Welcome to everyone, especially if you are visiting or new to us! We’re delighted that you’re worshipping with us today. In this leaflet and on the Community Table (at the back of the Nave near the Baptistery) you’ll find more about what is happening in and around here.

- **Prayer points for this month**
  We pray for a constructive dialogue with our European friends and CCN partners in the wake of Brexit, for us to maintain the reconciled relationships forged at such great cost through the last century.

- **Today**
  The Reader assisting at the Cathedral Eucharist today is Jonathan Broom (St Botolph’s, Newbold-on-Avon & St John’s, Long Lawford).

  The Dean is presenting a Cross of Nails, blessed on 19th January, to Bergen Cathedral.

- **Reconciliation Book Group, starts Wednesday 12th at 2pm**
  The Dean leads a group looking at John Paul Lederach’s book “Reconcile” over 3 sessions (the later sessions are in March, on Wed 11th at 2pm and Tue 24th at 12:30pm). To borrow a copy of the book, contact alice.farnhill@coventrycathedral.org.uk. There will be two more sessions later in the year on different topics. All meetings will take place in the upstairs lounge in St Michael’s House. Bring your sandwiches if you wish!

- **Educational film screenings, Wednesdays 12th and 19th, Thursday 13th**
  In the Chapter House, starting at 1pm and running until just after 3pm. All films are free to attend, but you must obtain a ticket via the cathedral website, where you can find full details. Wednesday 12th: “2040”, by filmmaker Damon Gameau; Thursday 13th: “He named me Malala”, about Malala Yousafzai; Wednesday 19th: “Monsters and Men”.

- **Organ recital by Rachel Mahon, Saturday 15th at 10:30am**
  This 30 minute recital will launch my new album which features Canadian music on the Cathedral’s fantastic organ. There will be a short reception afterwards in the Brandt Suite of St Michael’s House where CDs will be available to purchase. At 9:30am I will be giving a children’s demonstration on the organ (please email me to register your child as space for this demonstration is limited; Rachel.mahon@coventrycathedral.org.uk). Rachel Mahon
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- Cathedral Walkers, Wednesday 19th
No details were available when this edition went to press, but I hope to have something for the Community Table on or before next Sunday. Dave Goodall

- Pancake Party, Tues 25th from 12.30 to 2 pm in the Nave
Help needed with games, crafts, welcoming and serving pancakes. Donations appreciated of jam, lemon curd etc for toppings plus money and shiny paper, ribbon etc for mask decorating. Box on Community Table on Sunday 16th. Margaretclloyd7@gmail.com; Mandy.wooltorton@gmail.com; Zoe.pimentel@coventrycathedral.org.uk

- Lent at the Cathedral (Lent starts on Ash Wednesday, 26th)
This new course explores the place of reconciliation at the heart of all Christian discipleship, and how we can live our faith in the face of conflict and see transformation through everyday encounters. The professionalization of our reconciliation ministry here at Coventry risks making us feel that it’s something others do for us: the Difference course sets out to change that, helping us to build reconciliation into every aspect of our lives. It will run either on Tuesday (probably) or Wednesday evenings through March in St Michael’s House, and an initial sign up sheet is on the Community table, so you can express a timing preference and I can order enough resources. Any queries – speak to Canon Kathryn.

- Revision of electoral roll
The formal notice was published last week. Existing membership remains valid, and new applications can be made from next Sunday (9th). If you have any queries, please see me (I will be at the Community Table for a short time after this morning’s service). Dave Goodall

- Information about Robert Prior-Pitt, former cathedral drama director
Robert’s widow, Pauline, has kindly sent me a brief article about Robert, who played Jesus in the Mystery Plays performed at the time of the consecration of the new cathedral in 1962. I have printed off a few copies and they are available on the Community Table. Dave Goodall

- Vacancy for Schools’ Team member (closing date noon on Friday 28th)
Term time (average 3 days a week), £9.00/hr (plus holiday allowance). Each year around 16,000 children visit the Cathedral as part of their school experience. We offer a wide range of tours, workshops and events covering history, maths, religious studies and art – to name but a few. If you are interested and can be available between 9:15 and 2:45, term time only, please complete an application form. Applicants will be required to hold a DBS disclosure. We also ask that the applicants have sympathy with the Christian ethos of the Cathedral. Interviews will take place at our offices on Friday 6th March (shortlisted candidates will be informed on Monday 2nd March). More information available from Louise Nicholls on 024 76521 200 or louise.nicholls@coventrycathedral.org.uk.

- Cathedral Prayer Circle
For emergency prayer, contact David Ogden on m: 0780 939 9793, e: david@ogden.me.uk.

Please send brief items of Cathedral news and events for the next edition of Cathedral Matters by the end of Tuesday 11th February for publication next Sunday to cathedral.matters@coventrycathedral.org.uk or phone 024 7652 1227.