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UNIVERSITY CATHOLIC CHAPLAINCY
CHAPEL OF ST THOMAS AKBRE
& THE NEWMAN BOOTH

OXFORD UNIVERSITY
CATHOLIC CHAPLAINCY
Michaelmas Term 2023



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 – Saturday

Spanish Mass

1.15pm on 1st Sunday of the month.

Contact: misaencastellano@yahoo.com

Adoration and Night Prayer

as announced

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

Blackfriars, St Giles

www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk

St Edmund and St Frideswide, 182 Iffley Rd

www.greyfriarsoxford.uk

Holy Rood, Abingdon Rd

www.hinkseyparish.org

REGULAR EVENTS

What Catholics believe

Monday, 8pm (6th–8th wks) Blue Room

For those new to, or wanting to deepen, their Faith. Our programme of preparation for Baptism and Confirmation, open to all. Continues in Hilary and concludes in Trinity, when the sacraments are conferred.

'Who is my neighbour?'

Tuesday evenings (details tbc weekly)

Want to know the other Catholic communities in Oxford (Campion, Blackfriars etc.)? Join us for weekly evening visits.

Library Nights

Wednesday, 8pm (2nd–7th wks) Library

Let yourself be enthused by a fellow student as they present a favourite text, book, poem etc. Over a glass of wine or juice.

Newman Society

Thursday evenings

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

Postgrad Social

Fridays of Even Weeks (2nd, 4th etc.)

Alternating between Chaplaincy and 'outside' gatherings, a regular postgrad meet-up to foster the postgrad Catholic student community. Watch out for announcements

Autumn Walks

Across the term

A chance to discover the beauty of the surrounding countryside. Announcements to follow.

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

Tue 10 Oct	6pm	{ Corpus Oriel	Iain Bagnall Michal Harris-Edwards
Mon 16 Oct	6pm	Regents / St Cross	Andrei Lambert /
Tue 17 Oct	6pm	Trinity	Nathan Coundon
Wed 18 Oct	6pm	Wadham / Linacre	Rosa Thorne /
Fri 20 Oct	6pm	Pembroke	Matěj Kratky
Mon 23 Oct	6pm	Hertford	Jenny Grehan-Bradley
Tue 24 Oct	6pm (tbc)	{ Somerville St Anne's	Shaniah Da Costa Mariella Francis
Wed 25 Oct	6pm	Jesus	Shathuki Perera
Fri 27 Oct	6pm	St Hilda's	Emily Gorton
Tue 31 Oct	6pm	University	Dominic Seymour
Wed 1 Nov	6pm	New	Honora Driscoll
Fri 3 Nov	6pm	St Peter's	Tierney Hall & Adam Gardner
Mon 6 Nov	6pm	Magdalen	Ciaron Tobin
Tue 7 Nov	6pm	St John's	Laurence Raran
Wed 8 Nov	6pm	St Hugh's / St Antony's	James Garagnon /
Fri 10 Nov	6pm	Keble	Maria Mahony
Tue 14 Nov	7.30pm	Christ Church	Peter Varga
Wed 15 Nov	6.15pm	Queen's	Conor Boyle
Fri 17 Nov	6pm	Merton	Carl Haller Von Hallerstein
Mon 20 Nov	6pm	Lincoln	Ella Warde
Tue 21 Nov	6pm	Brasenose	Nishen Menerapityage Don
Wed 22 Nov	6pm	Worcester	Chiara Stark
Wed 29 Nov	6pm	Balliol	Tom Rolfe
Fri 1 Dec	5.30pm	St Edmund Hall	Isabel Fernandez-Victorio
TBC			
Mon 30 Oct	6pm	Mansfield	Leah Ng
Mon 13 Nov	6pm	LMH	Tereza Oprea
Fri 24 Nov	6.15pm	Exeter	Iñigo Bailon Gonzalez
Mon 27 Nov	6pm	St Catz	Ailsa O'Riordan

THIS TERM

1st Week 8–14 Oct	Sun 8 27th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR 12noon Chaplaincy Community free lunch after 11am Mass Fri 13 7pm 'Godparents/Godchildren' launch
2nd Week 15–21 Oct	Sun 15 28th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR Wed 18 Feast of St Luke Thurs 19 Feast of St Frideswide – walk to Binsey
3rd Week 22–28 Oct	Sun 22 29th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR 11am Mass: Academic Mass for all University Members Sat 28 Feast of Ss Simon and Jude
4th Week 29 Oct –4 Nov	Sun 29 30th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR Wed 1 ALL SAINTS, Masses, 8am (student Mass), 12.15pm, 6pm Thurs 2 Feast of All Souls, Masses: 8am (student Mass), 12.15pm, 6pm (for deceased Alumni)
5th Week 5–11 Nov	Sun 5 31st SUNDAY OF THE YEAR 7pm <i>Week of Guided Prayer</i> Opening Meeting Fri 10 8pm <i>Week of Guided Prayer</i> Closing Meeting Sat 11 Thomas More Lecture: Fr Wojciech Giertych OP
6th Week 12–18 Nov	<i>Interfaith week</i> Sun 12 32nd SUNDAY OF THE YEAR <i>Remembrance Sunday</i> Mon 13 8pm, Launch of <i>What Catholics believe</i> Fri 17 7pm <i>Nightfever</i> , <i>Blackfriars</i> Sat 18 10am, Chaplaincy Brunch
7th Week 19–25 Nov	Sun 19 33rd SUNDAY OF THE YEAR Wed 22 <i>Red Wednesday</i> in support of persecuted Christians Fri 24 Newman Society Mass of Thanksgiving and President's Ball
8th Week 26 Nov –2 Dec	Sun 26 CHRIST THE KING 12 noon Chaplaincy Community free lunch after 11am Mass Tues 28 6pm 'Advent' Carols Fri 1 Commemoration of the Oxford Martyrs (tbc)
9th Week 3–9 Dec	Sun 3 1st SUNDAY OF ADVENT Mon 4 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 Damian.

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, Singers and Eucharistic Ministers. Please contact Alvea.

Service and volunteering

Help serve the poor of Oxford with the *Companions of the Order of Malta*: blessed.gerard.opn@gmail.com. For other current volunteering opportunities: www.oxfordhub.org

'Green Impact' Chaplaincy Group

Help needed to move forward with the greening of the Chaplaincy. Contact one of the Chaplains.

Chaplaincy football

Saturday game (and pub after) and midweek training – get fit, have fun! Contact nathan.coundon@trinity.ox.ac.uk

Oxford Students for Life

Contact studentsforlife.oxford@gmail.com

Oxford and Cambridge Lourdes Pilgrimage 2024

Friday 19th–Saturday 27th July. With a generous subsidy available. 2023 Reunion: Saturday 10th Feb. More info: contact Alvea

Chaplains

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

  @OxfordChaplaincy

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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