Thursdays 21:00
Look out this term for the ancient office of Compline in a series of mystery locations; follow us on Twitter to find out or see the weekly Epistle.

Community Calling
Friday 11 May, 13:00 - 16:00, Nave
We are hosting our first Community Activism Fair, ‘Community Calling’. The aim of the fair is to gather together representatives of local organisations and connect them with city residents and students. The event will highlight local activism and also potential new supporters for these worthwhile causes.

Celebrating Oxford Pride
This Is Who I Am: LGBT+ Asylum Monologues
Friday 18 May, 19:30, Nave
An empowering and challenging performance by theatre company ice&fire, from first-hand accounts of LGBT+ people seeking asylum in the UK, addressing the particular challenges they face. Tickets £5. Followed by a drinks reception to launch the Oxford Pride exhibition.

‘True Colours’: Oxford Pride exhibition
Friday 18 May - Sunday 3 June, Adam De Brome Chapel
As Oxford Pride celebrates its tenth anniversary, explore its story as captured by local photographers and artists.

Pride Prayers
Saturday 2 June, 10:00-10:30, Nave
We begin the day of the Oxford Pride Parade with a simple service reflecting on freedom, love and identity.

For more information, please contact
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Curiosities of Oxford Architecture
Wednesday 23 May, 19:30 in the Old Library
Join us in the Old Library for an enlightening conversation between Professor Peter Davidson, Archivist and Fellow of Campion Hall, and Dr Oliver Cox, Heritage Engagement Fellow, The Oxford Research Centre in the Humanities.

Interfaith Friendship Walk
Thursday 28 June, 18:15 at the Synagogue
This annual walk starts at the synagogue at 18:15, pauses at the University Church and will finish by 20:00 at the Cowley Road Mosque. Refreshments will be offered at St Mary’s and at the Mosque. All welcome.
### Principal Services

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### Sunday Events

**Trinity Lunch**  
**Sunday 13 May, 12:00, Old Library**  
A bring and share lunch, following the morning service. All welcome.

**Children’s Church**  
**Every Sunday during the 10:30 Sung Eucharist**  
Children are invited to the Old Library for games, stories and activities during the service. For more information, contact Debbie Hall (debbietheduck@hotmail.com).

### Regular Services

**Sundays**  
10:30 Choral Eucharist

**Midweek Services (Monday - Friday)**  
09:00 Morning Prayer  
12:15 Holy Communion  
For details of Choral Evensong & Compline, please see the weekly Epistle.

**Latin Communion**  
Thursday 19 April, 08:00 in the Chancel

### Regular Events

**The University Church Book Club**  
Tuesdays, 24 April - 12 June, 18:00, The Nosebag  
Newcomers can join at any time; we will be reading Helen McDonald’s award-winning “H is for Hawk”. For more information please contact esther.brazil@universitychurch.ox.ac.uk

**Lunchtime Bible Study**  
Thursdays, 26 April - 14 June, 12:45-13:30, Vestry  
This follows the 12:15 Holy Communion in the Chancel. Please bring your own lunch. Hot drinks are provided.

**Reflection Morning: ‘Sandals and Selfies’**  
Saturday 16 June, 10:30, Old Library  
A discussion about pilgrimage in the modern world. Coffee, tea, and pastries are provided.

**Poetry Workshops**  
Wednesday evenings, 2, 16, and 30 May, and 13 June, 17:30-18:30, Old Library  
An informal creative writing group that gathers to learn more about reading and writing poetry.

### Special Events at the University Church

**Summer Music at St Mary’s**

**Choral Evensong**
- 8 July  Sixth Sunday after Trinity, 15:30, Frideswide Consort
- 15 July  Seventh Sunday after Trinity, 15:30, Ripley (C of E) Academy, Lancaster
- 22 July  Eighth Sunday after Trinity, 15:30, Gibbons: Short Service, Gibbons: Almighty and everlasting God
- 29 July  Ninth Sunday after Trinity, 15:30, Tallis: Short Service, Lloyd: View me, Lord

**August Organ Recitals**
- 5 August  James Brown, University Church, 15:30
- On subsequent Sundays during August, we will have a series of visiting recitalists.

**Special Events at the University Church**

**Being Human: A Quiet Day**  
Saturday 28 April, 10:00-15:30, The Cherwell Centre  
A guided day to explore, through prayer, reflection and silence, what it means to be human. Everyone welcome. Lunch is provided. £10 donation suggested (free for confirmation candidates), Booking required.

**Moot**  
Monday 14 May, 19:45-21:00, Old Library  
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