

Music at Brasenose



Michaelmas Term 2019

Concerts this Term

All concerts are held in the college chapel or antechapel

Third Week:

Friday, November 1st at 6pm

Platnauer Concert – Wandering Wires

*Founded by former BNC student Joe Bradley, **Wandering Wires** are fast establishing themselves as one of the most exciting emerging bands on the UK jazz scene. A mix of jazz, soul, Brazilian, and electronic sounds, their music has been described as a “genre-fluid treat” (Nightshift Magazine) and the group’s latest studio album, ‘Homecoming’ has featured regularly on ‘BBC Introducing’.* *

Fourth Week:

Friday, November 8th at 6pm

Multi-Instrumentalist - Bethy Reeves

Multi-talented Organ Scholar and multi-instrumentalist Bethy Reeves performs a programme of virtuosic baroque, romantic, and contemporary music (in various genres) for organ, piano, accordion and numerous other instruments.

Fifth Week:

Friday, November 15th at 6pm

Freshers Concert – JCR & HCR members perform

Come and hear new members of Brasenose JCR and HCR as they reveal their many musical talents on various instruments and in a variety of styles

Sixth Week:

Friday, November 22nd at 6pm

Brasenose Choral Scholars & Choral Groups

A host of new Choral Scholars and Exhibitioners join established singers to perform solo and duo works in an eclectic programme to include works for vocal ensemble.

Seventh Week:

Friday, November 29th at 6pm

‘Music at Brasenose’ Concert

A hugely popular termly fixture! Come and delight in the sheer variety and expertise of Brasenose musicians, including Jazz, Folk & Classical music for bands, soloists and choir.

Admission to all concerts is free of charge

** The **Platnauer Concert** Series is named in honour of Maurice Platnauer (Principal of Brasenose 1956-1960). The concert will be followed by a wine reception in the Medieval Kitchen. All are welcome to attend and meet the artists.*

Music for College Prayers & Other Services

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1st Week - Sunday 13th October, 6pm

Ayleward Responses. Psalm 66 (1-11)
Stanford in B flat
Britten - Jubilate in C
Hymns: 362, 555, 443

2nd Week - Sunday 20th October, 6pm

Introit: Pitoni - Cantate Dominum
Ayleward Responses. Psalm 33 (12-22)
Noble in B minor
Wood - O thou the central orb
Hymns: 375, 562, 543

3rd Week - Sunday 27th October, 6pm

Introit: Wood - Oculi omnium
Clucas Responses. Psalm 103 (1-12)
Dyson in D
Franck - Panis angelicus
Hymns: 377, 245, 558

All Souls Eucharist

3rd Week - Tuesday 29th October, 6pm

Mass: Darke in F
Fauré - In paradisum
Hymns: 589, 324, 598

All Saints Eucharist

4th Week - Tuesday 3rd November, 6pm

Mass: Byrd 4 Part Mass
Bullock - Give us the wings
Hymns: 390, 232, 216

Remembrance Sunday

5th Week - Sunday 10th November, 6pm

Introit: Guest - For the fallen
Clucas Responses. Psalm 17 (1-9)
Vaughan Williams in C
Gowers - Ad te levavi
Hymns: 427 (t.455), 537, 354

6th Week - Sunday 17th November, 6pm

Introit: Tallis - O Nata Lux
Byrd Responses. Psalm 132 (8-19)
Sumsion in G
Grieg - Ave maris stella
Hymns: 546, 84, 591

7th Week - Sunday 24th November, 6pm

Introit: Ley - A Prayer of King Henry VI
Byrd Responses. Psalm 46
Howells Collegium Regale
Guerrero - Canite tuba
Hymns: 398, 563, 590

Oxmas - "Nearly Midnight" Mass

7th Week - Saturday, 24th November, 10pm

College Carol Service

8th Week - Sunday 1st December, 6pm

College Chaplain - Rev. Julia Baldwin

Senior Organ Scholar - Bethany Reeves

Director of Music - Christian Wilson

Heberden Organ Scholar - Scott Hextall



Platnauer Concerts 2019-2020

Friday, 1st November, 6pm

Wandering Wires



A searing mix of jazz, soul, Brazilian and electronic sounds, Wandering Wires are establishing themselves as one of the most exciting emerging bands on the UK jazz scene. Since forming in 2016 they have appeared at major UK venues including the Vortex in London, Manchester's Band on the Wall, and Oxford's O2 Academy. The group's latest studio album, 'Homecoming' has featured regularly on 'BBC Introducing'. "A genre-fluid treat!" Nightshift Magazine.

Friday, 7th February, 6pm

Gothic Voices

An Early Music supergroup, Gothic Voices are celebrated world-wide for the excellence, refinement, and spirituality of their performances of medieval music. Founded in 1980 the group have recorded 23 discs, 3 of which won the coveted Gramophone Award. In this programme subtitled 'Music for the Lion-hearted King', the group present a stunning programme of English music relating to the Crusades.

"...sustenance for the soul, a short-cut to bliss." The Times.



Friday, 15th May, 6pm

The English Viola



Sarah-Jane Bradley & John Lenehan

Celebrated English violist Sarah-Jane Bradley joins leading pianist John Lenehan in a programme of English music to include Rebecca Clarke's Viola Sonata and works by Dale, Bridge, and Vaughan Williams. Since her Wigmore Hall debut in 1997, Bradley has been hailed as the British violist par excellence. "Is there a better British violist than Sarah-Jane Bradley?" The Strad.