

# University of Exeter Anglican Chapels

## News and Events Pre-Freshers '21

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WELCOME

### Looking forward to Freshers' Week...

September has crept up on us and it will soon be Freshers' Week (begins 13th September, with most new students moving in from Friday 10th). Over the next couple of weeks please remember the new students in your prayers. Whether 18-years old leaving home for the first time, or mature students taking a leap of faith back into study, moving from across the world, or commuting from elsewhere in Devon, coming with the support of a loving family or moving from unstable circumstances—and everything

in between! - starting University is a big deal. Let's commit to giving the new students a genuine and heartfelt welcome to our community. Read on for details of Freshers Week activities in and around the Chapels. While most of the weekday events are especially for students, the local community are of course welcome to our Evensong and Sunday Chapel services, and it would be wonderful to see as many friendly faces as possible.

### Freshers Week at the University Chapels

**Weds 15th September, 12.00-15.00—Chapel Open Afternoon on Mary Harris Chapel piazza**

Come and see your University Chapel. Hear our choir. Enjoy some food and meet our Chaplains.

**Weds 15th September, 16.00-17.00—Chapel Choir 'Come and Sing' at Mary Harris Chapel**

Are you interested in singing? Would you like to try singing a service with our Chapel Choir? All welcome to this 'Come and Sing' before Evensong at 5pm.

**Weds 15th September, 17.00-17.45—Choral Evensong at Mary Harris Chapel**

An uplifting service of Evensong sung by our Chapel Choir, followed by tea and cake in the Old Library

**Thurs 16th September, 18.00-21.00— Anglican/Baptist/Methodist/URC Chaplaincy Welcome in the Neil Cross Room (upstairs in the Forum Library)**

Come and join some of the Chaplains for pizza and board games upstairs in the Forum Library.

**Sun 19th September, 9.10—Walking bus to St David's Church from Mary Harris Chapel**

Meet at 9.10am outside the Chapel to walk together to our parish Anglican Church for Holy Communion.

**Sun 19th September, 19.00-20.30—Welcome Service + Music set from Paul Field at Mary Harris Chapel**

At 7pm enjoy a contemplative Choral service sung by our Chapel Choir in the peaceful setting of our Chapel, featuring contemporary lighting and visuals. Followed at 7.45pm by a music set from renowned Christian musician Paul Field, sharing songs from his 'Politics of Kindness' and 'Being Myself' albums. Wine/juice will be served in between the service and music set.

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## Services and Events from 20th September

### Service Schedule from Week 1 of term (w/c 20th September)

<b>Sundays</b>	<b>19.00-19.30</b> Contemplative Choral Service at Mary Harris Chapel, followed by wine/juice <b>19.45-20.30</b> Speaker Series at Mary Harris Chapel
<b>Mondays</b>	<b>12.30-12.50</b> Lunchtime prayer at St Luke's (or Communion on the first Mon of the month)
<b>Tuesdays</b>	<b>12.30-12.45</b> Lunchtime prayer at Mary Harris <b>12.45-13.05</b> Holy Communion (said) at Mary Harris Chapel, followed by tea/coffee
<b>Wednesdays</b>	<b>12.30-12.50</b> Lunchtime prayer at Mary Harris <b>17.00-17.45</b> Choral Evensong at Mary Harris Chapel , followed by tea/coffee <b>19.00-20.30</b> Student Christian Movement Group in the Old Library and on Zoom
<b>Thursdays</b>	<b>12.30-12.50</b> Lunchtime prayer at St Luke's <b>21.15-21.30</b> Compline with Cantor at Mary Harris Chapel
<b>Fridays</b>	<b>9.30-10.30</b> Breakfast and Bible Study at the Imperial for students and staff <b>12.30-12.50</b> Lunchtime prayer on Zoom

## Our Sunday Evening Speaker Schedule

We're delighted to announce our list of speakers, artists and activists for Sunday evenings. Each will speak at 7.45pm after the 7pm contemplative service. All are welcome, so do spread the word! More details on each speaker to follow in our term card, which will be published in time for Freshers' week.

**19th SEPT : Paul Field, Music set**

**26th SEPT: Canon James Mustard**

**3rd OCT: Anthony Wilson, Poetry Reading**

**10th OCT : Liz Dunbar, Christian Climate Action**

**17th OCT : Gareth Sorsby, Exeter YMCA**

**24th OCT : Ben Bradshaw MP**

**31st OCT : Rt Rev Jackie Searle**

**7th NOV : Cllr Diana Moore**

**14th NOV : University Remembrance Service**

**21st NOV : Rev Carl Smethurst**

**28th NOV : Rev Prof Gina Radford**