Merton College Chapel

Merton College was founded by Walter de Merton on 14 September 1264. Worship has been offered in the College Chapel for over seven hundred years. Today the Chapel is home to a lively and diverse Christian community which continues this faithful offering of worship with daily services during term. Visitors are welcome to join members of the College at all our services.

The Chapel is part of the Church of England, within the worldwide Anglican Communion, and the Archbishop of Canterbury is the College’s Visitor. All those who are communicant members of their own church are welcome to receive Holy Communion with us.

A Choral Foundation was established at Merton in 2008. The College Choir, directed by Benjamin Nicholas, sings on Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays. Its patron is Peter Phillips, the founder and director of The Tallis Scholars. Members of College and Friends of the Choir can purchase the College Choir’s recordings and Benjamin Nicholas’ organ discs at a discounted price from the Verger (leah.collins@merton.ox.ac.uk). Copies are also available from the Porters’ Lodge and the College website (www.merton.ox.ac.uk).

Girl choristers from a variety of local schools were admitted to the Choral Foundation in 2016, and sing Evensong on Wednesdays.

The Chapel supports a number of charities throughout the year. Our collections this term will be donated to Daybreak, an Oxford based charity providing care and support to help people live well with dementia.

Simon Jones
Chaplain
MICHAELMAS TERM 2021

OCTOBER
10 The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity (1st week)
   9.00am Eucharist
   5.45pm Freshers’ Service
   Prelude Psalm Prelude Set I, Op. 32, No. 1 Howells
   Introit Peace I leave with you Beach
   Responses Smith
   Psalms 127, 128
   Canticles Magnificat Mozart
          Nunc Dimittis Stanford in C
   Anthem I was glad Parry
   Hymns ‘O God beyond all praising’, 353, 408
   Preacher The Revd Canon Dr Simon Jones
   Chaplain
   Voluntary Imperial March Op. 32 Elgar

11 Monday
   8.15am Morning Prayer

12 Tuesday
St Wilfrid of Ripon 8.15am Morning Prayer
   6.15pm Choral Evensong
   Prelude Prelude in G major BWV 568 Bach
   Responses Martin
   Psalm 107
   Canticles Fauxbourdons Byrd
   Anthem Beati quorum via Stanford
   Hymn 225
   Voluntary Sketch No. 1 Schumann
13 Wednesday

St Edward the Confessor

8.15am Morning Prayer
6.15pm Choral Evensong
Prelude Preludio 'Sine Nomine' Howells
Responses Plainsong
Psalm I19.129-152
Canticles Berkshire Service Archer
Anthem Lift thine eyes Mendelssohn
Hymn 220
Voluntary Paean Howells

14 Thursday

8.15am Morning Prayer
1.15pm Organ Recital by James Thomas
6.15pm Choral Evensong
Prelude Psalm Prelude Set 1, Op. 32, No. 2 Howells
Responses Smith
Psalm 116
Canticles Howells in B minor
Anthem Cantique de Jean Racine Fauré
Hymn 269 (i)
Voluntary Psalm Prelude Set 1, Op. 32, No. 3 Howells

15 Friday

St Teresa of Avila

8.15am Morning Prayer
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6.15pm  Choral Evensong
   Prelude  Trio sonata No. 3 in D minor: I. BWV 527  Bach
   Responses  Byrd
   Psalm  136
   Canticles  Noble in B minor
   Anthem  The Lord bless you and keep you  Rutter
   Hymn  250
   Voluntary  Organ Sonata No. 1 in F minor, Op. 65: II  Mendelssohn

21  Thursday
     8.15am  Morning Prayer
1.15pm  Organ Recital by Benjamin Sheen
6.15pm  Choral Evensong
   as part of the Oxford Lieder Festival
   Prelude  Organ Symphony No. 10, Op. 73 ‘Romane’: I  Widor
   Responses  Frances-Hoad (first performance)
   Psalm  138
   Canticles  Howells in B minor
   Anthem  Like as the hart  Howells
   Hymn  245
   Voluntary  Choral varié sur le thème du “Veni Creator”,
              Op. 4  Duruflé

22  Friday
     8.15am  Morning Prayer
24  The Last Sunday after Trinity (3rd week)
   9.00am  Eucharist
   5.45pm  Choral Evensong and
           Commemoration of Benefactors
Prelude  Prelude, Fugue and Chacone in C major
          BuxWV 137  Buxtehude
Introit  The souls of the righteous  Vaughan Williams
Responses  Frances-Hoad
Psalm  145
Canticles  Stanford in A
Anthem  Te Deum in G  Vaughan Williams
Hymns  440 (omit*), 391, 427
Address  Fra’ John Eidinow
          Fellow, Dean and
          Keeper of the Statutes and Bylaws
Voluntary  Final (Sonata No. 1 in D minor)  Guilmant

25  Monday
   8.15am  Morning Prayer
   6.30pm  Evening Prayer

26  Tuesday
   St Alfred the Great  8.15am  Morning Prayer
   6.15pm  Choral Evensong
Prelude  Trio Sonata No. 3 in D minor: III BWV 527  Bach
Responses  Frances-Hoad
Psalm  9
Canticles  Fauxbourdons  Byrd
Anthem  The souls of the righteous  Vaughan Williams
Hymn  456
Voluntary  Master Tallis’s Testament  Howells

27  Wednesday
   8.15am  Morning Prayer
   6.30pm  Evening Prayer
28  St Simon & St Jude, Apostles (Thursday)
     8.15am Morning Prayer
     1.15pm Organ Recital by Kentaro Machida
     6.30pm Evening Prayer
     7.30pm Choir Concert at the Sheldonian
          Requiem Mass  *Mozart*

29  Friday
     8.15am Morning Prayer
31 The Fourth Sunday before Advent (4th week)

9.00am Morning Prayer
5.30pm Requiem Eucharist
Setting Requiem Mass Mozart
Hymns ‘Be still my soul’, 331

NOVEMBER
1 All Saints’ Day (Monday)
8.15am Morning Prayer
6.30pm Evening Prayer

2 All Souls’ Day (Tuesday)
8.15am Morning Prayer
6.00pm Choral Evensong recorded for broadcast on BBC Radio 3
Introit Rise heart, thy Lord is risen Vaughan Williams
Responses Martin
Psalm 105
Canticles Stanford in A
Anthem Te Deum in G Vaughan Williams
Hymn 120
Voluntary Organ Symphony No. 10, Op. 73 ‘Romane’: I
Widor

3 Wednesday
8.15am Morning Prayer
4.00pm Choral Evensong broadcast live on BBC Radio 3
Introit The souls of the righteous Vaughan Williams
Responses Martin
Psalms III, II, II6
Canticles Howells in B minor
Anthem The House of the Mind Howells
Hymn 461
Voluntary Psalm Prelude Set I, Op. 32, No. 3 Howells
Thursday
8.15am  Morning Prayer
1.15pm  Organ Recital by Benjamin Nicholas
6.15pm  Choral Evensong
  Prelude  Récit de tierce en taille  de Grigny
  Responses  Byrd
  Psalm  118
  Canticles  Short Service  Weelkes
  Anthem  In Paradisum  Fauré
  Hymn  462
  Voluntary  Toccata in F major  BuxWV 157  Buxtehude

Friday
8.15am  Morning Prayer
7 Third Sunday before Advent (5th week)

9.00am Eucharist
5.45pm Choral Evensong
Prelude Praeludium in E minor Bruhns
Introit In manus tuas Tallis
Responses Martin
Psalm 46
Canticles Purcell in G minor
Anthem Wie lieblich sind deine Wohnungen Brahms
Hymns 436, 467, 339
Preacher The Revd Dr Michael Brierley
Director of Formation
Ripon College, Cuddesdon

Voluntary Prelude and Fugue in A minor BWV 543 Bach

8 Monday
Saints & martyrs

8.15am Morning Prayer
6.30pm Evening Prayer

of England

9 Tuesday

8.15am Morning Prayer
6.15pm Choral Evensong
Prelude Romanza Walton
Responses Smith
Psalms 36, 40
Canticles Fauxbourdons Andreas
Anthem Christe Jesu, pastor bone Taverner
Hymn 457
Voluntary Cathédrales Vierne
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14  Remembrance Sunday (6th week)
    9.00am  Eucharist
    10.50am Act of Remembrance
    5.45pm  Choral Evensong
          Prelude  Fugue et choral Honegger
          Introit  They shall grow not old Guest
          Responses  Martin
          Psalm  95
          Canticles  Collegium Regale Howells
          Anthem  Greater love Ireland
          Hymns  377. 'Eternal God', 252
          Preacher  The Revd Professor William Whyte
                   Professor of Social and Architectural History
                   St John's College
          Voluntary  Passacaglia in C minor BWV 582 Bach

15  Monday
    8.15am  Morning Prayer
    6.30pm  Evening Prayer

16  Tuesday
    St Margaret of Scotland  8.15am  Morning Prayer
    6.15pm  Choral Evensong
            Prelude  Pastorale Op. 19 Franck
            Responses  Smith
            Psalm  67
            Canticles  Walmisley in D minor
            Anthem  For lo, I raise up Stanford
            Hymn  'As stars adorn the night-veiled sky'
            Voluntary  Sketch No. 2 Schumann
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24 Wednesday

8.15am Morning Prayer

6.15pm Choral Evensong
Prelude Ave Maria in D flat major, Op. 80 Reger
Responses Plainsong
Psalms 121, 122
Canticles Dyson in C minor
Anthem Song of Peace Stanford
Hymn ‘We give God thanks’
Voluntary Passacaglia in D minor Reger

25 Thursday

8.15am Morning Prayer

1.15pm Organ Recital by Katherine Pardee

6.15pm Choral Evensong
Prelude Allegro marziale e ben marcato
(Six Organ Pieces) Bridge
Responses Smith
Psalms 131, 132
Canticles Stanford in B flat
Anthem Sing my soul, his wondrous love Rorem
Hymn 172
Voluntary Sonata No. 1: III Howells

26 Friday

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28 The First Sunday of Advent (8th week)
   9.00am Eucharist
   5.30pm Advent Carol Service II
      (for music, see previous page)

29 Monday
   8.15am Morning Prayer
   6.30pm Evening Prayer

30 St Andrew the Apostle (Tuesday)
   8.15am Morning Prayer
   6.15pm Choral Evensong
      Prelude Fugue in F major BWV 540 Bach
      Responses Smith
      Psalm 96
      Canticles Sumison in G
      Anthem How lovely are the messengers Mendelssohn
      Hymn 353 (omit*)
      Voluntary Variations sur un Noel Dupré

DECEMBER
1 Wednesday
   8.15am Morning Prayer
   6.15pm Choral Evensong
      Prelude Prelude in F minor BWV 534 Bach
      Responses Plainsong
      Psalm 76
      Canticles Fauxbourdons Moore
      Anthem How beautiful are the feet Handel
      Hymn 6
      Voluntary Fugue in F minor BWV 534 Bach
2    Thursday
     8.15am   Morning Prayer
     1.15pm   Organ Recital by Owen Chan
     8.30pm   Christmas Carol Service

3    Friday
     8.15am   Morning Prayer
CHRISTMAS VACATION

8 Wednesday
Conception 6.15pm Choral Evensong
of the Prelude Prelude in D major BWV 532 Bach
Blessed Responses Byrd
Virgin Psalm 10
Mary Canticles Third Service Moore
Anthem Ave Maria Bruckner
Hymn 10
Voluntary Fugue in D major BWV 532 Bach

10 Friday
6.00pm Christmas Carol Service
sung by the College Choir
at St Vedast-alias-Foster, London

11 Saturday
5.00pm Christmas by Candlelight
Christmas concert sung by the
College Choir and Choristers

12 Sunday
5.00pm Christmas by Candlelight
Christmas concert sung by the
College Choir and Choristers

15 Wednesday
6.00pm A Service of Lessons and
Carols for Christmas
sung by the Choristers and Lay Clerks

The first Choral Service of the Hilary Term
will be the Epiphany Carol Service
at 5.45pm on Sunday 16 January
sung by the College Choir and Choristers.
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The Friends of the Choir of Merton College support the current and future activities of the College Choir and the Girls’ Choir.

Friends receive regular newsletters from the Organist and Director of Music, reduced ticket prices on selected concerts and invitations to Friends’ events.

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CHAPEL SERVICES

Sundays
9.00am    Eucharist / Morning Prayer
           followed by breakfast in Hall
5.45pm    Choral Evensong / Choral Eucharist

Weekdays
8.15am    Morning Prayer (Monday to Friday)
6.15pm    Choral Evensong (Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday)
6.30pm    Evening Prayer (Monday)
CHAPEL TEAM

Chaplain
The Revd Canon Dr Simon Jones

Associate Chaplain
The Revd Dr Melanie Marshall

Reed Rubin Organist and Director of Music
Benjamin Nicholas

Organ Scholars
Kentaro Machida
Owen Chan

Student Chapel Officers

Pastoral Assistant
Oliver Wright

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Lizzie Casey
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