



SELWYN COLLEGE CHAPEL

TUESDAY 28 NOVEMBER 2023

Tuesday 28 November – CHORAL EVENSONG, 6:30pm

Responses	Tomkins (1572-1656)
Psalm	99 – chant: Ernest Dines (SE 2004) (p254, Shorter BCP)
First Lesson	Jeremiah 30: 18-24
Canticles	Purcell in A Minor
Second Lesson	John 10:1-18
Anthem	Vigilate - Byrd
Microsermon	Dean of Chapel and Chaplain
Voluntary	O Sapientia – Cecilia McDowall (b. 1951)

ANTHEM *Vigilate*

music: William Byrd (c.1540-1623)

words: Mark 13: 35-37

*Vigilate, nescitis enim
quando dominus domus veniat,
sero, an media nocte,
an gallicantu, an mane.
Vigilate ergo, ne cum venerit repente,
inveniat vos dormientes.
Quod autem dico vobis,
omnibus dico: vigilate.*

*Watch ye therefore
(for you know not when the lord of the house
cometh, at even, or at midnight,
or at the cock crowing, or in the morning):
Watch therefore, lest coming on a sudden,
he find you sleeping.
And what I say to you,
I say to all: watch.*

SERVICES THIS WEEK

Weds 29 November	8.30am Morning Prayer*
Thurs 30 November	8.30am Morning Prayer* 6.30pm Service of Lessons and Carols**
Fri 1 December	8.00am Morning Prayer with the CU
Sun 3 December <i>Advent Sunday</i>	10.30am Said College Communion (last of term) 6.00pm Service of Lessons and Carols**
Thurs 7 December	6.00pm Service of Lessons and Carols**
Sat 9 December	11.00am Family Carols

**Morning Prayer in Upper Chapel (access through the vestry door by the altar) begins with 15 minutes of silence for contemplation or spiritual reading, followed at 8.45 by a brief Common Worship office of psalms, canticles and one reading. Usually ends by 9am.*

*** Tickets for the Carol Services need to be booked in advance. Please email chapel-administrator@sel.cam.ac.uk for details*

Christmas Collections

We have spent so much of this term filled with concern and compassion for the situation in Israel, Palestine and Gaza. Collections will be taken at all services for the final week of term for **The Jerusalem and the Middle East Church Association** (cafonline.org). This is to support the ministries of the Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem throughout the Holy Land including the work of the Al-Ahli hospital in Gaza and many other ministries of healthcare, education and reconciliation.

The **Wednesday Walk** this week will head to the Botanic Gardens, beautiful at all times of the year. Meet at 2pm, outside the Porter's Lodge.

The final **Theology Thursday** of term will be this Thursday at 11.45 (kettle on) for 12-1pm, to conclude this term's reading of *Laudato Si'* and the final section 6 of *Laudate Deum*, which cover the spirituality which should/could emerge from the teaching articulated in this encyclical. We will also talk about 'next steps' in terms of personal and communal ecological responsibility at Selwyn.

Orthodox Invitation

We have been invited by our friend Nikolai Kazantsev to the 50th Anniversary Celebrations of the Orthodox Parish of St Ephraim, who meet at St Clement's Church. Friday 1st December, 6pm Great Vespers. Saturday 2nd December, 9am Hours and Divine Liturgy, followed by lunch and celebrations at St Andrew's Hall, Chesterton. A beautiful opportunity to experience orthodox liturgy and build ecumenical relationships!

Leaving college with food left over in your kitchens? You are invited to bring unopened (and in date) tins or packets to be passed on to **Cambridge City Foodbank**, providing emergency food provisions to those in crisis (registered charity no. 1149883). The collecting boxes in the antechapel will remain in place until Sat 9 Dec.

*Welcome to all attending in person and all watching online.
(Tuesday link)*



O ALMIGHTY and most merciful God, of thy bountiful goodness keep us, we beseech thee, from all things that may hurt us; that we, being ready both in body and soul, may cheerfully accomplish those things that thou wouldest have done; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.