

# WORSHIP SERVICES & CONCERTS

## March-April 2024



Great St Mary's is an open and inclusive Christian community. The University Church since 1209, we are a spiritual home for the University and the City of Cambridge, a Church of England parish, and a safe place to bring your questions and hopes.

We offer worship services throughout the week as well as on Sundays. Our principal Sunday service is at 10am, a welcoming service of Holy Communion with choir, preaching, children's church, and coffee & fellowship afterwards in Michaelhouse café, chapel and performance space on Trinity Street.

### SUNDAY SERVICES

8am	BCP Holy Communion
10am	Holy Communion* & Children's Church
4pm	Choral Evensong* (5pm in Summertime)

*Choral Mattins and University Sermons take place on some Sundays at 11.30am; please check inside this booklet or on our website for details.*

### REGULAR WEEKDAY SERVICES

Mondays–Fridays	9am	Morning Prayer* (except 1-5 April)
Mondays	12.30pm	Christian Meditation (Silent Prayer) in Michaelhouse
Tuesdays	10.30am	The Ark: Children's Communion in Michaelhouse
Wednesdays	12.30pm	Holy Communion
Wednesday <b>or</b> Thursday	5.15pm	Choral Evensong*
Thursdays in Term	7.30pm	HeartsEase (SCM student meeting) in Michaelhouse

*\*These services are livestreamed and available on Facebook/You Tube (Morning Prayer on Facebook only)*

### GETTING INVOLVED

**Study Groups:** There are a number of study groups which meet online and in person during the week to study scripture and explore theology and to pray together. Everyone is welcome. Please email [clergy@gsm.cam.ac.uk](mailto:clergy@gsm.cam.ac.uk) or speak to the clergy to find out more!

**Helping in the Church:** If you would like to read the lessons, serve at the altar, lead prayers, work with young people, sing in the choir or become a guide or a greeter, email us at [office@gsm.cam.ac.uk](mailto:office@gsm.cam.ac.uk) or speak to the clergy. There is a place for your gifts and talents at the University Church!

**Bell Ringing:** Learn about the great tradition of change ringing, with the Society of Cambridge Youths, [scy.org.uk](http://scy.org.uk) and the Cambridge University Guild of Change Ringers, [cugcr.org.uk](http://cugcr.org.uk)

## March

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>8am BCP Holy Communion; 10am Choral Eucharist and Children's Church; 11.30am Choral Mattins; 4pm Choral Evensong</b>
Monday	4	12.30pm	Christian Meditation in Michaelhouse, followed by soup lunch
Tuesday	5	10.30am	The Ark in Michaelhouse
Wednesday	6	12.30pm	Holy Communion in GSM
		1.00pm	Lent talk and soup lunch in Michaelhouse "The spiritual significance of water" Revd Imogen Nay
Thursday	7	10.30am	Chat-Play-Sing in Michaelhouse
		5.15pm	Choral Evensong
Friday	8		
		7.30pm	Heartsease in Michaelhouse
Saturday	9	9.30am	Women's breakfast in Michaelhouse
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>10</b>		<b>8am BCP Holy Communion; 10am Choral Eucharist and Children's Church; 4pm Choral Evensong</b>
Monday	11	12.30pm	Christian Meditation in Michaelhouse, followed by soup lunch
Tuesday	12	10.30am	The Ark in Michaelhouse
Wednesday	13	12.30pm	Holy Communion in GSM
		1.00pm	Lent talk and soup lunch in Michaelhouse "Laudato Si: challenges and opportunities in caring for our common home" Dr Hilary Marlow
		5.15pm	Choral Evensong
Thursday	14	10.30am	Chat-Play-Sing in Michaelhouse
		7.30pm	Heartsease in Michaelhouse
Friday	15		<b>University Term Ends</b>
Saturday	16	9.00am	Men's communion and breakfast in Michaelhouse
		1.00pm	Friends of Michaelhouse lunchtime concert in Michaelhouse
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>17</b>		<b>8am BCP Holy Communion; 10am Choral Eucharist and Children's Church; 4pm Festival Choral Evensong: Revd Canon Professor James Walters, LSE "Sacred texts or international agreements: which will save us from climate collapse?"</b>
Monday	18	12.30pm	Christian Meditation in Michaelhouse, followed by soup lunch
Tuesday	19	10.30am	The Ark in Michaelhouse
Wednesday	20	12.30pm	Holy Communion in GSM
		1.00pm	Lent talk and soup lunch in Michaelhouse "Sustainable eating" Dr David Grumett
Thursday	21	10.30am	Chat-Play-Sing in Michaelhouse
		5.15pm	Choral Evensong
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>24</b>		<b>8am BCP Holy Communion; 10am Procession, Eucharist and Children's Church; 4pm Choral Evensong with performance of John Stainer's: The Crucifixion</b>
Palm Sunday			
Monday	25	12.00pm	Silent Prayer in GSM
		12.30pm	Holy Communion in GSM
Tuesday	26	10.30am	The Ark in Michaelhouse
		12pm	Silent Prayer in GSM
		12.30pm	Holy Communion in GSM
Wednesday	27	12pm	Silent Prayer in GSM
		12.30pm	Holy Communion in GSM
<b>Triduum Preacher: Revd Dr. Ben Quash, Professor of Christianity and the Arts, Kings College, London: "This is My Body, Given For You".</b>			
<b>Maundy</b>	28	10.30am	Chat-Play-Sing in Michaelhouse
<b>Thursday</b>		7pm	Eucharist with foot washing and Vigil – Preacher: Revd Professor Ben Quash

<b>Good Friday</b>	29	11.30am	Act of Witness in front of Guildhall
		12.00pm	Silent Prayer in GSM
		12.30pm	Good Friday Liturgy – Preacher: Revd Professor Ben Quash
<b>Holy Saturday</b>	30	10am	Easter Garden decorating in GSM

**Easter Sunday 31** *Clocks go forward for summertime*

**5.30am Dawn Vigil and First Eucharist of Easter, 8am BCP Holy Communion; 10am Choral Eucharist (all ages) – Preacher: Revd Professor Ben Quash; 11.30am Choral Mattins**

## April

Monday	1		Easter Monday Bank Holiday ( <i>No Morning Prayer this week</i> )
Tuesday	2	10.30am	<i>No Ark this week (Easter)</i>
Wednesday	3	12.30pm	Holy Communion in GSM
		1.00pm	First Wednesday Lunch in Michaelhouse
Thursday	4	10.30am	<i>No Chat-Play-Sing this week (Easter)</i>
Friday	5		
Saturday	6		

**Sunday 7** **8am BCP Holy Communion; 10am Eucharist; 5pm Evening Prayer**  
**Easter 2**

Monday	8	12.30pm	Christian Meditation in Michaelhouse, followed by soup lunch
Tuesday	9	10.30am	The Ark in Michaelhouse
Wednesday	10	12.30pm	Holy Communion in GSM
Thursday	11	10.30am	Chat-Play-Sing in Michaelhouse
Friday	12	1.00pm	Free lunchtime concert in GSM
Saturday	13	9.30am	Women’s breakfast in Michaelhouse

**Sunday 14** **8am BCP Holy Communion; 10am Choral Eucharist and Children’s Church; 5pm Choral Evensong**  
**Easter 3**

Monday	15	12.30pm	Christian Meditation in Michaelhouse, followed by soup lunch
Tuesday	16	10.30am	The Ark in Michaelhouse
Wednesday	17	12.30pm	Holy Communion in GSM
		5.15pm	Choral Evensong
Thursday	18	10.30am	Chat-Play-Sing in Michaelhouse
Friday	19	1.00pm	Free lunchtime concert in GSM
Saturday	20	9.00am	Men’s communion and breakfast in Michaelhouse
		1.00pm	Friends of Michaelhouse free concert in Michaelhouse

**Sunday 21** **8am BCP Holy Communion; 10am Choral Eucharist and Children’s Church; 5pm Choral Evensong**  
**Easter 4**

Monday	22	12.30pm	Christian Meditation in Michaelhouse, followed by soup lunch
Tuesday	23		<b>University Term Starts</b>
		10.30am	The Ark in Michaelhouse
		11.45am	Mere’s Commemoration at St Bene’t’s Church: Dr Ruth Jackson Ravenscroft
Wednesday	24	12.30pm	Holy Communion in GSM
Thursday	25	10.30am	Chat-Play-Sing in Michaelhouse
		5.15pm	Choral Evensong
		7.30pm	Heartsease in Michaelhouse
Friday	26	1.00pm	Free lunchtime concert in GSM
Saturday	27		

<b>Sunday Easter 5</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>8am BCP Holy Communion; 10am Choral Eucharist and Children's Church; 5pm Choral Evensong</b>	
Monday	29	12.30pm	Christian Meditation in Michaelhouse, followed by soup lunch
Tuesday	30	10.30am	The Ark in Michaelhouse

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## MUSIC AT THE UNIVERSITY CHURCH

Great St Mary's has a long and rich tradition of music, with six choirs, two pipe organs, an orchestra, and weekly concerts.



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