A warm welcome!
All members of college regardless of Christian denomination, or faith, or no faith, are very welcome to attend services & events in chapel.

**Regular Midweek Services**

*in chapel weeks 1-8 unless otherwise stated*

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<td>6.00-6.45pm The College Eucharist&lt;br&gt;A service of Holy Communion with organ music and hymns. With drinks &amp; nibbles afterwards.&lt;br&gt;In week 7 we host the RC College Mass at 6.00pm, served by the Catholic Chaplaincy.</td>
<td>5.45pm Christian Union meeting in Heberden 1</td>
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**The Holy Eucharist** (Holy Communion, the Lord’s Supper, or Mass) is celebrated on **Sundays** and **Tuesdays** in term. If you are baptised and usually receive communion, you are welcome to do so here. Otherwise, you can receive a blessing.

**Silent Stillness** - these are times when chapel will be guaranteed to be completely quiet so any member of college can come and enjoy the space to be still, meditate, pray, read, or just sit quietly and enjoy the silence.

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**Special Services, Events, & Notices**

**Wk 1 Tues 23rd April**  
Chapel Freshers & Returners pub meal, 6.45pm after the Tuesday evening Eucharist, meet in the antechapel. A free drink & pub meal.

**Wk 3 Thurs 9th May**  
Ascension Day Sung Eucharist, 6.00pm-7.00pm, A joint service with Lincoln College in our chapel. **Bishop Rowan Williams** (The Rt Revd & Rt Hon, The Lord Williams of Oystermouth PC FBA FRSL FLSW) will preach. Sometime Master of Magdalen College, Cambridge, and Archbishop of Canterbury.

**Wk 4 Fri 17th May**  
Platnauer Concert 6.00pm – 7.00pm in the antechapel followed by drinks in Medieval Kitchen. Free admission to all from Brasenose.

**Wk 7 Tues 4th June**  
Roman Catholic College Mass at 6pm, served by the Catholic Chaplaincy. Drinks & nibbles served following the service.
Sunday Mornings

9.00am Holy Eucharist Celebrant & Preacher: The Chaplain.

9.40am Chaplain’s Breakfast in Heberden 1.
It’s free and all are welcome. With decent tea & coffee, fresh fruit, & pastries.

3.45pm Choir Tea in III/8 - Open to all members of the choir & chapel community.

Sunday Evenings

6.00pm College Prayers
College Prayers is usually a service of Choral Evensong (6.00pm -7.00pm), a sung service with the chapel choir, organ music, congregational hymns, and a talk by the chaplain or a visiting speaker, followed by drinks in the Amersi room at 7.00pm, & dinner at 7.30pm.

Week 1  Easter 4
21st April  The Chaplain

Week 2  Easter 5
28th April  The Revd Irving D. Hamer, Vicar of St Martin in Roath, Cardiff.

Week 3  Easter 6
5th May  The Revd Professor David Thomas FBA, Anglican Priest, Professor Emeritus, The University of Birmingham. Fellow of the British Academy.

Week 4  Easter 7
12th May  The Chaplain

Week 5  Pentecost
19th May  The Chaplain

Week 6  Trinity Sunday
26th May  The Revd Paul Gurnham, Team Vicar in the Parish of the Holy Trinity, East Ham, London. One of the college patronages.

Week 7  Trinity 1
2nd June  The Revd Delyth Liddell, Methodist Minister, Leader of The Gathering (an LGBTQI+ church), & Co-ordinating Chaplain at Cardiff University.

Week 8  Trinity 2 / Leavers Service
9th June  The Chaplain
The College Chapel is a space for all members of college, their families, and friends. It is a sacred space set aside for contemplation, prayer, and worship. A place to find peace or simply be and enjoy some quiet and its beauty. We aim to be friendly & welcoming community and we invite you to cross the threshold and be at home in chapel. It is also a place used for music making and practice. We always welcome volunteers to read, speak, serve & intercede, so if you’d like to participate, please speak with the Bible Clerk or the Chaplain.

People

**Director of Music:** Polina Sosnina  
**Senior Organ Scholar:** Sean Cohen  
**Organ Scholar:** Emma van Setten  
**Chapel Choir:** All members of Brasenose are welcome to sing in the famously fun and friendly Chapel Choir, led by our Director of Music, Polina Sosnina (XII.13; [musicdirector@bnc.ox.ac.uk](mailto:musicdirector@bnc.ox.ac.uk)) and our organ scholars.

**Bible Clerk:** James Hartley [james.hartley@bnc.ox.ac.uk](mailto:james.hartley@bnc.ox.ac.uk)  
**Assistant Bible Clerk:** Nishen Menerapitiyage Don  
**HCR Chapel Rep:** vacant – if interested please speak with the chaplain.  
**Roman Catholic Rep:** Nishen Menerapitiyage Don  
[https://www.catholic-chaplaincy.org.uk/](https://www.catholic-chaplaincy.org.uk/)  
**Christian Union Rep:** Alex Massie [alex.massie@bnc.ox.ac.uk](mailto:alex.massie@bnc.ox.ac.uk) and on Facebook: Brasenose and Lincoln College Christian Union.

Collegiate University Chaplains & Faith Groups, information & contacts: [https://www.ox.ac.uk/students/welfare/chaplaincy](https://www.ox.ac.uk/students/welfare/chaplaincy)

College Chaplain: The Revd David Sheen  
I am an Anglican priest and I’m available to all members of college as a listening ear & a support in things both small & great. I am a key member of the Welfare Team, extending pastoral care to all members of college, of all faiths & none. Please don’t hesitate to email me if you want to talk something over. I can be found in Heberden 1 (above the JCR on the first floor).

Email [chaplain@bnc.ox.ac.uk](mailto:chaplain@bnc.ox.ac.uk) or telephone: 01865 277833.

In an emergency David can be contacted via the Lodge. Should you need to speak to the chaplain in an accessible room then he is happy to arrange this.

Student led Facebook groups:  
Brasenose Chapel Choir, email: sean.cohen@bnc.ox.ac.uk to join.  
Christianity in Brasenose 23/24, email: james.hartley@bnc.ox.ac.uk to join.