

King's College Chapel

In 1859, the College Council approved a proposal by the College Chaplain that the original 1829 chapel should be reconstructed, agreeing that its 'meagreness and poverty' made it unworthy of King's. Gilbert Scott was asked to make proposals. His scheme was accepted and the reconstruction was completed in 1864 at a cost of just over $\pounds 7,000$. Today the Chapel remains at the heart of the College and continues to provide a crucial spiritual focus for the King's community with regular services and as a quiet space at the heart of the college.

The Chapel choir

King's London has a great Choral Tradition; in 1843 it was noted that "certain gentlemen connected with King's had...been efficiently supplying the choir." The choir is now a 30 strong scholarship choir led by our director of music, Joseph Fort. They sing each week in Chapel at our services, sing concerts and regularly record CDs

Choral Evensong

This takes place every Tuesday at 17.30. This service is principally sung by the Choir. They sing an Introit, the Psalm, Canticles and an Anthem. The service also includes a hymn which all are invited to sing, two scripture readings and prayers. Many people find that this provides a space in which to be still; to allow those thoughts and feelings, which are otherwise suppressed by a busy life, to come closer to us than life outside allows; and to catch a vision of God's glory in the beauty of holiness.

The College Eucharist

Every Wednesday during term we have a sung Church of England Eucharist, or Holy Communion service. The music will be sung by the Chapel Choir. We have a varied pattern of worship this semester which will include full Mass settings without sermons, traditional Eucharist services with sermons, interactive services and said services.

Wednesday 25 September

13.10 Opening of Year Ecumenical Service

Anthems: Love Endureth, Roxanna Panufnik

Os justi, Anton Bruckner

Preacher: Rev'd Dr Ellen Clark-King, Dean of King's College London

Tuesday 1 October

17.30 Evensong

Introit: Locus iste, Bruckner

Responses: Ayleward

Psalm: 66

Canticles: Coleridge-Taylor in F

Anthem: Seek him that maketh the seven stars, Dove

Wednesday 2 October

13.10 Eucharist

Setting: Mass for four voices, Byrd

Preacher: Rev'd Tim Ditchfield, College Chaplain

Tuesday 8 October

17.30 Evensong

Introit: Jubilate Deo. Lassus

Responses Tomkins Psalm: 126-127

Canticles: The Short Service, Gibbons

Anthem: Sing joyfully, Byrd

Wednesday 9 October

13.10 Eucharist Celebrating Latinx History Month Setting: Missa de S. Pedro de Alcantara, Garcia Speakers: Members of Empoderando Familias

Tuesday 15 October

17.30 Evensong

Introit: Te lucis ante terminum, Arakelyan

Responses: Trendell Psalm: 128-129

Canticles: Gloucester Service, K Briggs Anthem: Antiphona Ave Maria, Czarnecki

Wednesday 16 October

13.10 Eucharist Celebrating Black History Month

Anthems: Hymnus in honorem BMV de Monte Carmelo, Czarnecki

God be merciful, Hailstork

Preacher: Professor Anthony Reddie, Professor of Black Theology, University of

Oxford

Tuesday 22 October

17.30 Memorial Evensong to remember David Trendell (1964-2014)

Introit: Ego flos campi, Clemens non Papa

Responses: Trendell Psalm: 139

Canticles: The Second Service, Byrd Anthem: Faire is the heaven, Harris

Wednesday 23 October

13.10 Eucharist Black History Month in Music O ye that love the Lord, Coleridge-Taylor

Sanctus, Simon

No services in reading week

Tuesday 5 November

17.30 Requiem in a time of remembering

Setting: Duruflé

If you would like to have the names of people who have died read out in the service please email tim.ditchfield@kcl.ac.uk

Wednesday 6 November

13.10 Eucharist. Remembering Setting: Service in E, Darke

Preacher: tbc

Tuesday 12 November

17.30 Memorial Evensong for Lord Judge

Introit: A Hymne to Christ, I Holst

Responses: Rose Psalm: 74

Canticles: Service in C, Stanford

Anthem: My soul, there is a country, Parry

Wednesday 13 November

13.10 Inter Faith Week Service
Anthems: Sicut cervus, Palestrina

We shall walk through the valley, arr. Smith Moore

As part of Sanctuary Season, we will explore the meaning of 'sanctuary' through the diverse faith traditions at King's through prayers, music and readings.

Tuesday 19 November

17.30 Evensong

Introit: Abendlied, Rheinberger

Responses: Rose Psalm: 88

Canticles: St Paul's Service, Howells
Anthem: Like as the hart, Howells

Wednesday 20 November

13.10 Eucharist Disability History Month King's Communion Service, Nesbit

Preacher: Canon John Beauchamp Disability Ministry Enabler for the Diocese of

London

Tuesday 26 November

17.30 Evensong

Introit: The Call, Randall Responses: Forbes-L'Estrange

Psalm: 98

Canticles: Service in A, Stanford
Anthem: Let all the world, Tomlins

Wednesday 27 November

13.10 Ecumenical Eucharist.Setting: Missa Brevis in F, Mozart

Preacher: Rev'd Dr Simon Woodman, Baptist Chaplain

Wednesday 4—Friday 6 December 17.30 Advent Carols

Admission by ticket on Eventbrite

Tuesday 10 December

17.30 Christmas Carols by Candlelight

No ticket needed

Wednesday 13 December

13.10 Said Communion service

Sung services resume in the Chapel on Tuesday 16 January 2024

The Revd Dr Ellen Clark-King, *Dean*The Revd Tim Ditchfield, *Chaplain*

Dr Joseph Fort, *Director of Music* Jeremy Ng, *Organ Scholar*