



The Cathedral and Metropolitan Church of Christ, Canterbury

Welcome to our Services on 29th January 2012

Candlemas Sunday

The Fourth Sunday after The Epiphany

8.00am Holy Communion BCP – High Altar

The Service begins in The Book of Common Prayer page 236. The readings are on pages 72-73.

If you wish to receive communion without the need to climb the steps to the High Altar, please take a seat at the bottom of the steps during communion and the sacrament will be brought to you.

9.30am Matins – Nave

The King's School

11.00am Sung Eucharist and Procession to the Font – Quire

3.15pm Choral Evensong - Quire

Responses: Bernard Rose

Psalm: 34 *The Book of Common Prayer pages 519-520*

First Reading: 1 Samuel 3. 1-20

Canticles: Sir Edward Bairstow in D

Second Reading: Matthew 13. 10-17

Anthem: I was glad – Sir Hubert Parry

I was glad when they said unto me,
We will go into the house of the Lord.
Our feet shall stand in thy gates, O Jerusalem.
Jerusalem is builded as a city,
that is at unity in itself.
O pray for the peace of Jerusalem,
they shall prosper that love thee.
Peace be within thy walls,
and plenteousness within thy palaces.

Hymn: 156 t. 288 - *during which a collection will be received*

6.30pm Canterbury Christ Church University Service for Candlemas



Refreshments will be served in the Chapter House following today's Sung Eucharist. All are welcome. There will also be a Fairtrade stall.

Funerals: Sadly there are three to announce, to which all are welcome.

June Goodwin, Thursday 2nd February 2pm Western crypt.

Margot Pollard, Wednesday 8th February 2pm at Barham Crematorium – funeral according to the rites of Judaism. Everyone is most welcome to attend.

Thanksgiving service for the life of the late Joan Priestman, following a private funeral, Thursday 23rd February 2pm in the Western crypt.

The Friends of Canterbury Cathedral GIANT BRING AND BUY SALE

Saturday 4th February 2012. 10.30am to 1.30pm in the Chapter House. Pick up a bargain at The Friends' Giant Bring and Buy Sale!

Labelled clothes, scarves, hats, belts and costume jewellery, games, toys, books by subject, antiques, unwanted presents and bric a brac, cakes, refreshments, tombolas, and much more.....

Please bring items for donation to the Chapter House on Friday 3rd February from 2.30pm to 5.30pm or on the day from 9.30am.

For information call The Friends' Office on 01227 865292.

Normal Precincts charges apply.

A Chamber Recital with Catherine Parkin (Mezzo soprano) Grenville Hancox (Clarinet) and Matthew Shipton (Piano), will be held in the Cathedral crypt at 6.15pm on Friday 10th February 2012, with a retiring collection for the Choristers of Canterbury Cathedral. The programme, which was part of The Canterbury Festival, is Six Songs and more.... including "6 German songs" by Louis Spohr for voice, piano and clarinet.

Lent Lunches will once again be held at No. 15 The Precincts every Tuesday over 5 weeks, commencing 28th February, 12-2pm. Come and warm yourselves with delicious home made soups and crumble and custard. All proceeds will go to charity, and there will also be a Fairtrade stall. If you would like to volunteer in any capacity, please contact Sarah Condry on 01227 865228.

Confirmation Preparation: Groups will be starting in February for adults and young people who would like to explore Christian faith and/or prepare for confirmation. If you would like to be involved please contact Canon Clare. 01227 865227 or canonclare@canterbury-cathedral.org.

Evening meals during Holy Week. The Cathedral Lodge refectory will open for evening meals for 4 nights from 2-5th April, for those attending the Archbishop's lectures and the Maundy Thursday liturgy. This will be a two course meal followed by tea or coffee and service for the main course will be from 6pm to 6.30pm. On the nights of the lectures seating will be reserved in the cathedral until 7.25pm for those eating in the refectory. These meals must be booked and paid for in advance at a cost of £12.95 per person or £50 for all four evenings. Menus available and tickets on sale after 11am Sunday services and from Cathedral House reception Monday to Friday office hours, from Sunday 5th February.

Canterbury NADFAS are holding a 3 day course **Pray/Paint Your Own Icon** Tuesday - Thursday 29-31 May 2012 (Daily 11am – 4pm) at St. Peter's Anglican Church, St. Peter's Street, Canterbury.
TUTOR: Peter Murphy. Cost £75 (deposit £50 to reserve place).
For more details contact: - John Shirland on 01227 769586

Bikes for Africa – They just keep coming! We are still collecting bikes at Number 15, The Precincts. Old or new, decrepit or smart- all will be given a thorough makeover at the Dover immigration centre bike workshop before being shipped out. Thank you for your wonderful help with this marvellous recycling work.

Sarah Condry

The Collection: If you are a UK tax payer we would encourage you to use the Cathedral's Gift Aid envelope for your donation. Please ensure that you complete all sections of the envelope including the box confirming that you are a UK taxpayer. The Cathedral will reclaim an extra 25p for every £1 placed in the envelope. Gift Aid envelopes can be obtained from the stewards.

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If you would like to give regularly to the Cathedral we can provide you with a personalised envelope to save you completing an envelope each week. Alternatively you can pay by standing order. Please contact the Cathedral's Accounts Department if you would like further information. accounts@canterbury-cathedral.org or telephone 01227 862763.

Cheques should be made payable to 'Dean and Chapter of Canterbury'.

Large print copies of the orders of Service are available from the stewards. They will be pleased to help you.

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