



CATHEDRAL LIFE WEEKLY

SUNDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER 2024
14TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

T O D A Y

Today we welcome the **Saint John Singers** for both Choral Eucharist and Choral Evensong. We shall hear beautiful music by Schubert, Rutter, Stanford and Howells.

S E R V I C E S

Welcome to the new Director of Music

On Sunday 8th September we welcome Emma Gibbins, our new Director of Music. Her first service will be the 11.15am Choral Eucharist, followed by two Ordination services.

Ordinations

Please note that Sunday 8th September we shall be holding Ordinations in the Cathedral. There will be no Evensong as the Ordination services take place at 2pm and 4.30pm. Our morning services will continue as normal.

M U S I C

Friday Lunchtime Concert

Lunchtime Concerts will return on 13th September with an Organ recital.

Coming Soon: Enjoy an hour jam-packed with mesmerising music from Hans Zimmer and John William's most iconic cinema music performed by The London Film Music Orchestra. Friday 20th and Saturday 21st September, see our website for more details.

S T U D Y

Breakfast with the Bible

This returns on Sunday 8th September. Join online via the link on our website learning page or join in person from the Courtyard Library with light refreshments at 8.30am each Sunday morning.

This term we are looking at the Letters to the Thessalonians, perhaps the very first things that Paul wrote to the early church. Our first session this term will be led by our Interim Dean.

Ask Us Anything

Let's talk about God. Do you have questions you really want answered? What is it you want to know? If you have any questions you want to explore in a relaxed, friendly, open environment, please come along to one of our new drop-in sessions. The next one is Sunday 15th September at 5pm in the Cathedral.

Book Group (Zoom)

This month we are reading Cahokia Jazz by Francis Spufford, which we meet to discuss by Zoom on Monday 16th September at 7.30pm. All welcome. Contact sallydilley@tiscali.co.uk for the Zoom link.

Welcome Supper

On Tuesday 17th September we are hosting a welcome supper for new members of the congregation. If you are new, please join us for a free meal and chat at 6.30pm. It would help if you emailed Kate so that the right number of pizzas can be ordered, but it's not essential. If you would like to bring a dessert to share, that would be welcome.

Please contact Kate at kate.moore@chelmsfordcathedral.org.uk

Autumn Term Keene Lecture Series

'Will there be a Church of England after 2034? A short history 1534 – 2034, from the Act of Supremacy to today'.

We are delighted to welcome The Revd Dr Nicholas Cranfield FSA to deliver our Keene Lectures this term. Nicholas is vicar of Blackheath All Saints' in Southeast London. Before that he was Dean of Chapel and a Fellow of Selwyn College Cambridge where he taught.

He has been a regular arts correspondent for the Church Times for more than thirty years and writes widely on Art and Sacred Space. In 2007 he was elected a Fellow of the Society of Antiquaries of London.

The first lecture, 'A done deal' Henry VIII and the Break with Rome' is 7pm Tuesday 8th October. The following lectures are Tuesdays 29th October, 5th November and 19th November. All starting at 7pm.

N O T I C E S

Sponsored Pedestal Flower Arrangement

If you would like to sponsor a flower arrangement in memory of a loved one, or to celebrate an event, contact Jacky Fraser at the Cathedral Flower Guild, jackyfraser@hotmail.com or 07808 065005.

Little Robins

Our Baby and Toddler group is currently taking a summer break. We will restart on Wednesday 11th September.

Cathedral Safeguarding Officers

From September we will be appointing a new team of volunteer Cathedral Safeguarding Officers. The team is important in our continuing efforts to keep everyone safe at the cathedral. The recruitment pack and an application form are available from Canon Kate, who welcomes informal chats to discuss the roles and responsibilities and the appointment process. Please email kate.moore@chelmsfordcathedral.org.uk to arrange.

Pastoral Enquiries

For all pastoral concerns and needs please use the email address pastoralcare@chelmsfordcathedral.org.uk

E V E N T S

Coffee in the Cathedral

Join us in the Cathedral for coffee and cake on Saturday 7th September, 10am-12pm.

Mindful Moments

Calm your mind, relax your body and experience an evening of yoga inspired exercise and sound bathing on Friday 13th September 6.30pm in the magnificent surroundings of the Cathedral. Tickets on sale from the website.

50 Faces of the Holy Land exhibition

Curated by the Christian charity Friends of the Holy Land, this photographic exhibition is designed to highlight the resilience and faith of those living in the Holy Land. The exhibition will open on Monday 9th September and is free to visit.

To mark the exhibition a special Sung Evening Prayer on Wednesday 11th September at 5.15pm will be followed by an In Conversation event with Bishop Guli and Fr Nael Abu Rahmoun, Rector of Christ Church Nazareth hosted by Brendan Metcalfe, Chief Executive of Friends of the Holy Land.

The exhibition closes on Wednesday 18th September.

Riding Lights Theatre Company

We're delighted to be hosting a performance of Cups on a String, a new play by Riding Lights Theatre Company in partnership with Transforming Lives for Good, a Christian charity that helps churches to bring hope and a future to struggling children. The performance will on Saturday 19th October 7.30pm. Tickets are available to buy via [Ticketsource](https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/).

We will also be asking members of the congregation to help house the actors for a night and someone to prepare their hot meal before the performance.

TODAY**Sunday 1st September****14th Sunday after Trinity**

7.45am	Morning Prayer		<i>The Rev'd Canon Kate Moore</i>	<i>online only</i>
8am	Said Eucharist		<i>The Rev'd Canon Sebastian Harries</i>	
9.30am	Sung Eucharist	Presider	<i>The Rev'd Canon Kate Moore</i>	
		Preacher	<i>The Rev'd Canon Sebastian Harries</i>	
11.15am	Choral Eucharist	Presider	<i>The Very Rev'd Paul Kennington</i>	<i>also online</i>
		Preacher	<i>The Rev'd Canon Sebastian Harries</i>	
3.30pm	Choral Evensong	Presider	<i>The Rev'd Canon Sebastian Harries</i>	
		Preacher	<i>The Very Rev'd Paul Kennington</i>	

THIS WEEK

Monday 2 nd	7.45am	Morning Prayer		
	8.15am	Said Eucharist	5.15pm	Said Evening Prayer
Tuesday 3 rd <i>Gregory the Great</i>	7.45am	Morning Prayer	5.15pm	Evening Prayer
	8.15am	Said Eucharist		
Wednesday 4 th	7.45am	Morning Prayer		
	8.15am	Said Eucharist	5.15pm	Evening Prayer
Thursday 5 th	7.45am	Morning Prayer	10.30am	Said Eucharist
	8.15am	Said Eucharist	5.15pm	Evening Prayer
Friday 6 th	7.45am	Morning Prayer		
	8.15am	Said Eucharist	5.15pm	Evening Prayer
Saturday 7 th	7.45am	Morning Prayer		
	8.15am	Said Eucharist	5.15pm	Evening Prayer

NEXT WEEK Sunday 8th September Feast of the Blessed Virgin

7.45am	Morning Prayer		<i>The Rev'd Canon Sebastian Harries</i>	<i>online only</i>
8am	Said Eucharist		<i>The Very Rev'd Paul Kennington</i>	
9.30am	Sung Eucharist	Presider	<i>The Rev'd Olivia Maxfield-Coote</i>	
		Preacher	<i>The Very Rev'd Paul Kennington</i>	
11.15am	Choral Eucharist	Presider	<i>The Rev'd Canon Sebastian Harries</i>	<i>also online</i>
		Preacher	<i>The Very Rev'd Paul Kennington</i>	
2pm	Ordination Service			
4.30pm	Ordination Service			

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