

## Community News:

### Canterbury Medieval Pageant - July 1st

The Medieval Pageant is back and the Cathedral is taking part in the Trail activities. Then it's time to join the pilgrimage – grab your trail leaflet and head off on a special journey around medieval Canterbury. There are 18 different locations offering a range of activities from medieval crafting to dragon hunting.

Visit the Cathedral Welcome Centre and get involved with the creation of an animal tapestry. For more information visit:

[www.canterburybid.co.uk/canterbury-medieval-pageant](http://www.canterburybid.co.uk/canterbury-medieval-pageant)

### A La Carte Dining in the Refectory Restaurant:

The Cathedral Lodge is delighted to be offering non-residents the opportunity to enjoy an indulgent à la carte dinner on Wednesday to Saturday evenings in the Refectory Restaurant. With direct access to the terrace and garden there is also the option of alfresco dining in the summer months. Call the Cathedral Lodge or visit the website to see a sample menu. 01227 865350 –

[www.canterburycathedrallodge.org](http://www.canterburycathedrallodge.org)

### Can you help ?

As part of the Cathedral's involvement in the Medieval Pageant Day on the 1st of July, we are offering a tapestry inspired activity for children. The activity is inspired by the 'Bayeux tapestry', and children will create drawings/colouring-in/collages of animals/people to stick on a large roll of paper which will support themes from Medieval times. Please SAVE your newspapers, magazines and cards with images of humans and animals on which children can cut out and use, in an attempt to be more sustainable! Also SAVE egg boxes and any spare rolls of lining/wall paper you are no longer using please. To donate your items, please take them to the Visits Office in Cathedral House. The cut-off date for items to be received is Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> of June.

### Warden of Jesus Hospital Canterbury

House provided and an honorarium provided for warden duties. Open to lay or ordained applications. See [Warden and Clerk to the Trustees of Jesus Hospital, Canterbury - Diocese of Canterbury \(canterburydiocese.org\)](http://www.canterburydiocese.org/warden-and-clerk-to-the-trustees-of-jesus-hospital-canterbury)

Please send submissions for the Pew Sheet to:

[tobin.wallace-sims@canterbury-cathedral.org](mailto:tobin.wallace-sims@canterbury-cathedral.org) by Wednesday please

If you would like to make a donation to the Cathedral, please use the following link:  
<https://www.canterbury-cathedral.org/get-involved/donate/online-form/>



## THE CATHEDRAL AND METROPOLITAN CHURCH OF CHRIST, CANTERBURY Welcome to our services for the week beginning Sunday 25th June 2023

Third Sunday after Trinity

### You are more than welcome to join us at any of the following daily services

Weekend Services (Sat & Sun)		Weekday Services (Mon—Fri)	
8.00	Holy Communion	7.30	Matins
9.15	Matins	8.00	Holy Communion
11.00	Choral Eucharist (Sunday)	11.00	Bell Ceremony
15.00	Huguenot Service (in French, Sunday only)	12.30	Holy Communion (Wednesdays and Feast Days)
17.30	Choral Evensong	17.30	Choral Evensong

### Additional Services and Events taking place this week:

Mon 26th June	14.30	<b>TALK: The Ravenmaster</b> – a life with Ravens at the Tower of London. See inside for details
Tue 27th June	All day	<b>Foundations of Faith: A Journey through Early Christianity in Kent</b> More details inside
Thu 29th June	12.00	<b>Mothers' Union Monthly Prayers</b> Monthly prayer meeting hosted by the Mothers' Union, all welcome to join. In the Jesus Chapel in the Crypt.
Thu 29th June	12.30	<b>Festal Holy Communion</b> for the Feast of St Peter and St Paul, in Our Lady Undercroft. Join us to celebrate the two giants of the early church—St Peter, the chief Apostle, and St Paul, the Apostle to the Gentiles
Thu 29th June	18.30	<b>Works of Mercy, Week 6: Visit the Prisoner</b> Number 7 of 8 free talks on the Works of Mercy, featuring a different theme and speaker each week. Free tickets available from Eventbrite.
Fri 30th June	12.00	<b>Midday Recital</b> Informal Midday Recital by St Thomas' Chamber Choir. All those visiting the Cathedral are welcome to attend.

## Dates for your diary at the Cathedral and across the city:

### The Works of Mercy: *Being the Hands and Heart of Christ*

An eight part series of talks given by those who work with the most vulnerable in our society. At the heart of the Cathedral's Benedictine foundation is the gospel call to care for and welcome those in need as if they were Christ. This active service within the world forms part of the long history of the Cathedral. In these eight talks, each on one of the seven works of mercy, we will hear from members of the Diocesan Social Justice Network including those who minister to the most vulnerable in our society, and explore together how we can reflect the compassion and mercy of Christ in our own way. The talks take place in the **Community Studio beginning at 18.30 and ending by 19.30**, all welcome.

- **29<sup>th</sup> June** – *Visit the Prisoner* with Rev'd Nick Ash, Chaplain of HM Prison Elmley
- **6<sup>th</sup> July** – *Bury the Dead and Concluding Comments* with Rev'd Dr Emma Pennington, Canon Missioner of Canterbury Cathedral

For further information please email Canon Emma on [emma.pennington@canterbury-cathedral.org](mailto:emma.pennington@canterbury-cathedral.org)

### Foundations of Faith: A Journey through Early Christianity in Kent

The tour takes the visitor from the arrival of the Frankish, Christian Princess Bertha to marry the pagan King Ethelbert of Kent in 580 AD and the arrival of St Augustine into Canterbury in 597 to the creation of the Abbey that bears his name. We uncover the hidden history of St Martin's Church, England's oldest parish church, used by Queen Bertha, the Frankish (French), Christian queen who, with her pagan husband King Ethelbert, welcomed St Augustine to Kent. The influence of the Benedictine abbey of St Augustine was decisive throughout the middle ages in England and the influence of this monastic centre, and its scriptorium, extended far beyond the boundaries of Kent. We discover how the Cathedral evolved from its early beginnings to present-day status as mother church of the worldwide Anglican Communion.

For more information, email [info@canterburyunescotour.co.uk](mailto:info@canterburyunescotour.co.uk)

### TALK: The Ravenmaster – a life with Ravens at the Tower of London

Chris Skaife has been Yeoman Warder Ravenmaster at the Tower of London since 2011 – a job for which he was selected by the ravens themselves.

Chris will speak about his life as a Yeoman Warder and how he became the only Ravenmaster in the world. He will tell us more about the ravens antics and how they are free to fly during the day – but also how he persuades them return to their cages at nightfall. For 'If the ravens leave the Tower, the kingdom of Britain will fall...'. Tickets: £8 Friends of Canterbury Cathedral, £10 non-members, includes tea and coffee on arrival.

To book please contact the Friends' Office (01227 865292) before midday on Monday 26th June

## Summer Evening Private Tour Of The Cathedral, with Dinner and Pianist, 2nd August

This very special evening includes a private 'out of hours' guided tour of the Cathedral – with the chance to gain access to some parts which are not always open to the public – followed by a sumptuous 3-course à la carte dinner, with a pianist to entertain, in our Canterbury Cathedral Lodge Refectory Restaurant. To make a reservation, please call 01227 865350 or email [events@canterburycathedrallodge.org](mailto:events@canterburycathedrallodge.org)

### Monday 31st July, A Day Exploring the Gardens of Canterbury Cathedral

Join the team at Canterbury Cathedral for a fascinating day exploring gardens and garden history at Canterbury Cathedral. The day will start with coffee, followed by a talk by the members of the Cathedral's gardening team, and a chance to see some items from the wonderful collections of the Archives and Library relating to gardens and wildlife. After a hot two-course lunch at Canterbury Cathedral Lodge, you will be led on a tour to see some of the gardens themselves. We will finish the day enjoying afternoon tea and the option to attend Evensong, sung by the Cathedral choir.

To book, please email us at [events@canterburycathedrallodge.org](mailto:events@canterburycathedrallodge.org) or call 01227 865350 and ask to speak to our events team.

### Canterbury Cathedral Archives and Library Tour, and Afternoon Tea

We welcome you to enjoy a splendid afternoon learning about the rich collections of printed books, archives and manuscripts held at the Cathedral and the viewing of some important examples from the medieval collections.

A Full Afternoon Tea will be served in the delightful Refectory Restaurant which overlooks a pretty courtyard garden.

Afternoon Tea consists of a selection of teas and coffee, afternoon tea sandwiches to include egg and cress (v), smoked salmon, Cheddar cheese and pickle (v), ham and grain mustard; scones with clotted cream and strawberry preserve (v) followed by Rich fruit cake and Lemon Cake (v). For specific dietary or allergy information, please ask your event co-ordinator for advice.

£28 per person (10% discount for Friends of Canterbury Cathedral).

To book, go to <https://www.canterburycathedrallodge.org/events/cathedral-archives-library-tour-afternoon-tea/>

### Are you looking for a new way to serve your Lord? Street Pastors

Street pastoring is an opportunity for Christians to serve others, to show the love of Jesus in a practical way and to share the Good News on the streets of our city.

Canterbury Street Pastors are offering the opportunity for ten new street pastors to train alongside their award-winning team. Could you be one of the ten who help to make the streets of Canterbury safer?

If you could spare one evening a month and have a heart for your community, why not come out on patrol with us and experience our ministry first hand? For more information please contact [coordinator@canterburystreetpastors.org](mailto:coordinator@canterburystreetpastors.org)