

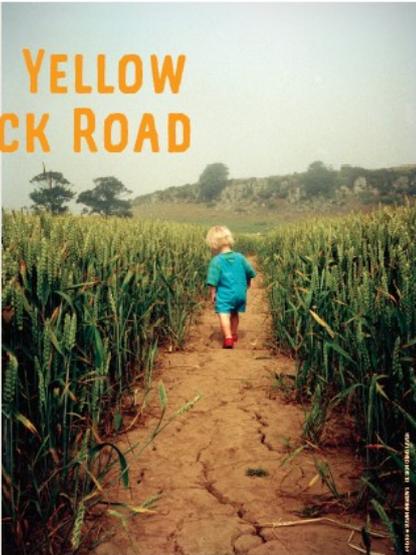
THE MICHAELHOUSE CENTRE & CAFÉ . TRINITY STREET . CB2 1SU

Community Arts Music Spirituality Performance Workshops Café Community

Michaelhouse Friends fund local Arts

The Friends of Michaelhouse support Michaelhouse through their annual subscriptions and their interest in its activities. They aim to enhance the purpose of Michaelhouse as a hub for community arts, a vibrant meeting place in the centre of Cambridge, and a place of encounter with spirituality. They recently supported:

THE YELLOW BRICK ROAD



A photography and art exhibition of works by homeless people from Jimmy's Night shelter and Winter Comfort from Cambridge Homeless Outreach Programme (CHOP).

Voice-coaching sessions for members of the Michaelhouse Chorale in association with Arts & Minds.

Creative Writing for Well-being Workshops in association with Arts and Minds.

An exhibition of art for Cambridge Children's Charity

Week from June 4 till 16 in the café. This exhibition will benefit a range of local children's charities administered through the Cambridgeshire Community Foundation (poster image above).

The Friends enjoy attending events such as exhibition pre-views, volunteering, and they benefit from a discount at the café. Details of how to join are available from the foyer table or visit our website:

<http://www.gsm.cam.ac.uk/michaelhouse/friends/>

There is a sponsorship fund available for community projects at Michaelhouse. Call Sarah for more information on 01223 309 167.

THE MICHAELHOUSE ARTS FORUM

Meet on Saturday 21 April at 3pm
In the Montefiore Room



We are a new group drawing together a variety of artists for social interaction, creative support and artistic development. Current members include photographers, painters and drawers. An exhibition is planned for September 2018.

Members are invited to attend all art openings at the Michaelhouse Centre and will feature in our online catalogue. For information about our monthly meetings and how to join contact Chairwoman, Lizzie Milsom: lizandjohnmilsom@btinternet.com Please include an example of your work where possible.

Exhibitions

Till Saturday 21 April, (8.00am till 5.00pm)



Michaelhouse Café Exhibition: Kaleidoscope - Eastern Region Textile Forum

If the world of Textile Art excites you then do not miss this extensive exhibition which promises an exciting range of styles and influences incorporating both traditional and contemporary skills and techniques. If you want to meet the group and talk with them about their work or just have a chance to view it while the café is closed to the general public, you are welcome to join them at their vernissage event in the Michaelhouse Café on Wednesday 11 April from 6.30 till 8.30pm.

Richard Allen's Oil Paintings (right), 23 April - 5 May

"I will be showing a collection of smaller oil paintings. Typically I start paintings on location and then refine them back in the studio. These were all completed this winter. Painting the local landscape rather than seeking out more obviously sublime scenery is a challenge I enjoy. I am an established member of Cambridge Open Studios and it would be great to see you this July." See: <https://www.camopenstudios.co.uk/>

Looking for commission free exhibition space in the heart of Cambridge?
We would like to hear from you. Please send an example of your work to:
sarah@michaelhouse.org.uk or telephone: 01223 309167



Michaelhouse Chapel News April 2018

A MINISTRY OF GREAT ST MARY'S

Community Arts Music Spirituality Performance Workshops Café Community

Lent Musings



This term we've crunched our way through the snowy weather and been inspired by Malcolm Guite in the early morning hours, sipping coffee and munching bacon butties whilst listening to the words of George Herbert.

There will be a returning to the Lord's Prayer Pilgrim course on Mondays after Lent looking towards Pentecost. Come and discuss this great

Christian treasure. Books are available at the meeting.

Wednesday's have become a lunchtime feast of silence - drawing on the Jesus prayer, Taizé chants, poetry and Bible passages as an inspiration to draw us into a half hour of silence mid week. Please join us at 1.00pm every Wednesday for Prayer for Everyone.

Fresh vibrant colours to add for Easter - for children in the chancel to take away - as we draw closer to the end of Lent and the daffodils and blue bells burst through the cold, cracked earth to remind us of resurrection life. Their returning breaking through the ground once more.

Finally, I look forward to butterflies and spring sunshine and wish you a very Happy Easter. Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!

Reverend Helen Orr, Pioneer Minister

Lunchtime Concerts

Friday 27 April

The Stephen Perse Foundation, Starts 12.30

Please join us for these vocal and classical music concerts. Previous concerts have included finalists from BBC Young Musician of the Year. The programme is released a week before the concert in the Michaelhouse Café Foyer. Admission is free with a retiring collection.

Saturday 21 April

The Silver Swan Madrigal Group, Starts 1.00pm

17th Century Madrigals and Ayres by Dering, Dowland, Bennet, Bateson, Tomkins.
Trio Sonata By Ravenscroft for 2 recorders, cello, virginal.
18th Century; Sonata by Stanley for oboe, cello, continuo.
Entry is free with a retiring collection for Michaelhouse Chorale.



16th century Virginal

Weekly Chapel events

Monday (10.00-11.00am)

Inspiration music

Contemplative music and song to start your week.

Monday (11.00am - 12.00pm)

The Lord's Prayer

Reading and discussion group

Tuesday (8.45-9.15am)

Morning Prayer

In the Hervey De Stanton chapel with the Great St Mary's Clergy Team.

Tuesday (10.30am-11.30am)

Ark Eucharist

With play for young children and their carers. Great for pre-schoolers. All welcome.

Wednesday (1.00-1.30pm)

Prayer for Everyone

Silence, readings, poetry and prayer. All welcome.

Thursday (1.00-2.00pm)

Holy Communion and Bible study

A small welcoming group open to all.

Thursday (starts 6.30pm)

House of prayer

Prayer, praise and Bible study at the Michaelhouse of prayer. 6:30pm (for Bible study) 8.00-10.00pm prayer and praise every Thursday during term time. All welcome.

Friday (2.30-3.30pm)

Michaelhouse Chorale

A choir for people with mental health conditions, their carers, family and friends to meet, sing and have fun. No ability or experience required. For more information: Peter on 01223 709769 or Richard on 01799 541522.

Super Cool Easter



Pick up a copy of "The Super Cool Story of Jesus" from the chapel for 50p. Children and parents will love the charming illustrations and easy-read prose from The Bible Society. Great if you've had your fill of chocolate!

Family Friendly Venue



Children are welcome into the Michaelhouse Chapel to read books, play with our selection of toys and have a little leg stretch. Grab an Easter colouring in sheet for your little ones.

TELL US ABOUT IT...

SEND YOUR COMMENTS, THOUGHTS AND IDEAS TO US & WIN A COFFEE AND CAKE FOR YOU! MAIL: sarah@michaelhouse.org.uk