

Other Artspace Events in the Cathedral

Sunday 12th June at 2.30pm

Christian Themes in Modern Art

A lecture by Richard Harries, Lord Harries of Pentregarth
co-sponsored by The Friends of Bradford Cathedral
The former Bishop of Oxford and Thought for the Day
contributor gives the annual Jane Williams Library Lecture.

Friday 24th June at 7.00pm

Dive with TranscenDance

According to John Updike swimming offers a parable for life.
Join us as we explore this idea through music, words and
dance. An informal performance in a café style setting
presented by TranscenDance and the Café Team from
St John's Ben Rhydding.

Thursday 21st to Saturday 23rd July at 7.15pm

+ a matinee performance at 2.45pm on Saturday

Measure for Measure

ACT presents Shakespeare's dramatic comedy Measure for
Measure. Duke Vincentio, leaving his dukedom in the hands
of the seemingly-virtuous Angelo, returns in disguise to
watch what happens, only to find himself drawn into a web
of intrigue when Angelo's revival of a law against lovers
threatens the lives of his subjects. **Outside if dry (bring a
picnic) inside if wet. Tickets £8 / £6 concessions.**

Wednesday 16th November at 7.00pm

Latvian Cultural Evening

Come and enjoy an evening of Latvian music and dance. In
traditional costume, we will perform folk dances and music,
share our stories and invite you to join in and learn a dance
and song. A great evening to meet new people and explore
the taste of Latvian food.

**Entry is free, with donations appreciated,
to all events except where stated otherwise.**

**Information correct at time of print, please check as
programme may be subject to change.**

We are grateful for the advice and support we've received
from Bradford Council: in particular for providing the
special security case for the Lichfield Bible.

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The Cathedral is usually open Monday to Saturday from
9.00am until 4.30pm and Sundays for services only: closed
Bank Holidays. If making a special journey please call first
as special circumstances may affect these times.

Train: Forster Square (nearest)
Bradford Interchange

Bus: Church Bank (Stop P9/P10)
613/614, 645/646, 636/637, 670, 682

Bolton Road (Stop P6/P8)
612, 640/641

Canal Road/Cathedral (Stop 3)
FREE CITY BUS

Car: Follow signs for Bradford Cathedral off the A650
ShIPLEY/Airedale Road. Small free car park on
Jermyn Street (off Stott Hill) and some street
parking. The nearest public car park is Burnett
Street (116 spaces) off Peckover Street in Little
Germany.

Foot: Access via steps off Forster Square and Church
Bank; level access off Stott Hill only.

Most of the Cathedral is accessible by wheelchair via
ramps and there is a disabled WC.

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Artspace

in Bradford Cathedral
- for visual & performance arts -

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS 2011



From Revelation - the Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse by Judith Gilbert

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ILLUMINATION

The Story of the King James Bible

This year sees the 400th anniversary of the King James Bible. There have been few more important single publications and its impact through history has been colossal. The Cathedral therefore takes this celebration as its theme for the Artspace programme this year.

Monday 18th April - Bible Sunday 23rd October **Illumination**

The King James Bible Exhibition

The Illumination Exhibition tells the story of the King James Bible in its historical context and explains the importance of the text today - how it transformed how we speak to each other, how we write our books and how we see our God. The focus of the exhibition is a first edition 1611 King James Bible, kindly loaned by Lichfield Cathedral, alongside a 1616 copy recently discovered in the Cathedral. Also on display will be a 1605 copy of the Geneva Bible (kindly on loan from the Parish of Holmewood & Tong): first published in 1560 it was regularly in use during the reign of Elizabeth I. Pages will be turned daily throughout the duration of the exhibition for you to contrast and compare editions.

Please join us on ...

Monday 18th April at 6.00pm **Opening Reception**

... to officially open the exhibition, after which you are welcome to join us for the first Holy Week Eucharist with Bishop David Smith.

Monday 18th - Wednesday 20th April at 7.30pm **Holy Week Meditations**

With Bishop David Smith

At the three Holy Week Eucharist services, a former Bishop of Bradford chooses some favourite passages from the King James Bible to reflect on the Passion story.

Friday 6th - Saturday 7th May at 7.30pm **1611 - The Word**

Written by Nigel Schofield and performed by the
Follow the Fleece Company

An historic review, specially written for the Cathedral, exploring the creation and influence of the King James Bible over the last four centuries. Narrated through contemporary accounts, highlighting the problematic, political and sometimes humorous events, *The Word* ends quoting *The Tempest*, Shakespeare's only play to quote directly from the King James Bible.

Tickets £8 / £6 concessions.

Saturday 14th May - Saturday 25th June Opening Reception on Friday 13th May at 6.30pm **Presence**

An exhibition by Eva Mileusnic in the Lady Chapel

A contemplative installation that suggests an ephemeral human presence through human absence. The installation consists of a 'family' group of six white plaster cast prayer books and prayer kneelers set on raw steel stands.

Friday 8th July at 7.30pm **Singing The Word**

A concert by the Cathedral Choir

An evening of glorious music based on the beautiful and poetic scripture of the King James Bible. The programme will include music from our own rich Anglican cathedral tradition with well known music by Handel, including *Zadok the Priest*, and other composers.

Tickets £8 / £6 concessions.

Saturday 10th September - Saturday 23rd October Opening Reception on Friday 9th September at 6.30pm **Revelation**

An exhibition by Judith Gilbert

A series of paintings that interpret the rich story telling of the Old Testament and the Book of Revelation, which reflect our journey to embrace God's promises. Through colour and pattern, 'Revelation' uncovers the multi-layered meanings of the Bible Stories.

Saturday 8th October at 2.00pm **A lecture by Lord Melvyn Bragg** based on his recently published book **The Book of Books**

The Radical Impact of The King James Bible

Melvyn Bragg reveals the influences the Bible has had throughout the centuries: the story of the 300 year fight to get the Bible into the English language; the grisly deaths of scholars involved in its translation; the Reformation; James of Scotland's determination; and the extraordinary story of William Tyndale.

Tickets £8 / £6 concessions

We are pleased that **Waterstones of Bradford** are supporting this event with copies of Lord Bragg's book and other relevant publications for sale. We are also grateful for the support we have received from **Illkley Literature Festival**.

Sunday 23rd October at 4.00pm **Tongues of Fire**

A special Bible Sunday Service, with The Rt. Revd Nick Baines Bishop of Bradford, closes the Illumination exhibition ... with Bible Cake to finish!