Safeguarding: Do you need to talk?

Are you concerned about the safety of a child, young person or vulnerable adult? Or is there something that you would like to discuss that affects you?

A safeguarding concern is anything that may impact the safety and wellbeing of a child, young person or vulnerable adult; if they are being neglected, harmed or at risk of being harmed by others or themselves, and are in need of protection. To report a non-emergency safeguarding concern please scan the QR code and complete our online form or email safeguarding@canterbury-cathedral.org

TO REPORT AN EMERGENCY SAFEGUARDING CONCERN PLEASE CONTACT THE CATHEDRAL CONSTABLES OFFICE:

Located by the main entrance to the Precincts, Christ Church Gate. Alternatively, please call 01227 866237



Diocesan Adviser for LGTB+ People

Mark Wilson has been appointed by Bishop Rose as the Diocesan LGBT+ Adviser. This ministry, commissioned by Bishop Rose, continues to be committed to nurturing welcoming, inclusive, and supportive environments for LGBTQ+ people, their families and friends, clergy and pastoral workers, in the Diocese of Canterbury. Mark also worships at the cathedral assisting with our children's work. He can be contacted via LGBT@diocant.org

Friends Events coming up

Thursday, 19 September 2024, 10.30, Clagett Auditorium FRIENDS' TALK GIVEN BY CANON TIM: 'Highly Spiced Novelties'? The Anglican Church in All the World. Canon Tim has lived and worked with the Church in different parts of the Anglican Communion, including south India, Zaire (as it then was) and Uganda. In this talk he'll combine stories from his experience with bits of the story of the Anglican Church worldwide. He will also reflect on the Anglican Communion today and the challenges it faces, and the place and work of our Cathedral within it. And he will ponder the importance of effective cross-cultural communication in our world, which is where the 'highly spiced novelties' come into it...

£10 Friends, £15 Friends' guests, includes tea and coffee on arrival Summer Serenade: Friday, 20 September 2024, 18.30, Campanile Garden
Join us after Evensong for a late-summer evening of cocktails and canapés whilst we are entertained by some of our talented Cathedral musicians, led by David Wilcock.
We shall enjoy a mixed medley of classical and folk music in the stunning garden of The Lodge which overlooks our Cathedral.

Tickets: £20 Friends, £25 Friends' guests

Please send submissions for the Pew Sheet to:

tobin.wallace-sims@canterbury-cathedral.org by Wednesday please



THE CATHEDRAL AND METROPOLITICAL CHURCH OF CHRIST, CANTERBURY Welcome to our services for the week beginning Sunday 8th September 2024 Harvest Festival - The King's Accession Day Canon in Residence: The Reverend Dr Tim Naish

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 Bank Holidays)
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	Taizé Prayer - Mondays (16/9-21/10) Holy Communion - Wednesdays
17.30	Choral Evensong	17.30	Choral Evensong Thursdays said Evening Prayer

Journeying with Creation

Throughout September we shall be marking Creationtide through our liturgy, preaching, and a quiet day (see over) celebrating all that God has made for us. Today we are celebrating **Harvest Festival** at our Sung Eucharist. We welcome Liz Rook from All Saints Food Larder as our preacher this morning. The season will conclude with the annual Pet Blessing Service at 3pm on Sunday 6th October.

Admission of members of the Choral Foundation at Evensong today

Today at 5.30 we install new members of the choir: choristers, scholars and lay clerks. Do come along to support those who do much to enrich our worship.

Cathedral clergy out and about in the Diocese

Today the Archdeacon is at St John, Margate, to rededicate their ring of bells.

Children's Church - week 2 - new pattern of worship for children

As part of our Sunday morning Eucharist we invite children aged 5-11* to join us for from 10.30am in the Community Studio, where through story, songs, craft and games we worship together before joining the rest of the church family in the Cathedral for communion. *Under 5s are welcome to attend Children's Church, but must be supervised by an adult at all times. In addition, for little ones in the Cathedral there are some toys and resources with space to crawl in the North Transept, please ask a Steward for details.

Dates for your diary and news from the Cathedral and around the local area.

FILM CLUB: TODAY, 2.00pm, Cathedral Lodge AV Room.

Do come and join us for this month's film **The Death of Stalin**. Director Armando Iannucci; Writers: Fabien Nury, Thierry Robin, & Armando Iannucci. A British comedy drama in which the remaining members of the Secretariat of the Communist Party vie for power in the aftermath of Stalin's demise. Very strong language, brief strong violence

Return of Taizé Prayer - Mondays at 12.30pm

As a new term begins, Taizé Prayer returns on Mondays at 12.30—from 16th September to 21st October. The service takes place in the Western Crypt and the singing is supported by our Choral Scholars. There will be a workshop on Monday 9th September, in the Community Studio for all those who would like to learn the new songs that we will be singing this term and to share in fellowship together. Please feel free to bring a sandwich for lunch. Drinks and cake will be provided!

A Creationtide Quiet Day Saturday 21 September, 10:00-16:00

'All that is made': Contemplating Creation with Julian of Norwich. An opportunity to reflect on the beauty of creation and our place within in through the writings of Julian of Norwich. The quiet day is led by Canon Emma & held in the Jesus Chapel with an opportunity to reflect using the peaceful space of All Saints Chapel and the Quiet garden in No 15. The event is free but donations are kindly accepted. There will be a lunch break during the event; you are welcome to bring your own refreshments to enjoy in the grounds of the Cathedral, or there are many local cafes and eateries to choose from just outside the Christ Church Gate. Book via the Cathedral website.

Canterbury Community Shelter (CCS) - Catching Lives

CCS is a winter shelter for adults who are homeless in Canterbury. The shelter is run by local homelessness charity Catching Lives, in partnership with local churches. We plan to open from mid-December 2024 to mid-March 2025, with space for up to 15 people a night. Catching Lives' paid staff will cover evenings and waking nights, supported by teams of volunteers who cook evening meals, transport bedding, and provide a warm welcome. Catching Lives will be working with the council and other local agencies to help people move on from CCS into more stable accommodation.

Volunteers – can you help?

Kitchen volunteers: cooking and serving a hot evening meal at Catching Lives' Centre on Station Road East. We meet shelter guests at the Centre around 6pm, share a meal, and then staff will walk with guests to that night's venue. **Host volunteers:** welcoming guests as they arrive at the church, providing refreshments and maybe playing board games and chatting to people as they settle ahead of lights out. **Volunteer drivers:** transporting bulky bedding packs between the Centre and churches, ideally with access to an estate car. Needing in the evenings and early mornings. **Contact** For further info or offer support, please contact Tasmin Maitland: tasmin@catchinglives.org

Thursday 31st October 2024: Journeying Together: an Intergenerational Pilgrimage and exhibition workshop

As part of our theme of 'Journeys', and in support of our Cross-Currents exhibition, you are warmly invited to join us for a pilgrimage to Canterbury Cathedral. Suitable for all ages, you can make your pilgrimage as long or as short as you wish - a gentle stroll from Westgate Gardens or the full 10 miles from St Mary's Church, Chilham; half an hour or half a day. Whichever you choose, we would love for you to be involved as we journey together, following in the footsteps of generations of pilgrims. There is no charge to take part. We will start our pilgrimage in Wye, with stops where you can join us along the way (please see below for locations, times, and terrains). The most accessible sections are from St Mary's Church, Chilham to the train station, along the River Stour to Westgate Gardens, and on to the Cathedral. There's something for everyone. Alternately, you can hop on the train and walk just a section, but please do join us in whatever way suits you. We also invite you to gather natural items along the way to mark your journey. At the end of the pilgrimage, you will then have the opportunity to participate in a workshop with Frances Carlile, the artist behind our Cross Currents exhibition to craft these items into your own unique boat, which will be added to the larger fleet inside the Cathedral as a symbol of your day's pilgrimage and the longer journey of life.

Friendly Singing for Wellbeing - St Paul's Church Hall, Canterbury, CT1 1NH

Turn up for a cuppa and a biscuit followed by some sociable singing to put a smile on your face, led by Jamie Rogers, Assistant Director of Music, and our Choral Scholars. ALL welcome – rusty singers included! Free to attend but donations welcomed. Please join us between 14.00-15.00 on the following Mondays: 9 September, 14 October, 11 November, 9 December. Supported by The Friends of Canterbury Cathedral For more information email friends@canterbury-cathedral.org or phone 01227 865292

Sponsored Walk, Ride and Stride - Saturday 14th September

Saturday 14th September is the annual Walk, Ride and Stride in aid of the Friends of Kent Churches. Sylvie Plested from the cathedral community is aiming to visit at least 17 churches in the city and surrounding area and is looking for sponsors - (half of what she raises will go to the Friends of Kent Churches and half to the Cathedral). If you would like to sponsor Sylvie, please email her at sylvie_plested@yahoo.co.uk

Open Home - Sat 5th October 10am-4pm, Sun 6th October 12.15-4.00pm

David Monteith, David Hamilton and Barney the Lurcher have moved into a section of the Deanery. They will host an 'open home' for people from the Cathedral community to visit the refurbished Deanery. Cups of tea/coffee will be provided by Cathedral Lodge including post—eucharist refreshments. We hope that people will enjoy a visit to the Deanery and in return we ask for generous donations which will go towards the Friends of Canterbury Cathedral. The restoration this far has been funded by grants from The Friends and The Cathedral Trust. We are aware that there is much more work still to be undertaken to conserve and renew the Deanery and to bring it into wider use. Please note that it is a personal home and that universal disabled access is not available. No parking is available on site for this event.