



**St Edmund Hall Chapel
Hilary Term 2020**

Welcome to the Chapel

All College members and their guests are invited to attend Chapel services in St Edmund Hall. The services are Anglican in character but we welcome worshippers from every denomination, as well as people of any faith or no faith.

College Chaplain

Our new interim college Chaplain is **Revd Anupama Hansell** who will be working part time on Sundays to lead college Evensong and two other week days (Mon or Tues and Thurs or Fri).



To arrange a meeting please make an appointment by email: anupama.hansell@seh.ac.uk or 01865 279021.

Exploring Faith

University is a great time to explore the big questions of meaning and purpose in life. Please email the chaplain if you would like to investigate ways of doing this.

Serving in the Community

Would you like to give a little time each month to a community project that makes a difference to people's lives in Oxford – visiting a children's hospice, getting involved in a local primary school, helping at a night shelter for the homeless? Please contact the Chaplain, as Teddy Hall has some particular projects up and running.

The Crypt

The crypt beneath the Chancel of St Peter-in-the-East dates from the early 12th century. We have occasional small services in the crypt.

Director of Music

Our Director of Music is Christopher Buckland. He is keen to support all kinds of musical activity within the college, and can be contacted on director.music@seh.ox.ac.uk



The Choir

The choir is non-auditioning, and new members are always welcome (please email organ.scholar@seh.ox.ac.uk). We are delighted to be supported by eight choral scholars.

Other Christian Denominations and World Faiths

- » Oxford Inter-Collegiate Christian Union: www.oiccu.org
- » The Roman Catholic Chaplaincy: www.catholic-chaplaincy.org.uk
- » The Methodist Chaplaincy: martin.wellings@oxfordmethodists.org.uk
- » The Oxford Pastorate Chaplaincy: www.oxfordpastorate.org
- » The Oxford Jewish Chaplaincy: <http://oxfordchap.weebly.com>
- » The Oxford Islamic Chaplaincy: afifi.al-akiti@orinst.ox.ac.uk
- » The Hindu Chaplaincy: shaunaka@ochs.org.uk

Chapel Programme - Hilary 2020

All services are at 5.30pm on Sundays, unless otherwise stated.

Light

Week 1 (Sun, 19 Jan) *Evensong*

“Light! More Light!” The motto of the Chartist newspaper ‘The Northern Tribune’* (Prof. Karma Nabulsi). *Responses – Smith*

Week 2 (Sun, 26 Jan) *Evensong*

“Light and the way we think: Explaining the power of the Metaphor”
(Prof. Paul Matthews). *Responses – Smith*

Week 2 (Fri, 31 Jan) *Compline 9.15pm*

Canticles: Josquin Nunc/**Anthem:** Tallis – O Nata Lux

Week 3 (Sun, 2 Feb) *Choral Eucharist, Candelmas*

“An Inner Light - A Collection of books in the Old Library of St Edmund Hall”
(James Howarth) [*Small display of books in Old Library. All welcome to visit before and after the service*]

Week 4 (Sun, 9 Feb – All Saints Day) *NO SERVICE IN TEDDY HALL CHAPEL*
Annual Inter-Collegiate Evensong, St Mary the Virgin, Oxford

Week 5 (Sun, 16 Feb) *Evensong*

“Light and Mysticism: Flowing Light” (Dr Edmund Wareham)
Responses – Radcliffe

Week 5 (Fri, 21 Feb) *Fresher’s Parents Dinner Evensong*

Responses – Radcliffe

Week 6 (Sun, 23 Feb) *Evensong*

“To Be Transfigured” (Revd Helen Garton). *Responses – Ayleward*

Week 6 (Wed, 26 Feb) *NO SERVICE IN TEDDY HALL CHAPEL (Lent begins)*

Joint Choral Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes at St Mary the Virgin, Oxford

Week 7 (Sun, 1 March) *NO SERVICE IN TEDDY HALL CHAPEL*

Joint service with Fitzwilliam College, Cambridge

Week 8 (Sun, 8 March) *Reflective Service of Readings and Music for Lent*

“Light in our Everyday Lives” (Melody Njoki)

After Chapel: Drinks are served immediately after Chapel on Sunday evenings. All those attending the service are welcome to join us.

The chapel can be used for quiet reflection and prayer by any member (provided there are no prior bookings). Please ask at the Porters’ Lodge for a key.

About the Speakers

Prof. Karma Nabulsi is Fellow and Tutor in Politics at Teddy Hall. She is co-editor of *Radical Republicanism*, published in February by OUP.

*[Painted on the building that housed the printing press of the Northern Tribune at Brantwood, Lake Coniston, the home of William J Linton: engraver, writer, and internationalist, and the multitude of refugees he hosted there].



Prof. Paul Matthews is a Fellow by Special Election at St Edmund Hall and a Hall alumnus. He is also the Edmond and Lily Safra Professor of Translational Neuroscience and Therapeutics and Head of the Department of Brain Sciences at Imperial College London. He has a long-standing interest in the interplay between science and culture.



James Howarth (Librarian) has been St Edmund Hall's Librarian since May 2018. He is responsible for maintaining and developing the library's collections - including the historic and special collections that are housed in the seventeenth-century Old Library and is keen to promote their use in research, study and outreach.



Dr Edmund Wareham joined the Hall in October 2019 as the Cowdrey Early Career Teaching and Research Fellow in History. He works on the religious history of Germany in the later Middle Ages and the Early Modern periods, with a particular interest in convents.



Revd Helen Garton is Chaplain to Reformed Students in Oxford and the Minister at St Columba's United Reformed Church, just off the High next door to The Bear pub. Theologically, she preaches the social gospel. Politically, she stands for inclusivity, where everyone receives a welcome and the help and support they need for a fulfilling life. Helen's passions are interfaith dialogue and the music of Bob Dylan and David Bowie. And, yes, she has a cat and wife, Sally.



Melody Njoki Joined St Edmund Hall in September 2018 as the Senior Academic Officer within the College Office. She deputises for the Academic Registrar and is responsible for the administration of University examinations & assessments, administration of awards & prizes and coordination of the College's Freshers' Week. She also acts as the Disability Coordinator in liaison with the College's Disability

