
Cathedral Life Weekly



Trinity Sunday: Sunday 31 May 2026

Please email Anna with any notices by Wednesday 3 June at 5pm:
worship@chelmsfordcathedral.org.uk

SERVICES

Upcoming Services

- Sunday 31 May - At the 11.15am and 3.30pm services the Choristers will be given their surplices
- Thursday 4 June - Corpus Christi at 7.00pm, Choral Eucharist with incense
- Sunday 7 June - Community Volunteer Thank you Evensong at 3.30pm
- Monday 8 June - Diocesan Safeguarding Service at 7.00pm
- Sunday 14 June - Civic Service at 3.30pm
- Monday 15 June - Armed Forces Covenant Service at 5.15pm

Sunday 28 June - Patronal Festival, our combined service at 10.30am, we warmly invite everyone to stay for our **Cathedral Family Picnic** in Guy Harlings Gardens. We hope as many of our cathedral family as possible can join us for fellowship and fun, with activities for all ages. The Social Committee will provide hot drinks, soft drinks and cakes – please bring along anything else you would like to eat or drink. Some seating is available, but if you can, please bring a chair or picnic rug.

P.S. If the weather is unkind, we have a Plan B!

Junior Church on 31 May - we aim to meet in Guy Harlings Garden and on 7 June we hope to take part in the Churches Count on Nature survey in the Churchyard.

Junior Church usually meets on Sundays in the Chapter House except on an All Age Service. Refreshments served from 9.00am. The session begins at 9.30am and runs until Communion in the Cathedral.

Congratulations to Louis and Freddie who were Baptised last week.

Next All Age Service is Sunday 28 June.

MISSION & MINISTRY

Intercessions and prayer requests

If you would like to add anyone to our prayers lists (daily and Sunday), please speak to one of the clergy.

To arrange a Pastoral visit or if you need to receive Communion at home please speak to a member of clergy.

Prayers for Healing and Anointing take place on the last Thursday of every month during the 10.30am.

Dementia Awareness Training led by The Alzheimer's Society.

Thursday 11 June 11.30am - 1.30pm or 6.30pm - 8.00pm in the Chapter House.

Sessions are free and drinks will be provided. Book here:

www.tickettailor.com/events/chelmsfordcathedral or speak to Olivia.

STUDY

Breakfast with the Bible: meets both in person, in the Courtyard Library, and on Zoom from 8.30am to 9.15am on a Sunday morning. This term we will explore Genesis - focusing on Patriarchs, Matriarchs and all points in between. More information on the Cathedral website or speak to the clergy or to Valerie Anderson.

Book Club: We will be discussing our next book, 'Brotherless Night' by V V Ganeshananthan, on Monday 8 June at 7.30pm on Zoom. Please contact Sue Hawkings for further information by email: suelynnhawk@gmail.com.

NOTICES

Cathedral Coffee Morning every first Saturday of the month 10.00am - 12noon. Hot drinks, juices and scones available to buy.

The coffee morning on Saturday 6 June will be in St Cedd's Hall as there is a Diocesan Synod in the Cathedral.

Community Tea at Chelmsford Library, every Wednesday 10.30am-11.30am. Free event featuring a different community partner each week.

Sponsored Pedestal Arrangement: If you would like to sponsor a pedestal flower arrangement in memory of a loved one or to celebrate a special event, please contact Janice Goodman at the Cathedral Flower Guild on 07771 872213 or by email at j.goodmans@btinternet.com

This week's pedestal is sponsored by Sue and Peter Cross - 'To celebrate our 40th wedding anniversary'

Weddings, Baptisms and Cathedral School Admissions

If you are attending church and need to offer evidence of attendance for the Cathedral School, or a wedding or baptism - please speak to the sidespeople about the attendance register.

Stewardship Campaign

Our Chelmsford Cathedral Stewardship Campaign is running from 24 May to 28 June, highlighting opportunities to contribute both financially and through your skills to the life and service of the Cathedral. During this period, there will be information leaflets, videos, and sermons exploring the biblical foundations of stewardship, the joy of giving, and our shared calling to support the ministry and mission of the Cathedral.

Message from Jean Glading

Jean Glading and her family thank members of the congregation for their support and prayers, especially after Dan died and also particularly since Jean fell and broke her hip. She is much better now. However, Jean is moving to Aston-on-Trent this week. She will be living in a specially equipped flat, where it will be much easier for her family to visit her, as it is much nearer to Derby.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday Lunchtime Concerts 12 noon (tea and coffee from 11.30am)

5 June Tim Allen and Christine Westhoff - Organ and Soprano

Essex Book Festival: Anywhere But Here - Nicola Kelly

Saturday 20 June - 2.00pm

Nicola Kelly is an award-winning investigative journalist and writer focused on UK immigration and asylum.

www.chelmsfordcathedral.org.uk/events/event/essex-book-festival-anywhere-but-here-nicola-kelly

Peter and the Wolf

Saturday 27 June - 2.00pm

Chelmsford Cathedral Presents Peter and the Wolf. A musical adventure for children and their grown-ups!

Join us for a fun performance of Prokofiev's musical fairytale Peter and the Wolf in the beautiful surroundings of Chelmsford Cathedral. Together we'll hear the story of brave young Peter who encounters a cunning wolf in the forest near his home. With the help of his animal friends can Peter outsmart the wolf before it's too late? Come along to find out!

www.chelmsfordcathedral.org.uk/events/event/peter-and-the-wolf26

Sunday 31 May - Trinity Sunday

7.45am	Morning Prayer*	The Precentor
8.00am	Said Eucharist	The Precentor
9.30am	Sung Eucharist	President: The Dean Preacher: The Revd Canon Judith Maltby
11.15am	Choral Eucharist*	President: The Dean Preacher: The Revd Canon Judith Maltby
3.30pm	Choral Evensong with admission of Choristers	

Weekday

Mon 1	7.45am Morning Prayer • 8.15am Said Eucharist • 5.15pm Said Evening Prayer
Tue 2	7.45am Morning Prayer • 8.15am Said Eucharist • 5.15pm Sung Evening Prayer
Wed 3	7.45am Morning Prayer • 8.15am Said Eucharist • 5.15pm Plainsong Evensong
Thurs 4	7.45am Morning Prayer • 10.30am Said Eucharist • 5.15pm Choral Evensong • 7.00pm Corpus Christi
Fri 5	7.45am Morning Prayer • 8.15am Said Eucharist • 5.15pm Choral Evensong
Sat 6	7.45am Morning Prayer • 8.15am Said Eucharist • Said Evening Prayer

Sunday 7 June - First Sunday after Trinity

7.45am	Morning Prayer*	The Dean
8.00am	Said Eucharist	The Dean
9.30am	Sung Eucharist	President: The Revd Olivia Maxfield-Coote Preacher: The Dean
11.15am	Choral Eucharist*	President: The Precentor Preacher: The Dean
3.30pm	Community Volunteer Evensong	

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