



LMH CHAPEL - HILARY 2025



Fridays at 6 p.m. – Choral Evensong

Week 1	24 January	Eve of Conversion of St Paul
Preacher	The Revd Dr Jane Baun Chaplain of Wadham College	
Week 2	31 January	<i>Towards</i> Candlemas
Preacher	The Chaplain	
Week 3	7 February	Proper 1 / Founders and Benefactors Dinner
	<i>No sermon</i>	
Week 4	14 February	St Valentine
Preacher	The Revd Sophie Schuil-Brewer Vicar of Holy Innocents Kingsbury, London and Area Dean for Brent	
Week 5	21 February	<i>Towards</i> Second Sunday before Lent
Preacher	The Revd Canon Professor Simon Oliver, Van Mildert Professor of Divinity & Head of the Theology and Religion Department, Durham University Canon Residentiary, Durham Cathedral	
Week 6	28 February	<i>Towards</i> Sunday next before Lent & the 90th anniversary of the dedication of the organ, baldacchino and altar ornaments (2 March 1935)
Preacher	Revd Dr Mariama Ifode-Blease Associate Priest, St James Piccadilly, London	
Week 7	7 March	St Perpetua, Felicity / Eve of International Women's Day
Preacher	The Revd Dr Julia Candy Chaplain of Hatfield College & St Cuthbert's Society, Durham University	
Week 8	<u>Thursday</u> 13 March, Last Evensong of Hilary Term	
	<i>No sermon</i>	

Ash Wednesday Service

Week 7	5 March – Choral Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes	
<u>5:45</u> p.m.	This is a joint service with Corpus Christi College, <i>in the Corpus Christi Chapel</i>	

Wednesdays at 9 p.m. – Compline & Taizé

Week 3	5 February	Taizé
Week 4	12 February	Compline
Week 5	19 February	Taizé
Week 6	26 February	Compline

Midday Thursday Services, 12:00-12:30 p.m.

Week 2	30 January	Said Eucharist
Week 3	6 February	Midday Prayer
Week 4	13 February	Said Eucharist
Week 5	20 February	Midday Prayer

Other Services

Week 7	Wednesday 5 March	Roman Catholic Mass
6 p.m.	<i>Mary O'Brien room</i>	

Holocaust Memorial Day

27 January marks the anniversary of the liberation of Auschwitz-Birkenau. Every year, numerous commemorations take place throughout the country, including in Oxford. This year's theme is 'For a better future'. You can find out more on the Holocaust Memorial Day Trust website: <https://hmd.org.uk/>

Events

Art Exhibition

In preparation for the Season of Lent, the Chapel will host (Weeks 3-8) a series of six paintings entitled the 'Black Passion' which the British artist Stanley Warren (1917-1992) created in 1959-1960 and which depict events of Holy Week.

Week 3 Tuesday 4 February, 5:45 p.m., Opening Event with drinks and talks – Chapel

Full Moon Watching, Garden Exploration, and Poetry

The garden will start showing signs of spring: this is an opportunity to explore the garden by moonlight (bring your i-phone too or torch) and share poetry about spring (bring your favourite poem!).

Week 4 Wednesday 12 February, 7:30 p.m. – Talbot Quad

Ramadan – Iftar Meal

In collaboration with ISoC, LMH will host an Iftar dinner open to all members of the College. This is an opportunity to learn about Ramadan and share a community meal.

Week 8 Day and time TBC. Sign-up by email.

Chamber Choir Concert

A wonderful concert to close Hilary Term, with orchestra.

Week 8 Friday 14 March, 6 p.m. – Chapel

Voluteering Opportunities

Peacemaking

In partnership with Initiatives of Change, UK, we continue our peacemaking sessions. The sign-up link will be shared by email.

Week 3 Saturday 8 February, 11 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. (brunch provided in hall)
Peacemaking Workshop, open to all members of LMH

The Oxford Winter Night Shelter (OWNS)

Throughout the Winter months (January-March), OWNS offers a safe space for people experiencing homelessness or who are vulnerably housed. They are in need of volunteers for short or long night shifts. Training is provided. Please reach out to the Chaplain or directly to OWNS, night.shelter.management@ownsoxford.org.uk or visit www.ownsoxford.org.uk

The Porch

The Porch Day Centre provides food, laundry facilities, showers, free clothing store, library, vocational skills training, and much more to people who are experiencing or have experienced rough sleeping, hostel accommodation, supported housing or are vulnerably housed.

If you would like to participate and offer time and skills, please reach out to the Chaplain.

The Chapel

Everyone (students, academic and non-academic staff) is welcome to the Chapel, regardless of their faith or beliefs. It is an inclusive space, where we celebrate the diversity of our community. You can come any time to take a break, light a candle, pray or just sit in silence. Our services are open to everyone and if you are interested in singing, do please email the Director of Music. If you would like to be a reader, or be involved in other ways in the life of the Chapel, please contact the Chaplain.

The Chaplain

The Chaplain (Revd Dr Stephanie Burette) oversees the College Chapel activities, through worship as well as through other events in College. She is here for all LMH members, is the College EDI Lead and Keeper of the Pictures. She is particularly interested in EDI matters, religious literacy, interfaith conversations, and the arts. Please reach out to her by email at stephanie.burette@lmh.ox.ac.uk (she/her)

The Music Team

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