faith contacts include:

Jonathan Taylor jonathan.taylor2@magd.ox.ac.uk  JCR Faith Officer
Rafiah Niha rafiah.niha@magd.ox.ac.uk  Muslim Student Rep.
Rabbi Michael Rosenfeld-Schueler michael@mychaplaincy.co.uk  Jewish Chaplaincy
Shaunaka Rishi Das shaunaka@ochs.org.uk Hindu Chaplaincy
Eleanor Roberts Eleanor.roberts@magd.ox.ac.uk Christian Union
Ciaron Tobin ciaron.tobin@magd.ox.ac.uk  Roman Catholic Student Rep.

CHAPEL & CHOIR WEBSITES

The Music List, giving details of all services, can be found at both the Chapel and Choir websites, together with other information about both the Chapel and Choir. Regular videos are provided on the YouTube channel, and there are regular social media posts.

www.magd.ox.ac.uk/chapel-and-choir/  www.magdalencollegechoir.com

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