**SPECIAL SERVICES & FEASTS**

- **24 Nov**  
  **Christ the King Sunday** (8, 9.30, 11.15am & 5.30pm) The Very Revd Peter Howell-Jones, Dean of Blackburn Cathedral, preaching at 9.30am

- **30 Nov**  
  **Feast of St Andrew** (10am) Holy Communion  

- **1 Dec.**  
  **Advent Procession: An Advent Carols Service by Candlelight** (5.30pm)

- **4 Dec**  
  **Cambridge Christian Union Carol Service** (8 & 10pm) All students welcome

- **6 Dec.**  
  **Feast of St Nicholas** (12.30pm) Holy Communion  
  **St Nikolaus Celebration** (3.30-8.30pm) Tower by Night, children’s activities, choirs, mulled wine, 20% discount at the shop, refreshments and much more!

- **7 Dec.**  
  **Christmas Shoppers Come & Sing Carols** (1pm)  
  **Blue Christmas** (4pm, Michaelhouse) For all who find the Christmas season difficult.

- **8 Dec**  
  **Academy of Great St Mary’s Christmas Concert** (7.30pm) Orchestra & Choirs  
  Tickets at the Church Shop and online at www.cambridgelive.org.uk

- **10 Dec**  
  **University Staff Carol Service** (3.30pm) Followed by mince pies & mulled wine

- **14 Dec**  
  **Michaelhouse Candelit Carols** (3 & 4pm, Michaelhouse)

- **22 Dec**  
  **Carols by Candlelight** (4 & 6.30pm) With the choirs of Great St Mary’s.

- **24 Dec**  
  **Christmas Eve Crib Service** (4pm) Nativity fancy dress is encouraged!  
  **Midnight Mass** (11.30pm) A choral Eucharist with carols, readings & sermon.

- **25 Dec**  
  **BCP Holy Communion** (8am)  
  **Festal Eucharist with Children’s Church** (9.30am)  
  **Choral Mattins** (11.15am)

- **27 Dec**  
  **Feast of St John the Evangelist** (12.30pm) Holy Communion. No morning prayer.

- **28 Dec**  
  **Feast of the Holy Innocents** (12.30pm) Holy Communion. No morning prayer.

- **1 Jan**  
  **The Naming and Circumcision of Jesus** (12.30pm) Holy Communion

- **5 Jan**  
  **Epiphany Sunday** (8, 9.30, 11.15am & 5.30pm)

- **6 Jan**  
  **Baptism of Christ** (12.30pm) Holy Communion

**Recitals, Concerts, and Special Events**

- **2 Dec**  
  **Rotary Club Charity Carol Concert** (7pm) www.cambridgelive.org.uk

- **3 Dec**  
  **Lunchtime Recital** (1pm) Neil Colledge, piano. Free with retiring collection

- **8 Dec**  
  **Academy of Great St Mary’s Christmas Concert** (7.30pm) Orchestra & Choirs  
  Tickets at the Church Shop and online at www.cambridgelive.org.uk

- **14 Dec**  
  **Cambridge Chorale ‘Jingle All the Way’** (11am) cambridgechorale.org.uk  
  **Addenbrookes Kidney Patients Association Christmas Carols** (3pm)  
  **Cambridge Chorale ‘O magnum mysterium’** (7.30pm) cambridgechorale.org.uk

- **19 Dec**  
  **Light Up EACH Life Concert** (7.30pm) www.each.org.uk
The University Church: A Community in Pursuit of Truth

For over 800 years, Great St Mary’s has been the University Church at the heart of Cambridge. We are an open and inclusive community, and we encourage all who come to explore the Christian faith — and to discover what a difference faith makes.

We offer worship services throughout the week, both in Great St Mary’s and in Michaelhouse — our chapel, café, art, community, and meeting space on Trinity Street (visit michaelhouse.org.uk to learn more). Contact information for our clergy team is on the back of this card, and the most up-to-date information about services, concerts, and special events can be found online at gsm.cam.ac.uk, and on social media at @GreatStMarys.

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A said service using the 1662 Book of Common Prayer
Parish communion with choir, hymns, sermon, and Children’s Church
Mattins & Evensong are beautiful services in the Anglican Choral tradition, with readings, prayers, music, hymns, and a sermon.
Student worship at Michaelhouse, with Andrew Hammond, Chaplain of King’s

Study Groups

#Edge: Lunchtime conversations at the edge of faith. 1pm Wednesdays in Term (to 5 December, resumes 15 January), at Michaelhouse. Free lunch with University of Cambridge student ID.

Preaching Series: Join us for a preaching series on Advent with the Vicar, during December at our 9.30am Sung Eucharist on Sundays.

Home Groups: There are a number of Home Groups which meet to study the Bible together. Please be in touch with Shirley Holder at LLM@gsm.cam.ac.uk to find out more.

Look for our Lent Term Card for events from 14 January

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some weekday services will not be held during Christmastide. Please call or check our website to confirm.
Great St Mary’s has a long and rich tradition of music, and is blessed to have two pipe organs, six choirs, and an orchestra. There are regular free lunchtime concerts and recitals throughout the year. Visit our website to find out about upcoming concerts and recitals.

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Volunteer Opportunities

Cambridge Churches Homelessness Project Please contact a member of the clergy team to find out how to train and volunteer for this wintertime shelter for homeless guests.

Ministries at the University Church If you would like to read the lessons at church, serve at the altar, sing in the choir, become a guide or a greeter, please email office@gsm.cam.ac.uk. There is a place for your gifts and talents at the University Church!

Bell Ringing Learn about the tradition of change ringing with Society of Cambridge Youths, scy.org.uk and the Cambridge University Guild of Change Ringers, cugcr.org.uk