Choral Evensong  Sundays at 6pm

Choral Evensong is our main service of the week. It combines profound and beautiful liturgy with ancient and modern music and hymns sung by the choir and congregation. Everyone is warmly invited for drinks with the Chaplain and the Provost after the service. It’s a nice way to begin an evening at formal dinner with friends.

Collections taken this term will be donated to Thrive, which works with young people from disadvantaged communities in the Oxford area. For more information visit www.thriveteams.org

Preachers at Evensong

First Week – 22 April  
4th Sunday of Easter

Harry, England, and Saint George!  
The Chaplain

Second Week – 29 April  
5th Sunday of Easter

Arise, Shine; For Thy Light Is Come  
The Revd Jonathan Fletcher
St Mary’s Church, Summerstown, Surrey

Third Week – 6 May  
6th Sunday of Easter

Atonement  
Professor Brian Leftow
Nolloth Professor of the Philosophy of the Christian Religion

Fourth Week – 13 May  
7th Sunday of Easter

The Word Of God Unleashed  
The Revd Dr Patrick Gilday
Benefice of Benson with Ewelme, Oxfordshire

Fifth Week – 20 May  
Pentecost, or Whit Sunday

The Spirit Will Lead You Into All Truth  
The Revd Jonathan Sedgwick
Church of St George the Martyr, Borough, SE1

Sixth Week – 27 May  
Trinity Sunday

The Trinity And Me  
The Revd Dr Liz Hoare
Tutor in Spiritual Formation, Wycliffe Hall

Seventh Week – 3 June  
1st Sunday after Trinity

Oops! I Did It Again  
The Revd Fiona Gibson
All Saints’ Church, Cople, Bedfordshire

Eighth Week – 10 June  
2nd Sunday after Trinity

The Leavers’ Service  
The Chaplain

Music Recitals  Sundays, 5.15-5.45pm (Weeks Two, Four, and Six)

Second Week – 29 April  

Johnson Lau, Senior Organ Scholar (Organ)

Fourth Week – 13 May  

Craig Ogden, Visiting Musician (Guitar)

Sixth Week – 27 May  

John Oxlade, Music Director, Mansfield College (Organ)
**Choral Communion**  *Thursdays at 6pm*

Our main midweek service with the choir. Everyone is welcome and you may participate as much or as little as you feel comfortable. Come for drinks in the Chaplain’s room afterwards.

**Weekday Services and Events**

**Morning and Evening Prayer**  *Mon-Fri, 8am, and Tues, Wed, Fri, 6pm*

Upstairs in the Newman Oratory, behind the organ. Twenty minutes to help you mark the beginning and end of the day.

**BCP Communion**  *Mondays, 6pm*

A short service of Holy Communion using the traditional language of the Book of Common Prayer. Finishes in time to catch informal dinner in Hall.

**Roundtable**  *Tuesdays, 12.30pm*

Join us for a free lunch and informal discussion week by week in the MacGregor Room. This term we’re talking about some building blocks of a Christian worldview. All welcome.

**Compline**  *Wednesdays, 9.30pm*

Relax and de-stress. Also known as Night Prayer, Compline is a special time of reflection led by the choral scholars to help us wind down at night. All are welcome for hot chocolate in the Chaplain’s room afterwards.

**Chaplain’s Tea**  *Fridays, 5-6pm*

The Friday Refill – drop in for a cup of tea and a slice of cake in the Chaplain’s room (3.3). Anyone is welcome to come along, whether just briefly or stay and chat a while.

**Special Services and Events**

**Ascension Day**  *Third Week – Thursday 25 May*

Ascension Day marks the ascent of Christ into heaven forty days after Easter. Our celebrations begin at 10.15am, when members of the University Church come to Oriel to ‘beat the bounds’ of the parish of St Mary the Virgin. Then, at 12.30pm, the Choir will sing hymns from the Gatehouse Tower to those assembled in Front Quad. Finally, we have our service in Chapel at 6pm followed by supper in the Champneys Room. Our preacher will be James Dwyer, the incoming curate of St Andrew’s Church in North Oxford.

**Corpus Christi**  *Sixth Week – Thursday 31 May, 6pm*

Corpus Christi is a thanksgiving for the institution of Holy Communion. This year we will visit Keble College for a joint service and our Chaplain will preach. Please let the Chaplain know if you would like to stay to dinner at Keble afterwards.

**Chapel Garden Party and Leavers’ Service**  *Eighth Week – Sunday 11 June, 5pm*

On the final Sunday of term, we will mark the end of another academic year and pay tribute to those who are preparing to leave College to begin a new chapter in their lives. Strawberries and champagne will be served in Second Quad before the evening service. Everyone is very welcome.
College Chaplain: The Revd Dr Rob Wainwright
Room 3.3 (Front Quad) – Tel. (2)76580
Email: chaplain@oriel.ox.ac.uk
The Chaplain is here for every member of the Oriel community. He is always happy to meet to listen and discuss any matter of concern. He is responsible for Chapel life, a member of the Welfare Team, and a Tutor in Theology. He is in College most days and can be reached by phone, e-mail, or a knock on the door.

Director of Music: Dr David Maw
Room 3.2 (Front Quad) – Tel. (2)76534
Email: musicdirector@oriel.ox.ac.uk
The Director of Music works alongside the Chaplain in preparing services and has charge over the Organ Scholars and Chapel Choir. He is also the Lecturer in Music at Oriel. For a complete listing of this term’s music settings for worship, please see the Chapel website: www.oriel.ox.ac.uk/chapel.

Senior Organ Scholar
William McDonald
Junior Organ Scholar
Johnson Lau
Chair of Choir Committee
Eleanor Juckes
Sacristan and Chapel Assistant
Emily Essex
Bible Clerks
Tobias Thornes (Head Clerk), Amanda Higgin, Ryan Blank, Guy Cabral, Suzie Chiodo, Peter Hammerton

Oriel College Chapel is open to everyone from whatever faith or tradition as a place of prayer and reflection. The Chapel plays an important part in College community and anyone can get involved in our services and events. To learn more please speak to the Chaplain or one of the Bible Clerks.

Christian Aid Week (www.christianaid.org.uk) – Fourth Week: 13th-19th May
Events will be held in College and throughout Oxford to support the work of Christian Aid across the developing world. If you would like to help in coordinating Oriel's efforts, please contact the College Christian Aid representative, Tobias Thornes (tobias.thornes@oriel.ox.ac.uk).

The Christian Union (www.oiccu.org)
The CU aims to be a welcoming and supportive community open to everyone. It meets every Wednesday at 8pm in Room 3.1 for Bible study alternating with a Central meetings in Wesley Memorial Church. A CU-led service will be held in the Chapel on Thursday of Fourth Week (17 May) at 6pm. Please contact the College reps, Joel Fraser (joel.fraser@oriel.ox.ac.uk) and Lauren Hill (lauren.hill@oriel.ox.ac.uk).

The Roman Catholic Chaplaincy (www.catholic-chaplaincy.org.uk)
Mass is celebrated daily at Rose Place, off St Aldates. Corpus Christi College will host Oriel at a joint Mass on Wednesday of Second Week (2 May) at 6pm. For more information, please contact Rebecca Short (becky.short@campion.ox.ac.uk).

Faith, Baptism, and Confirmation
The Chaplain is always happy to talk more about faith, or the possibility of Baptism or Confirmation. Just get in touch. There is also a group for those considering the possibility of Christian ministry. Please contact the Chaplain for details.

Other Denominations and Faiths
Oriel values the diversity of spiritual and faith traditions represented in our community. A room for prayer and meditation is available alongside the Chapel. Please contact the Chaplain if you would like details of other chaplaincies in the University.