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*to the Greater Glory of God*

UNIVERSITY CATHOLIC CHAPLAINCY  
CHapel of St Thomas Acre  
& THE NEWMAN ROOM

OXFORD UNIVERSITY  
**CATHOLIC CHAPLAINCY**

*Michaelmas Term 2021*



# CHAPEL OF ST THOMAS MORE

## Public Masses and Devotions

### ***Public Sunday Masses***

11am, 5.45pm and 9pm

### ***Student Mass***

8am Tuesday – Thursday (followed by breakfast)

### ***Public Weekday Mass***

12.15pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday

### ***Spanish Mass***

1.15pm on 1st Sunday of the month.

Contact: [misaencastellano@yahoo.com](mailto:misaencastellano@yahoo.com)

### ***Adoration and Night Prayer***

9pm Tuesday, for students and University members

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 11.30am – 12noon,

Sunday 10.15am – 10.45am,

and on request

## MASSES ELSEWHERE IN OXFORD

Oxford Oratory, St Aloysius Church, 25 Woodstock Rd

[www.oxfordoratory.org.uk](http://www.oxfordoratory.org.uk)

Blackfriars, St Giles

[www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk](http://www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk)

St Benet's Hall, 38 St Giles

[www.st-benets.ox.ac.uk](http://www.st-benets.ox.ac.uk)

# REGULAR EVENTS

Unless indicated, all events are in-person.

## *What Catholics believe* *Monday, 7pm, (6th to 8th wks)*

For those new to, or wanting to deepen, their Faith. An exploration of Catholicism through 'Sycamore'. The programme continues in Hilary.

## *'Who is my neighbour?'* *Tuesday evenings (details tbc weekly)*

Want to know the other Catholic communities in Oxford? Join us for weekly visits and talks (Campion, Blackfriars etc.). A great way to get a sense of who walks alongside us in a 'Synodal' Church!

## *Wednesdays and Fridays at the Chaplaincy* *8pm*

Reading groups on Wednesdays (C 20th Catholic literary greats, the Odyssey...) and social events on Fridays. Look out for announcements.

## *Newman Society* *Thursday evenings*

7pm supper, 8pm talk followed by Benediction, Adoration and Compline and social. Full details via the Newman Society term card.

## *'COP' Fridays!* *Friday, 1pm*

A weekly gathering over a simple lunch to consider how we care for our common home. With COP26 in view, and with the chance of a link-up with Fisher House to share inspirations – FHOP for COP!

## *Autumn Walks* *Across the week*

Register with the Chaplaincy for one-to-one walks and look out for led group walks.

# COLLEGE MASSES

Members of Colleges not listed, please do contact a Chaplain to see if a Mass can be arranged. Willing to be a College Rep? Let us know.

## College Rep

<b>Tue 12 Oct</b>	6pm	Corpus/Oriel	Anna Fleischer
<b>Mon 18 Oct</b>	6pm	Regents	Dominic Cook
<b>Tue 19 Oct</b>	6pm	Trinity	
<b>Wed 20 Oct</b>	6pm	Wadham	
<b>Fri 22 Oct</b>	6pm	Pembroke	Péter Juhasz / Ye-Ye Xu
<b>Mon 25 Oct</b>	6pm	Hertford	Eileen Casey
<b>Tue 26 Oct</b>	6pm	Magdalen	Anastasia Dundure / Abigail Whalen
<b>Wed 27 Oct</b>	6pm	Jesus	Jason Chess
<b>Fri 29 Oct</b>	6pm	St Hilda's	Claudia Driscoll
<b>Mon 01 Nov</b>	6pm	Keble	Madeleine Kelly
<b>Tue 02 Nov</b>	6pm	University	Peter Tully
<b>Wed 03 Nov</b>	6pm	New	Jane Cooper
<b>Fri 05 Nov</b>	6pm	St Peter's	
<b>Mon 08 Nov</b>	6pm	Exeter	Renzo Lam / Wojciech Magier
<b>Tue 09 Nov</b>	6pm	St John's	Alex Norris
<b>Wed 10 Nov</b>	6pm	St Hugh's	Rebecca Aspin
<b>Fri 12 Nov</b>	6pm	St Catz	
<b>Mon 15 Nov</b>	6pm	Worcester	Richard Mifsud
<b>Tue 16 Nov</b>	7.30pm	Christ Church	Ines Barrowcliff
<b>Wed 17 Nov</b>	6pm	Somerville & St Anne's	Vivian Ng
<b>Fri 19 Nov</b>	6pm	Merton	Carl Haller Von Hallerstein
<b>Mon 22 Nov</b>	6pm	Lincoln	Aisling Passmore
<b>Tue 23 Nov</b>	6pm	Brasenose	Nishen Menerapitiyage Don
<b>Wed 24 Nov</b>	6pm	LMH	Tereza Oprea
<b>Fri 26 Nov</b>	6.15pm	Queen's	Louisa Cullen
<b>Mon 29 Nov</b>	6pm	Mansfield / HMC	Vincent Elvin / Gus Gehlen
<b>Wed 01 Dec</b>	6pm	Balliol	Reuben Sharp
<b>Fri 03 Dec</b>	6.30pm	St Edmund Hall	Jasmine Jones

# THIS TERM

<b>1st Week</b> 10 – 16 Oct	<b>Sun 10 28th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b> 12noon Chaplaincy Community free lunch after 11am Mass <b>Fri 8</b> 7pm 'Godparents/Godchildren' event
<b>2nd Week</b> 17 – 23 Oct	<b>Sun 17 29th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b> Launch of the consultation on 'Synodality' <b>Mon 18</b> Feast of St Luke <b>Tues 19</b> Feast of St Frideswide
<b>3rd Week</b> 24 – 30 Oct	<b>Sun 24 30th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b> 11am Mass: Academic Mass for all University Members <b>Tues 26</b> 12.45pm Jesuit Refugee Service 'advocacy' lunch <b>Thurs 28</b> Feast of Ss Simon and Jude
<b>4th Week</b> 31 Oct – 6 Nov	<b>Sun 31 ALL SAINTS</b> COP26 begins in Glasgow <b>Mon 1</b> Feast of All Souls, Masses 8am (student Mass), 6pm (public Mass for deceased Alumni)
<b>5th Week</b> 7 – 13 Nov	<b>Sun 7 32nd SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b> 7pm <i>Week of Guided Prayer</i> Opening Meeting <b>Fri 12</b> 8pm <i>Week of Guided Prayer</i> Closing Meeting <b>Sat 13</b> Thomas More Lecture: His Eminence Cardinal Pell
<b>6th Week</b> 14 – 20 Nov	<b>Sun 14 33rd SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b> Remembrance Sunday <b>Mon 15</b> Launch of the Sacramental preparation programme
<b>7th Week</b> 21 – 27 Nov	<b>Sun 21 CHRIST THE KING</b> <b>Wed 24</b> <i>Red Wednesday</i> in support of persecuted Christians <b>Fri 26</b> Newman Society Mass of Thanksgiving and President's Dinner
<b>8th Week</b> 28 Nov – 4 Dec	<b>Sun 28 1st SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b> <b>Tues 30</b> 6pm Advent Carols
<b>9th Week</b> 5 – 11 Dec	<b>Sun 5 2nd SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b> Barmouth 'Retreat' begins  Chaplaincy Carol Singing (tbc)

# CHAPLAINCY LIFE

## ***Vocation Discernment***

Discerning your path in life. For more information, please contact one of the Chaplains.

## ***Spiritual Direction***

Contact Fr Matthew

## ***Sacramental Preparation***

For *Infant and Adult Baptism, Confirmation or Reception* into the Catholic Church, please contact Alvea; and for *Marriage preparation*, Fr William

## ***Ministry in the Liturgy***

Volunteers always welcome and needed as Readers, Servers and Singers. Please contact Alvea.

## ***Service and "care of our common home"***

Help serve the poor of Oxford with the *Companions of the Order of Malta*: [blessed.gerard.opn@gmail.com](mailto:blessed.gerard.opn@gmail.com). For other current volunteering opportunities: [www.oxfordhub.org](http://www.oxfordhub.org)

## ***Oxford Students for Life***

Contact [studentsforlife.oxford@gmail.com](mailto:studentsforlife.oxford@gmail.com)

## ***Oxford and Cambridge Lourdes Pilgrimage 2022***

Sunday 24th to Sunday 31st July. With a generous subsidy available. For more info: Fr. Matthew

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To stay up-to-date on all our events, go to:

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[www.catholic-chaplaincy.org.uk](http://www.catholic-chaplaincy.org.uk)



## The Newman Society: Oxford University Catholic Society

*For Catholic members of the University to reflect on  
and live their faith through prayer, talks and social events*

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