**WHAT'S ON IN JUNE & JULY 2016**

**Monday 4th July at 5.45pm:**
Recital.

**Monday 4th July at 1pm:**
Priests by Bishop Christopher.

**Saturday 2nd July at 5pm:**
concert by Sarasota Young Voices.

**Saturday 2nd July at 12.30pm:**
Memorial Service for Jim Morrison.

**Friday 1st July at St Columba's URC:**
Contemporary Christianity).

**Tuesday 28th June at 7.15pm in St Michael's:**
Organ Recital.

**Monday 27th June at 1pm:**
celebration of LB (Connor Sparrowhawk).

**Today at 6.30pm in Warwick Arts Centre Cinema Foyer:**
the Spirituals from Tippett's A Child of Our Time performed in celebration of LB (Connor Sparrowhawk).

**Monday 27th June at 1pm:**
workshops and networking for the local homeless and rough sleeping community.

**Saturday 30th July 4.30pm onwards in the Ruins:**
A showing of Jaws.

**Thursday 21st July at 9.20pm in the Ruins:**
A showing of Top Gun.

**Monday 4th July at 5.45pm:**
Remember our Child monthly service.

**Saturday 9th July 10am-1pm in St Michael's House:**
Prayer Training Morning.

**Sunday 10th July after Eucharist:**
(provisional) Cake sale in aid of Choir Funds.

**Tuesday 19th July:**
Blue Coat School end of year service; last entry Noon.

**Wednesday 20th July:**
Cathedral closed for Coventry University graduation ceremonies.

**Wednesday 20th July at 10am in St Michael's House:**
Breadmaking for OpenTable.

**Thursday 21st July 6pm-9pm in the Nave:**
Aquarium Memorial Event.

**Thursday 21st July at 9.20pm in the Ruins:**
a showing of Labyrinth.

**Friday 22nd July at 9.20pm in the Ruins:**
a showing of Jaws.

**Saturday 23rd July at 9.20pm in the Ruins:**
a showing of Top Gun.

**Monday 25th July at 12.15pm:**
informal concert by Pax Christi Chorale (Toronto).

**Saturday 30th July 4.30pm onwards in the Ruins:**
house Music event.

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**Coventry Recovery Community International Remembrance Event**

**Thursday 21st July, 6-9pm**
This is the first part of an overnight vigil and sleepover to commemorate members of our community who have died as a result of drug or alcohol use. Our aim is to raise awareness of Coventry's homeless and rough-sleeping community, coordinating with local services and recovery communities from all over the UK, local commissioners, service staff, peer supporters and volunteers, community members and friends, families and affected others.

The Cathedral will be open to the public as well as to registered sleepers and invited guests, service providers and exhibitors. Service providers, charities and information points will be offering advice and guidance, as well as networking opportunities for partnership working and community building. Everyone is welcome to show support for the local homeless and rough-sleeping community and to find out about ways to give or receive help and services which are offered.

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**CATHEDRAL MATTERS**

**Sunday 26th June**

**Trinity 5**

**8.00am**
Holy Communion

**10.30am**
The Cathedral Eucharist

**2.00pm**
German Lutheran Service

**4.00pm**
Choral Evensong

**6.30pm**
OPEN Table

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**Sunday 3rd July**

**8.00am**
Holy Communion (Holy Trinity)

**10.30am**
Ordination of Deacons

**2.00pm**
German Lutheran Service

**4.00pm**
Choral Evensong to Commemorate the Battle of the Somme

**6.30pm**
OPEN Breathing Space

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**A MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN**

Dear Friends

We greet you in the name of Christ, and welcome you warmly to the Cathedral today.

It's been quite a week. On Monday, we hosted what I understand was the first ever iftar in a Cathedral – offering hospitality in the name of Christ to our Muslim friends as they broke their fast at the end of the longest day during Ramadan. It was a precious occasion for the Cathedral and the City, and we were honoured by the presence of the Lord Mayor, the Bishop and a number of Syrian refugee families who have come to the city in the last year.

By the time you read this, we will know the outcome of the referendum. On Wednesday I received a copy of a letter from the Mayor of Dresden to our Lord Mayor, the Bishop and a number of Syrian refugee families who have come to the city in the last year.

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This morning Canon Sarah is preaching at St Christopher Allesley Park.
Coventry Cathedral Dining Club
TODAY! 11am-6pm
Back by popular demand, with food from Low & Slow, Platinum Pancakes, Original Patty Men, Café Horschata, Bournville Waffle Company, Jabberwocky, English Indian, Shake That Ting, Street Souvlaki, Big Daddies, Smooved.
Family Event Street Food Bar Bakery Cakes DJs Live Music
£3 entry, £2 students, kids free

Baginton Open Gardens:
Today Noon-5.30pm
12 beautiful village gardens will be open to the public and there is a flower festival in the 12th century church.
Admission £5 per adult (free for children under 15 with an adult). Ploughman’s lunches, tea, coffee and homemade cakes. All proceeds from the weekend will go to the upkeep of St John the Baptist Church.

Organ recital Monday 27th June at 1pm
This week’s programme, given by our Director of Music Kerry Beaumont, will include music by Marco Enrico Bossi, Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart and William Walton.

Transforming your Work with LICC and Workcare: Tuesday 28th June at 7:15pm in St James, Styvechale
Life at work can be challenging for us especially as Christians. This evening will give you a flavour of how you can live the difference Jesus makes in your workplace including ideas and stories of how you can transform your workplace.
Ruth Walker of the London Institute for Contemporary Christianity will speak and introduce ‘Transforming Work’.

There is a suggested donation on the night of £5 and there will be light bites and pudding.
For more information or to book a place email paul@workcare.org

Jim Morrison
There will be a memorial service for Jim on Friday 1st July at 3.30pm in St. Columba’s URC following a private funeral.

Saturday 2nd July at 12.30pm
Sarasota Young Voices
Sarasota Young Voices is a community choir which aims to reach children from all backgrounds and is recognised as one of Florida's best children's choirs. The singers are giving an informal concert as part of their tour of the UK and Ireland.

Prayer Ministry Training morning
Saturday 9th July 10am-1pm
St Michael’s House
This training morning for Cathedral Chaplains, Prayer Ministers and anyone interested in learning more about prayer ministry will be shared with Holy Trinity prayer ministers & wellcomers and led by Jo Ognanovic, director of the Coventry Prayer House. There will be an interactive recap of what we are doing in prayer ministry, time for questions, and opportunity to receive prayer ministry and pray for each other. Tea and coffee provided; bring your sandwiches and we will eat together at the end of the morning.
Anyone from any of the Cathedral congregations not currently involved in prayer ministry will be very welcome - have a word with Canon Kathryn if you are interested.

To help with planning refreshments etc please email margaretelloyd7@gmail.com if you intend to come.
Canon Kathryn

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CATHEDRAL COMMUNITY NOTICES

Readers
The Readers assisting at the Eucharist this morning are Pete Ashton from St Peter Kineton and Gemma North from All Saints Harbury.

Holiday Cathedral Matters
During July CM will be published on Sundays 10th, 17th and 31st. Please send your items as usual to cathedral.matters@coventrycathedral.org.uk Margaret Parker

The Iftar
Attending the Iftar on Monday night was an interesting and moving experience for me. Many Muslims attended, from Eagle Street Mosque and elsewhere, together with those of no faith. After a brief visit to the ruins - the first time for many - there were talks about the meaning of Ramadan and the meal. At 9.34 exactly - sunset - the fast could be broken: water, a piece of fruit. Then our Muslim friends assembled in the Lecture Hall for prayers: men at the front, women behind; others were welcome to observe. Then we all gathered in the Nave for a shared meal of samosa, curries, halva, lots of interesting conversations. I felt at one with everybody there. Let’s have more interfaith events like this! Richard Parker

The Last Leg for Romania!
Since 1994 members of the Cathedral congregation have supported some of Europe’s poorest people who live in Sibiu, Transylvania. In the last six years you have sponsored newly-qualified graduate therapists at the end of their courses in Occupational Therapy and Speech & Language Therapy to work for the summer with severely disabled children at the “Speranta” Centre. Many volunteers are from Coventry University. At the end of the summer they come to the Cathedral and talk of the lasting benefits of their work not only for the children, but on their own lives.
This summer 18 volunteers have applied to help the project. Each pays £500 towards their summer living costs.

Coventry Cathedral seeks Chaplains for our visitors
Are you secure in your faith and ready to be an ambassador?
Are you a good listener, comfortable with sharing faith or keeping silence?
Do you enjoy meeting people from all round the world and hearing their stories?
Are you discreet, able to respect boundaries and to work in a team?
Are you committed to the core values of peace and reconciliation and interested in playing a part in living this ministry at our Cathedral Church?
If this sounds like you and you have some spare time on your hands, why not become part of Coventry Cathedral’s volunteer Chaplaincy team? We’re a group of Christians from different churches, some from well beyond the city boundaries, who give a few hours each month to provide a ministry of welcome, prayer and listening to visitors. Training and support is available. Canon Kathryn

The response has been tremendous and there is only £290 left to raise. Are you able to help?
Please get in touch with me: Jane Williams, 63 Daventry Road, Coventry CV3 5DH JaneMLWill@aol.com

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