



A Jane Williams Library Event

### Poetry Please

*with*

**Joyce Simpson**

Whether you enjoy listening to poetry readings at festivals, or on the radio; or like to read poetry for yourself; or simply remember being introduced at school, here is a gentle invitation to come and discover poems, linked by theme, and from a range of writers:

**November 2nd at 3.00pm**

Poems on Friends and Friendship

**November 30th at 7.00pm**

Poems for Advent and Christmas

Free Entry - Donations Appreciated

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### Sacred Space

*with*

**Caroline Moore**

### Candlelit Cathedral

**Wednesday 23rd November at 7.30pm**

An opportunity to make a quiet pilgrimage of the heart and feet, in our newly-refurbished Cathedral, with a theme illuminated by candlelight..

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### The Advent Procession with Carols

**Sunday 27th November at 6.30pm**

This service of rejoicing takes us from candle-lit darkness into light, with readings that unfold God's dealings with humankind. The fine choral tradition of the Cathedral is complemented by familiar Advent Carols for all to sing

# NOVEMBER SERVICES

## 1st - All Saints

5.30pm Fauré's Requiem Choral Eucharist

## 2nd - Wednesday

7.30am Holy Communion

10.15am Holy Communion

## 6th - The Third Sunday before Advent

8.00am Holy Communion

10.15am Choral Eucharist

4.00pm Choral Evensong

6.30pm Gathering in ...

## 7th - Monday

5.30pm Choral Evensong

## 8th - Tuesday

5.30pm Choral Evensong

## 9th - Wednesday

7.30am Holy Communion

10.15am Holy Communion

## 13th - The Second Sunday before Advent

### Remembrance Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion

10.15am Choral Eucharist

4.00pm Choral Evensong

6.30pm Taizé Prayer

## 14th - Monday

5.30pm Choral Evensong

## 15th - Tuesday

5.30pm Choral Evensong

## 16th - Wednesday

7.30am Holy Communion

10.15am Holy Communion

## 20th - Christ the King

8.00am Holy Communion

10.15am Choral Eucharist + Healing  
with Baptism & Confirmation

4.00pm Choral Evensong

6.30pm Gathering in ...

## 21st - Monday

5.30pm Choral Evensong

## 22nd - Tuesday

5.30pm Choral Evensong

## 23rd - Wednesday

7.30am Holy Communion

10.15am Holy Communion

## 27th - Advent Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion

10.15am Choral Eucharist

4.00pm Evening Prayer

6.30pm The Advent Procession  
with Carols

## 28th - Monday

5.30pm Choral Evensong

## 29th - Tuesday

5.30pm Choral Eucharist

## 30th - Andrew the Apostle

7.30am Holy Communion

10.15am Holy Communion

Also

Monday to Saturday

Morning Prayer at 8.00am and Evening Prayer at 5.30pm

**GLUTEN FREE** If you need a gluten-free wafer for Holy Communion  
please speak to a Sidesman **BEFORE THE SERVICE BEGINS.**

## **BRING & SHARE LUNCH**

**Sunday 20th November**

We are formally saying goodbye to Andrew Teague at the 10.15am service when Bishop Nick will also be with us for a service of Baptism and Confirmation.

### **Presentation**

We will be making a presentation to Andrew that day - if you are able to contribute, in thanks for his ministry at the Cathedral, please give donations to Julie in the Cathedral Office.

### **Bring & Share Lunch**

After the service we are having a bring and share lunch in St Peter's House. So that we have a good spread of food please put your name, and what you can bring, on the list on the sound desk at the back of the Cathedral. Please note that we are asking for **finger food only** so that there is not too much clearing up required after lunch ... and if you can help in any way please speak to Hilary Greaves or the Cathedral Office.

## **RING OUT BRADFORD 2012**

**Sunday 27th November from 11.30am to 1.00pm**

Bells have been ringing out from Bradford Cathedral for most of the last 170 years, calling local people to worship and marking civic and national occasions. During much of this time the Bradford tower was a centre of bellringing excellence - not just in Yorkshire but throughout the whole country.

But bellringing requires team effort and in past 20 to 30 years the size of the team has dwindled - it seems a great shame that this fine ring of 12 bells is not rung for every Sunday service and is in danger of becoming the only cathedral which does not have a full team of regular ringers.

As well as contributing to worship at the Cathedral, bellringing is a fascinating and addictively interesting folk tradition which can be learned by most people aged from 10 - 70 who are capable of climbing the Tower stairs.

Training new ringers is a big task and not one that Ron Crabtree, the current Tower Captain, can tackle alone. Various ringers from all over West Yorkshire are keen to help and following the morning service on Sunday 27th November **The Yorkshire Association of Change Ringers** are inviting you to come along and learn more about this traditional art. There will be a display at the back of the Cathedral, including a model bell for you to try out, as well as handbell ringing and a chance to go up the Tower and see the "real thing" for yourselves.

For more information please contact **Sue Green by email at [suegreen43@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:suegreen43@yahoo.co.uk) or telephone 01943 864081.**

# EVENTS IN THE CATHEDRAL IN NOVEMBER

**Wednesday 2nd at 1.05pm**

## **ORGAN RECITAL**

**... with Andrew Dibb from Chichester**

Recitals are preceded by a buffet lunch at 12.30pm (£3 minimum donation).  
Entry is free with a retiring collection which goes towards recitalists' expenses.

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## **POETRY PLEASE**

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**Wednesday 9th at 1.05pm**

## **ORGAN RECITAL**

**... with Paul Hayward from St Barnabas' Cathedral in Nottingham**

Details as above

**Monday 14th at 2.00pm**

## **MONDAY FELLOWSHIP GROUP**

**John Tempest talks about the Bradford Soup Run - all welcome.**

**Wednesday 16th at 1.05pm**

## **ORGAN RECITAL**

**... with Timothy Wakerell from St Paul's Cathedral in London**

Details as above

**Wednesday 16th at 7.00pm**

An Artspace Event

## **LATVIAN CULTURAL EVENING**

Come and enjoy an evening of Latvian music and dance in traditional costume. A great  
opportunity to meet new people and explore the taste of Latvian food.

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**Wednesday 23rd at 1.05pm**

## **ORGAN RECITAL**

### **NOTE CHANGE OF RECITALIST**

**... with Andrew Teague from Bradford**

Details as above

**Monday 28th at 2.00pm**

## **MONDAY FELLOWSHIP STUDY GROUP**

**... with Canon Andy - all welcome.**

**Wednesday 23rd at 7.30pm**

A Sacred Space Event

**CANDLELIT CATHEDRAL**

An opportunity to make a quiet pilgrimage of the heart and feet, in our newly refurbished Cathedral, with a theme illuminated by candlelight. Led by Caroline Moore.

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**Sunday 27th November from 11.30am until 1.00pm**

**OPEN MORNING WITH THE YORKSHIRE ASSOCIATION OF CHANGE RINGERS**

Come and see how our bells work and find out more about this part of our English heritage

- perhaps you would like to join the Cathedral's team of Ringers?

Free entry - Light refreshments available

**Wednesday 30th at 1.05pm**

**ORGAN RECITAL**

**NOTE CHANGE OF RECITALIST**

... with Jeffrey Makinson from Manchester Cathedral

Details as above

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**THE ABIGAIL PROJECT**

Thank you so much for all the donations given to Abigail Housing at Harvest. I have already been able to take many of them to the houses, and the residents want to express their immense gratitude and appreciation for your kindness. It is such a blessing to know the care and support of others as I work with these individuals, and the ongoing support it also gives me is very encouraging.

It is touching to see how much it means to the residents that there are people here who are so generous; when situations can seem hopeless and desperate it makes a real difference to their day to day lives to know that there are others who want to help in such practical ways. *Thank you again. Anne Hebden*

The Abigail Project is a Bradford-based charity dedicated to providing housing to people made homeless at the end of the asylum process. This includes those who are waiting for their application to be processed, as well as those who have been refused but cannot reasonably return to their country of origin and those given refugee status who have to leave their NASS housing. You can help by donating food, cleaning materials, clothes, bedding or toiletries please. For more information call the Cathedral Office first on 01274 777720.

## THE CATHEDRAL SHOP

Work on reordering the shop and South porch area is now more or less complete. The work has better defined the shop area and provided more shelf-space but opened it up to encourage more people in: if sales are anything to go by this has been a success with an increase of over thirty percent in revenue. New stock has been purchased with the emphasis being on fairly traded goods, and more books that reflect what is happening in the Cathedral.

Christmas cards and a small number of gift items have gone on display this week - mainly to catch the large number of concert-goers who regularly buy every year. Cards have been purchased from FairTrade, Shared Earth, Biblelands, the Leprosy Mission, Marie Curie and ABF - The Soldiers' Charity. We are also stocking the Bradford edition of Monopoly, featuring the Cathedral - at the special price of £20 against a RRP of £25 - and have placed a second order as sales are going so well!

The work has also created a new noticeboard enabling us to reduce the amount of free-standing noticeboard by the South Porch.

The blue safe is now more prominent and there has been a small increase in donations although it is too early to tell if this is due to its re-siting or to the various exhibitions taking place.

If there is anything you would like to see for sale in the shop please let me know and I will do my best to stock it.

*Sandra Howard*

## EXTENDED MEMBERSHIP

Please remember in your prayers the following members of the Cathedral fellowship who, through illness or incapacity, cannot attend in person:

Pat Baly    Dorothy Dean    Michael Horsfall    Joan Simpson    Heather Wright

If anyone you know would appreciate being added to this list, please let one of the clergy or church wardens know.

## MISSION

We are short on space this month so please find this brief note about how you can help us to help others ... with special thanks to Jane Tarver for looking after all these projects.

**Stamps** - we recycle for the Leprosy Mission (except standard first and second class): please place in the box at the back of the South Aisle.

**Postcards** - we recycle for our link diocese in Khartoum

**Spectacles** - we recycle to Third World countries.

**Medicines** - unopened and well in-date tablets, creams and vitamins can be sent to Africa via Intercare: take to your local chemist or doctor.

**Buttons & zips** - we recycle to Third World countries.

## **CATHEDRAL CHOIR**

There is more to being a member of a choir than singing. The social and educational benefits of choral singing is now widely documented. Did you know that when you sing every part of your brain is stimulated!

The boys and girls of the Choir are from all areas of Bradford and beyond, and are drawn from over twenty local schools. Participation in services and concert performances is a culmination of many hours of dedicated preparation and hard work by the Choir who, along with the adult members, provide an enriching musical contribution to worship every week at the Cathedral. The Choir also take choral music out to churches and venues in the Bradford area and beyond.

Choir practices take place (during term time) on different days during the week for the various sections of the Choir. The main time for new members is Tuesday evening at 4pm (boys) and Saturday morning at 9.30am (girls). Full Choir practice is at 6.45pm on Thursday evenings.

New members of the Choir are always welcome and enquiries, from individuals or schools, should be made to the Cathedral Office to arrange an initial visit.

## **LARGE PRINT COPY AVAILABLE ON REQUEST**

### **CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE AT THE CATHEDRAL**

#### **BOYS BRIGADE**

Meetings every **Tuesday** during term time in the Parish Room  
**6.30 - 8.00pm**

*Please note new day of meeting!*

#### **NGage YOUTH GROUP**

Meetings every **Monday** in the Cathedral following Choral Evensong  
For 12 - 18 year olds during term time

*Further details from Josh Carr or the Cathedral Office*

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#### **CRÈCHE**

Sunday morning crèche

#### **SUNDAY SPACE for CHILDREN**

1st - Messy Space; 2nd & 4th Story Space; 3rd - Third Space; 5th - Song Space  
Parents Welcome!

*Further details from Canon Andrew Williams or the Cathedral Office*

## CATHEDRAL STAFF

<b>Dean</b>	The Very Revd Dr David Ison
<b>Canon Pastor</b>	The Revd Andrew Williams
<b>Canon Precentor</b>	The Revd Sam Corley
<b>Residentiary Canon</b> ( <i>Diocesan - part time</i> )	The Revd Sam Randall
<b>Honorary Chaplains</b>	The Revd Paul Booth The Revd Dr Barbara Glasson The Revd Chris Howson
<b>Head Verger &amp; Reader</b>	Jon Howard
<b>Cathedral Administrator</b>	Chris Aldred
<b>PA to the Dean &amp; Administrator</b>	Sandra Howard
<b>Treasurer</b>	Chris Wontner-Smith
<b>Education &amp; Visitors Officer</b>	Gillian Davis
<b>Cathedral Secretary</b>	Julie Bowyer
<b>Interfaith Development Officer</b>	Nuzhat Ali
<b>Organist &amp; Acting Director of Music</b>	Paul Bowen
<b>Assistant Director of Music</b>	David Condry
<b>Music Administrator</b>	Ann Foster
<b>Sing Up Co-ordinator</b>	Phil Wilcox
<b>Organ Scholar</b>	Henry Websdale
<b>Youth Worker</b>	Josh Carr
<b>Cleaner/Assistant Verger</b>	John Paley

## FABRIC FRIDAYS

Fabric Fridays have been designed to assist the Vergers with the numerous jobs required to keep the Cathedral in good order. Tasks include gardening, grounds maintenance, replacing light bulbs and a host of other small things that need to be done. If anyone has any spare time on a Friday - and it doesn't have to be every Friday - please come along. Tea, coffee and biscuits available from 10am ... why not treat yourself to lunch at Daisies afterwards?

**YOURS : FAITHFULLY**