



**KEBLE COLLEGE
CHAPLAINCY
2025**

TRINITY TERM

All are welcome to attend our services, whatever you do or don't believe.

They are a great opportunity to hear our wonderful choir, to take time out of a busy day, or to explore some of life's big questions.

Services

Services with Keble Choir

Sundays 5.30pm College Eucharist

Our main service of the week with the Choir and a thought-provoking talk
Followed by pre-dinner drinks

Tuesdays 6.00pm Choral Evensong

A 40 minute service of music and readings. A weekly musical highlight

Thursdays 9.00pm Compline by Candlelight

Sacred music, stillness, and meditation
30 minutes of calm at the heart of the week
Followed by port and hot chocolate

Special Services

Sun 27 Apr 5.30pm	St Mark's Day Celebration Keble's Annual Thanksgiving Service
Tues 6 May 6.00pm	Sports Service A celebration of Keble Sports with blessing of blades etc.
Sun 11 May 5.30pm	Corporate Communion with guests from Keble's Parishes & Chapel Curry
Wed 21 May 6.00pm	Joint Choral Eucharist with Keble & Oriel Chapel Choirs Sung in Oriel College Chapel
Sun 25 May 5.30pm	Rogation Sunday Celebrating nature with blessing of College grounds
Thu 29 May 8.15am	Ascension Day Ascension Prayers & Carols from Chapel Roof
Sun 8 Jun 5.30pm	Pentecost Multi-lingual Eucharist for the Feast of Pentecost
Sun 15 Jun 5.30pm	Final Sunday of the Year with Chapel Farewells & Chaplain's Garden Party
Fri 20 Jun 6.00pm	"Wholeway" Chapel with reflections from student leavers

Sunday Preachers

27 Apr	Sir Andy Street - <i>St Mark's Day Celebration</i> Former MD of John Lewis & Metro Mayor (Keble Alumnus)
4 May	Fr Max Kramer - Chaplain
11 May	Fr Fergus Butler-Gallie - <i>Corporate Communion</i> Assistant Chaplain
18 May	Bishop Mark Tanner Bishop of Chester
25 May	Fr Mark Williams - <i>Rogation Sunday</i> Vicar of St John the Divine, Kennington
1 Jun	Hollie Goodwin - Chapel Intern
8 Jun	The Revd Canon Lucy Davis - <i>Pentecost</i> Chair, National Association of Deans of Women's Ministry
15 Jun	Fr Max Kramer - <i>Trinity Sunday & Final Sunday of Year</i>

Daily Prayers (Mon-Fri)

8.15am	Morning Prayer/Mass on Weds (<i>followed by breakfast</i>)
6.00pm	Mon: Latin Mass; Tu: Evensong; Wed: Outdoors Prayer
Thu 6.30pm	Said Mass Fri 6.30pm Chapel Tour

Weekly Events

Mondays 1.00-1.50pm

Max's Lunch
Talk & Discussion & Sandwiches

Doughnut Tuesdays 3.45-4.15pm

Doughnuts & Coffee
Drop in for a break

Wednesdays 5.15-6.00pm

Nature Pilgrimage
Mindful exploration of Uni Parks

Craft Wednesdays 7.00-8.00pm

Crafts & Cake for grad students
HBAC MCR

Thursdays 7.15-8.15pm

Pizza & Ponder: Theology in Action
Free pizza and discussions

Fridays 6.30-6.50pm

Chapel Tour (20 mins)
An informal guided tour of Chapel
ending at the Light of the World

Max's Lunch (Mondays 1.00pm)

Max's Lunch is an informal opportunity to hear interesting people talking about interesting things and for discussion over a sandwich lunch provided by Fr Max. The talks are all accessible to people in any subject, they are an ideal opportunity to listen to ideas beyond our own disciplines. Finishes 1.50pm, it's ok to come late or leave early!

- 28 Apr **The Importance of Building your own Brain Matrix**
(Simon Butt, Neuroscience)
- 5 May **Hotbeds of Heresy: Oxford & Prague Universities in the 15th Century**
(Fergus Butler-Gallie, Assistant Chaplain)
- 12 May **One Genome: Tracking your DNA from the Cradle to the Grave?**
(Theodosios Kyriakou, Genetics)
- 19 May **The Daguerreotype: A Japanese History**
(Geoffrey Batchen, Art Historian)

Doughnut Tuesdays (3.45-4.15pm)

Free doughnuts, coffee, and chat every Tuesday in the Chaplain's Office (Keble 2901). Take a break from work and get an energy boost!

Craft Wednesday (Weds 7.00-8.00pm)

A weekly craft drop-in for grad students in the HBAC MCR. Drop in to express your creativity and find calm through crafts and friendly chat, as well as making fab ornaments for your room. Craft stuff all provided!

Pizza & Ponder (Thurs 7.15-8.15pm)

Theme: Theology in Action. Join to read passages from the great theologians and explore what their implications are for spirituality and life in general! All welcome & topics accessible to all. With free pizza.

Chapel Tours (Fridays 6.30pm)

A 20 minute guided tour of the Chapel exploring its history, architecture, and art. The tour ends with an optional five-minute meditation on Keble's greatest treasure: The Light of the World. An ideal opportunity to show off the Chapel to your guests before Formal Hall.

Eric Symes Abbott Memorial Lecture

Friday 23 May 5.30-6.30pm (Keble Chapel)
Writing in Good Faith: A Pilgrimage in Fiction, Film, and Thought
Rhidian Brook, Writer & Broadcaster, followed by drinks reception

Social and discussion-based events for all members of the College community.

These events are held in the Chaplain's Office (Keble L10 2901, above the Porters' Lodge) unless indicated otherwise.

Events

Key Contacts



Chaplain: Fr Max Kramer

Fr Max offers pastoral support to members of the College of all beliefs and backgrounds. His office is 2901 just above the Porters' Lodge and he is always happy for people to drop by for a chat, or to arrange a meeting email max.kramer@keble.ox.ac.uk



Chapel Intern: Hollie Goodwin

Hollie assists with all aspects of Chapel life, she is based at Keble and St Andrew's Headington for a year as she discerns a call to priestly ministry.

hollie.goodwin@keble.ox.ac.uk

Chapel & Events Clerks help Fr Max organise services and events:



Becky



Isaac



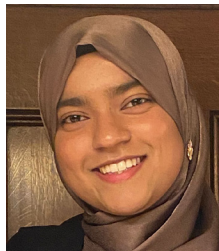
Max



Cecilia (Robes)



Jonathan (Tech)



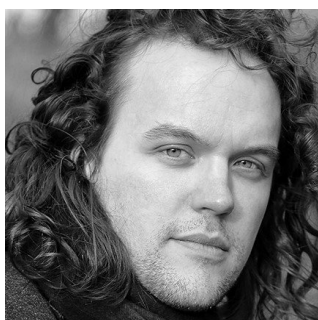
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Jamie



Holly



Director of Music: Christian Wilson

Christian directs the Chapel choir and the annual Keble Early Music Festival. He also supports other musical activities in College. If you would like to audition for the Choir or be involved in music in any other way contact christian.wilson@keble.ox.ac.uk



Music Administrator: Pippa Thynne

Pippa provides administrative support for the Choir and College's musical life. This includes supporting concerts, recordings, tours, and services, the annual Keble Early Music Festival, and the Keble College Music Society. pippa.thynne@keble.ox.ac.uk

Assistant Chaplain: Fr Fergus Butler-Gallie

Organ Scholars: Edward Gaut & Frederick Frostwick

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