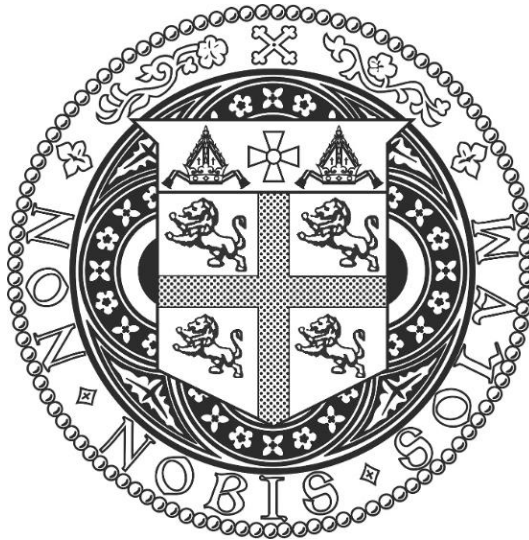




University College Durham University

Chapel Card

Michaelmas Term 2025



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The Chapels

University College has two chapels: the eleventh century Norman Chapel at the foot of the Norman Gallery stairs, and the larger Tunstall Chapel, dating from 1540, which can be reached via the courtyard clock tower stairs. Both are open throughout the day for visiting and prayer.

Prayer

Requests for prayer can be pinned to the intercessions board inside the entrance to the Tunstall Chapel, or you can contact the Chaplain directly.

Pastoral support

The Chaplain is happy to support preparation for Baptism and Confirmation, and private prayer. Please contact him for further details.

Regular Services

Choral Evensong, the main weekly act of worship, takes place in the Tunstall Chapel at 5.45pm every Thursday.

The Eucharist is celebrated at 5pm every Sunday. When sung with choir, it is celebrated in the Tunstall Chapel. Otherwise, it is celebrated in the Norman Chapel.

All who usually receive communion are welcome to receive it here, whether Anglican or not. Anyone who does not wish to take communion can come to the altar for a blessing.

Morning & Evening Prayer are said or sung daily at Durham Cathedral, at 8.30 am & 5.30 pm (11.30 am & 3.30 pm on Sundays) respectively.

During termtime, evensong each Tuesday at the Cathedral is followed by Student Tuesday: a time of socialising, with food provided. Newcomers are very welcome.

Special Services and Events this term

(outside the normal rhythm of Thursday and Sunday services)

Sunday 19 October	Castle Chapel Choir sing Mattins (10am), Eucharist (11am), Evensong (4pm) at York Minster
Tuesday 28 October, 9pm	Compline in Norman Chapel
Thursday 30 October, 6.45pm	Chapel drinks reception in BDR
Sunday 2 November, 5pm	Sung Eucharist for All Souls' Day, in the Tunstall Chapel

Sunday 10 November, 10.45am	Remembrance Sunday Service with the Northumbrian Air Squadron
Tuesday 18 November, 9pm	Choral Compline in Norman Chapel
Sunday 30 November, 2.30pm	Mini-Chapel Retreat to St Anthony's Priory
Thursday 4 December, 5.45pm	Advent Carol Service
Tuesday 9 December, 6-7pm	Beer and Carols, in the Undie
Thursday 11 December, 5.30pm	Christmas Carol Service

*NB Friday 23 – Sunday 25 January: Chapel Retreat at Alnmouth Friary.
Put the date in your diary now!*

Service List - Michaelmas Term 2025

**Composed by a current or former student of University College*

OCTOBER

From 8-12 October Luxmuralis returns to Durham Cathedral for another spectacular of sound and light projections. Book tickets on the Cathedral website.

Sun 5 **Said Eucharist** *16th Sunday after Trinity* *Green*

2 Timothy 1.1-14
Psalm 37.1-9
Luke 17.5-10

Thu 9 **Freshers' Choral Evensong** – *all, especially freshers, are very welcome*
5.45 pm

Introit: God be in my head Lloyd
Responses: Neary
Psalm 62
Proverbs 2: 1-11
Canticles: Coleridge-Taylor in F
Matthew 5.1-16
Anthem: Blessed be the God and Father Wesley
Preacher: The Chaplain
Hymn: NEH 427

Sun 12 **Said Eucharist** *17th Sunday after Trinity* *Green*
5 pm

2 Timothy 2.8-15
Psalm 111
Luke 17.11-19

On Tuesday 14th October Durham Cathedral are hosting a special open evening for students from 6.30-9pm. No need to book – just a special opportunity to wander round and explore the cathedral building at night.

Thu 16 **Choral Evensong** *Nicholas Ridley and Hugh Latimer, martyrs, 1555*
5.45 pm

Introit: O ye angels of the Lord Howard*
Responses: Leighton
Psalm 78.56-end
Nehemiah 8.1-12
Canticles: Bairstow in D*

1 Corinthians 14.1-12

Anthem: Light of the World Elgar

Preacher: The Rev'd Rebecca Feeney: Chaplain, Low Newton Prison

Hymn: NEH 333 (desc. J. Rutter)

Sun 19

5 pm

Said Eucharist

18th Sunday after Trinity

Green

2 Timothy 3.14-4.5

Psalm 121

Luke 18.1-8

On Sunday 19 October the Castle Chapel Choir sing the Sunday services in York Minster at 10am (mattins), 11am (eucharist), and 4pm (evensong) – all welcome!

Thu 23

5.45 pm

Choral Evensong

Introit: Lord, thou hast told us (vv. 1&4) Bax

Responses: Smith of Durham

Psalm 94.17-23

Isaiah 24.1-15

Canticles: Purcell in G Minor

John 16.25-33

Anthem: O Lord, look down from heaven Battishill

Preacher: The Rev'd Fiona Hill: Chaplain, The Hill Colleges

Hymn: NEH 205

Sun 26

5 pm

Said Eucharist

Last Sunday after Trinity

Green

2 Timothy 4.6-8, 16-18

Psalm 84.1-7

Luke 18.9-14

Tues 28

9pm

Compline in Norman Chapel

Compline is the service of night prayer prayed in monasteries around the world immediately before bed. Join us for this short and meditative (20 mins) service in the sublime setting of the Norman Chapel.

Thu 30

5.45 pm

Choral Evensong, *followed by Chapel Drinks in the BDR*

Introit: Cantate Domino Pitoni

Responses: McDowall

Psalm 116

Isaiah 35

Canticles: Stanford in C
Matthew 11.2-19
Anthem: *Great is the Lord* Elgar
Preacher: Prof. David Fuller
Hymn: *Oh when the saints go marching in*

NOVEMBER

Sun 2 **Sung Eucharist** *All Souls' Day* *White*
5 pm

Introit: *Let all mortal flesh keep silence* Bairstow*
Requiem Setting: Faure
Lamentations 3.17-26,31-33
Psalms 149
John 6.37-40

Thu 6 **Choral Evensong**
5.45 pm

Introit: *Miserere mei* Purcell
Responses: Ayleward
Psalms 118.1-14
Exodus 23.1-9
Canticles: *University College Service* Holland*
Matthew 19.1-15
Anthem: Jackson *Benedicite* in G *
Preacher: The Rev'd John Mayes: Assistant Curate, St John's, Gateshead Fell & St Alban's, Windy Nook
Hymn: NEH 331

Sun 9 **Remembrance Sunday Service with the Northumbrian Air Squadron**
10.45 am

Introit: *For the fallen* Guest
Hymn: NEH 417
Reading: *Revelation* 21.1-7
Kontakion of the Departed (Kiev Melody)
Anthem: *They are at rest* Elgar
Hymn: NEH 368
Hymn: NEH 489

Tues 11 **Armistice Day Act of Remembrance**
10.55am *Gather in the Castle courtyard to observe the silence together.*

Thu 13
5.45 pm

Choral Evensong

Introit: For He shall give His angels charge over thee Mendelssohn
Responses: Shepherd
Psalm 43
Hosea 6.1-6
Canticles: Murrill in E
Matthew 9.9-13
Anthem: Festival Te Deum Britten
Preacher: The Chaplain
Hymn: NEH 341

Sun 16
5 pm

Said Eucharist

2nd Sunday before Advent

Red

Malachi 4.1-2a
Psalm 98
Luke 21.5-19

Tues 18
9pm

Choral Compline in Norman Chapel

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Thu 20
5.45 pm

Choral Evensong

Introit: Angel Vopiyashe Chesnokov
Responses: Howells
Psalm 76
Zechariah 10.6-end
Canticles: Dyson in F
1 Peter 5.1-11
Anthem: Tebe Poyem Chesnokov
Preacher: The Rev'd Kathryn Tiernan: Curate, Durham Cathedral
Hymn: NEH 439 (omit *)

Sun 23
5 pm

Sung Eucharist

Christ the King

White

Setting: Mass of St Thomas Thorne
Colossians 1.11-20
Psalm 46
Luke 23.33-43
Anthem: The church's one foundation Wesley arr. Bishop
Hymns: NEH 345, 296, 338 (tune: Camberwell)

Thu 27 **Choral Evensong** with Stringed Instruments
5.45 pm

Introit: Sing joyfully unto God Byrd
Responses: Byrd
Psalm 132
Jeremiah 31.10-17
Canticles: Sixth Service Weelkes
Matthew 16.13-end
Anthem: This is the record of John Gibbons
Preacher: The Chaplain
Hymn: NEH 126

Sun 30 **Mini-Chapel retreat to St Anthony's Priory**
2.30pm
Join us as we gather at St Anthony's Priory for a time of reflection and cake, as we enter into Advent and pause before the final weeks of term. The Priory is on Claypath; we will meet there at 2.30pm and have some time of reflection, before being greeted by the leader of the Priory, Nicholas Buxton, who will preside at the eucharist in the Priory chapel. We will then enjoy a relaxed time of tea and cake together. All welcome!

DECEMBER

Thu 4 **Advent Carol Service**
5.45 pm

Matin Responsory (after Palestrina)
Hymn: O come, o come, Emmanuel
The truth sent from above Vaughan Williams
Sussex Carol arr. Willcocks
Hymn: Hark! A herald voice is calling (NEH 5)
I wonder as I wander Martin Neary
Hymn: Hark, what a sound, and too divine for hearing (tune: Highwood)
Mary's Magnificat Andrew Carter
Joys Seven arr. Cleobury
Hymn: Longing for light, we wait in darkness
In the bleak midwinter arr. Mack Wilberg
Hymn: Hills of the North, rejoice (NEH 7)

Sun 7
5 pm

Said Eucharist

2nd Sunday of Advent

Purple

Isaiah 11.1-10
Psalm 72.1-19
Matthew 3.1-12

Tue 9
6-7pm

Beer and Carols

Join the Castle Chapel Choir in the Undie for a celebratory carol singalong! All welcome.

Thu 11
5.30 pm

A Festival of Christmas Lessons and Carols

Hymn: *Once in royal David's city*
Antiphon: *O oriens* Hywel Davies
Hymn: *Of the Father's heart begotten* (NEH 33, omit vv.4,6)
Tomorrow shall be my dancing day Gardner
Hymn to the Virgin Britten
Silent Night Gruber arr. Rathbone
Hymn: *In the bleak midwinter* (NEH 28)
Ding dong! merrily on high arr. Mack Wilberg
O holy night! Adam arr. West
Hymn: *O come, all ye faithful*
Hymn: *Hark! the herald angels sing*

Have a merry Christmas!

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A note from the Chaplain, Sam:

As Chaplain of Castle, I am here for *you*. As I get to know the life of this wonderful college, please stop me to introduce yourself. I am available for pastoral conversations. Please also contact me if you wish to be involved in the Chapel services (to read, set up, suggest ideas, etc.), or to explore using the Chapels for a special college event.



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