Bradford Cathedral
Events & What’s On
January - April 2020
Year of Cathedrals | Year of Pilgrimage

FREE Admission to the cathedral and many events
# This Season’s Calendar

## January
- **Tuesday 14th**: Coffee Concert with James Gaughan  
- **Sunday 26th**: Holocaust Memorial Day Evensong with Address  
- **Wednesday 29th**: Serenity: Poetry, Song and Music

## February
- **Saturday 1st**: Son et Lumiere - Pilgrimage around Bradford Cathedral  
- **Sunday 2nd**: Annual Legal Service  
- **Sunday 9th**: Flourishing City - Vision 2040  
- **Tuesday 11th**: Coffee Concert with Rob Burton  
- **Sunday 16th**: Bishop Nick Baines: Waiting for a Miracle? | Evensong  
- **Tuesday 18th**: Family Activities  
- **Thursday 20th**: Family Activities  
- **Tuesday 25th**: Pancake Race  
- **Wednesday 26th**: Ali Thistlethwaite: Encounters with Jesus (until 12th June)

## March
- **Sunday 1st**: Fairtrade Breakfast  
- **Tuesday 10th**: Coffee Concert with Jill Crossland  
- **Wednesday 11th**: Lent Course 1: Pilgrimage with Canon Andrew Tawn  
- **Saturday 14th**: Singing Day with Prof. Paul Mealor  
- **Wednesday 18th**: Lent Course 2: Pilgrimage with Canon Andrew Tawn  
- **Thursday 19th**: The Civic Service  
- **Sunday 22nd**: Mothering Sunday service  
- **Tuesday 24th**: William Morris' Birthday  
- **Wednesday 25th**: Lent Course 3: Pilgrimage with Canon Andrew Tawn  
- **Saturday 28th**: Earth Hour Candle-Lit Concert with Ben Comeau

## April
- **Sunday 5th**: Palm Sunday, with Procession  
- **6th, 7th, 8th**: Holy Week addresses  
- **Thursday 9th**: Maundy Thursday service  
- **Friday 10th**: Good Friday service  
- **Messy Easter**  
- **Saturday 11th**: Holy Saturday service  
- **Sunday 12th**: Easter Sunday service  
- **Tuesday 14th**: Coffee Concert with James and Alex Woodrow  
- **Thursday 16th**: Family Activities  
- **Sunday 26th**: Hope on the Edge: Care of Planet Earth
A very warm welcome back to Bradford Cathedral for a New Year

Bradford Cathedral is now into our second century but the Christian faith has been present on this hillside for nearly fourteen hundred years. During 2019 we developed a broad and deeply engaging programme of services and events and there were some wonderful surprises.

We are aiming to maintain that in the coming years. This spring term we have some significant civic occasions, opportunities to enhance your faith through the Lent Course and arts and music to enhance our vision for life in all its fullness. We are growing something special here. I invite you to be part of it.

The Very Revd. Jerry Lepine, Dean of Bradford

2020: Year of Cathedrals, Year of Pilgrimage

2020 is a very special year where all the cathedrals will be celebrating what makes cathedrals special, as well as offering pilgrimage routes across the country.

A prayer for 2020

Loving God, draw us on the journey to the places of holiness, the places of peace, the places of fellowship, the places of encounter, the places of beauty, the places where faith has been lived, your love made known, your hope held out in the past, for the present, into your future. Amen.
Cathedral Services

**Sundays**
8am - Holy Communion (Lady Chapel)
10.15am - Choral Eucharist (Nave)
   inc. Children’s Space. Prayer Ministry takes place on the 3rd Sunday of the month.
4pm - Choral Evensong (Nave)

**Mondays**
8:30am - Morning Prayer (Lady Chapel)
5:45pm - Choral Evensong (Chancel)

**Tuesdays**
8:30am - Morning Prayer (Lady Chapel)
5:45pm - Choral Evensong (Chancel)

**Wednesdays**
7:30am - Holy Communion
   (St Aidan’s Chapel)
8:30am - Morning Prayer (Lady Chapel)
10:15am - Holy Communion
   (St Aidan’s Chapel)
5:30pm - Evening Prayer (Lady Chapel)

**Thursdays**
8:30am - Morning Prayer (Lady Chapel)
5:45pm - Choral Evensong (Chancel)

**Fridays**
8:30am - Morning Prayer (Lady Chapel)
5:30pm - Evening Prayer (Lady Chapel)

**Saturdays**
8:30am - Morning Prayer (Lady Chapel)
5:30pm - Evening Prayer (Lady Chapel)

Choral Evensong takes place during term-time. All services subject to change; please check the website calendar.

**Baptisms, Weddings, Blessings, Funerals and Spiritual Support**
We offer the possibility of supporting you and arranging significant life events for you and your family.

- If you would like your babies, children or yourself to be baptised we would like to help make that happen.
- If you would like to be married we have a range of packages which we would be happy to discuss with you. If you are already married and would like to mark a milestone, please speak to us about a wedding blessing.
- If you, or someone you know, is in difficulty and is looking for spiritual support, please ask as we may be able to help.
- If you want to know more about the Christian faith, we would love to meet with you.
- If you are looking for a Christian funeral we would be happy to help, either in the Cathedral or at the Crematorium.

For all enquiries please email the office on info@bradfordcathedral.org or phone 01274 77 77 20
Regular Events

Bradford Cathedral holds many regular events that anyone is welcome to join in with. You can find out more details about them here. For dates and times please visit our website.

Just A Minute
Most Sundays
11:45am - 12noon

An informal and fluid group who gather after worship over refreshments to reflect together what they will each take away from that day’s worship. All welcome.

justaminute@bradfordcathedral.org

Bring and Share Lunch
Third Sunday
12noon - 2pm

Open to everyone. Bring cold food to share. Drinks are provided. Advance booking not necessary. All are welcome.

bringandshare@bradfordcathedral.org

Silence Space
Second and Fourth
Mondays | 1pm - 1:45pm

An opportunity to meet with others for half an hour of silence-based prayer.

silencespace@bradfordcathedral.org

Carers’ Crafts
Tuesdays | 10am - 12noon
(term-time)

Offers a warm welcome to carers and past carers looking for a friendly and interesting group to join.

carerscrafts@bradfordcathedral.org

Women of Faith
Book Group
First Tuesday | 11am - 12noon | Waterstones

Open to people of all faiths and includes books on a variety of subjects, and includes discussion and a reading.

Stitching@
Bradford Cathedral
Alternate Tuesdays
1pm - 3:30pm

No experience or commitment needed.

stitching@bradfordcathedral.org

Wednesday@One
Organ Recital
Every Wednesday
12:30pm - 1:40pm

Free admission. £4 buffet lunch at 12:30pm with the recital at 1pm. Retiring collection available.

music@bradfordcathedral.org

Places of Welcome
Every Wednesday
2:30pm - 4pm

A friendly and welcoming social space where you can meet new people and also enjoy refreshments.

placesofwelcome@bradfordcathedral.org

Toddler Group
Friday | 10am - 11:30am
(term-time)

The group is open to anybody with children under five and there are plenty of activities on offer, plus healthy snacks are available.

toddlers@bradfordcathedral.org

You can also join us for our Silence Clinic on a Wednesday evening every alternate month. Join us at Bradford Cathedral on the 29th January from 7:30pm - 9pm.
A series of thought-provoking talks on a wide-range of subjects | All are welcome

Are you free on Monday afternoons?

Would you like to spend an hour once a month in the company of others, listening to interesting and informative talks on a wide range of topics?

Then join us in the Parish Room for Monday Fellowship.

New faces are very welcome, whether you come once for a particular talk or whether you come every month.

13th January
Dean Jerry Lepine
On the Way - the pilgrimage of faith

10th February
Martin Cosgrove
Is it possible to be a Christian in the military?

9th March
Nigel Burton
My life as a countryside volunteer

20th April*
Diane Hadwen
Joe Hardcastle
A bellringer’s tale

Join us on the second Monday of every month* from 2-3:15pm in the Bradford Cathedral Parish Room

For more information call 01274 77 77 20
or e-mail education@bradfordcathedral.org

*The April date has changed due to the Easter period
Singing Day with Prof. Paul Mealor

Join us for the Singing Day with Professor Paul Mealor, Professor of Composition at Aberdeen University.

Prof. Mealor is the composer of the UK Christmas No 1 with his piece for The Military Wives Choir and Gareth Malone, ‘Wherever You Are’ and the Motet, Ubi caritas performed by the choirs of Westminster Abbey and Her Majesty’s Chapel Royal, at the Royal Wedding Ceremony of His Royal Highness Prince William and Catherine Middleton. In 2012 Mealor was voted the nation’s favourite living composer during the UK Classic FM Hall of Fame.

Doors open: 10am
Morning session: 11am
Lunch: 12:45pm
A ‘noon session: 2pm
Tea break: 3:25pm
Final session: 3:50pm
Closing service: 5pm

*Plus booking fee

Wednesday@One Organ Recitals

Free admission. Retiring collection. Lunch is available from 12:30 - 12:55pm for £4 per head.

January
15th Graham Thorpe (Bradford)
22nd Robert Sharpe (York)
29th Ben Markovic (Worcester)

February
5th Stefan Donner (Vienna)
12th Christopher Stokes (Manchester)
19th Alexander Woodrow (Leeds)
26th Irena Kosikova (Prague)

March
4th Kurt Rampton (Birmingham)
11th Andrew Prior (Islington)
18th Ed Jones (Worcester)
25th Joshua Stephens (Sheffield)

April
1st Peter King (Bath)

For more information please visit bradfordcathedral.org/music/organ-recitals. Summer Season starts on Wednesday 15th April

Photo: Chris O’Donovan
Saturday 28th March  
8:30pm - 9:30pm  
£5 entry*
**Earth Hour Candle-Lit Concert with Ben Comeau**

Every year, we count down together across the globe to celebrate Earth Hour and take one iconic action: switch off the lights. But it is so much more than that. It is a symbol of unity. It is a symbol of hope. It is a symbol of power in collective action for nature.

Join us in March to mark Earth Hour with a beautiful candle-lit concert with live music from pianist Ben Comeau.

Ben Comeau is a London-based pianist, composer and organist, active in classical music, jazz and more. He graduated top of his year in music from Cambridge University, UK, where he was organ scholar at Girton College for three years, and he subsequently taught pastiche composition and practical musicianship at the university. He also studied postgraduate jazz piano at Guildhall, London, and in Cologne.

*Ticket price includes a donation to Earth Hour. Refreshments available from 8pm.*

[earth-hour-2020.eventbrite.co.uk](http://earth-hour-2020.eventbrite.co.uk)

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**All year**

**Bradford Cathedral Pilgrimage in a Day (from Dewsbury Minster)**

You can view this 12.5 mile route on the British Pilgrimage Trust website as well as download a GPX file. This route was created by Nick Mayhew-Smith, author of ‘The Naked Hermit’, and Britain’s Holiest Places.


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**All year**

**Bradford Cathedral Pilgrimage in a Day (from Halifax Minster)**

You can view this 9.5 mile route on the British Pilgrimage Trust website as well as download a GPX file. This route was created by Guy Hayward.

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*Plus booking fee*
Music

📅 Tuesday 14th January
⏰ 11am - 12noon
Coffee Concert with James Gaughan (Baritone)

James is an experienced baritone soloist, specialising in the song and concert repertoire. He gives regular recitals throughout the year. Past performances include at Southwell Minster, Derby and Wakefield Cathedrals. In the coming months he is due to perform at Manchester and Sheffield Cathedrals and elsewhere.

📅 Tues' 11th February
⏰ 11am - 12noon
Coffee Concert with Rob Burton (Saxophone)

Award-winning classical saxophonist Rob Burton won the Woodwind Category Final and was a Grand Finalist in BBC Young Musician 2018. Rob currently studies on a full scholarship at the Royal Academy of Music with Huw Wiggin and previously at the Junior Guildhall School of Music, where he was Sax.co.uk Scholarship holder.

📅 Tuesday 10th March
⏰ 11am - 12noon
Coffee Concert with Jill Crossland (Piano)

Jill Crossland has an active concert and recording career including many appearances at London’s South Bank and Wigmore Hall, Sage Gateshead and other major venues such as Bridgewater Hall, Vienna Musikverein, Vienna Konzerthaus and Leipzig Gewandhaus. Jill has been in the Arts Council Musicians in Residence scheme for Yorkshire and the Classic FM Hall of Fame.

📅 Tuesday 14th April
⏰ 11am - 12noon
Coffee Concert with James and Alex Woodrow (Violin and Piano)

James Woodrow studied violin at the Royal Northern College of Music. An active duo recitalist, he has played at St Martin-in-the-Fields, Bradford and Sheffield Cathedrals, Bury Parish Church and St Ann’s, Manchester.

Alexander Woodrow previously held the position of Organist and Director of Music at Bradford Cathedral. He is delighted to make a return to Yorkshire to take up his new appointment as Director of Music at Leeds Minster.

Join us for refreshments from 10:30am at all coffee concerts
BRADFORD FAITH TRAIL

Discover more about the faith communities along Leeds Road

Five places of worship | Within walking distance of the city centre
Learn about the traditions and cultures from those who practise them
Experience a warm welcome!

“It’s a tremendous offering to Bradford to have this trail; to appreciate all the cultures and religions here.”

“I found it very informative.”

“You see what the buildings are like inside; you see the way they are used and you get to know the people.”

The new season starts on Saturday 7th March 2020

First Saturday of the month (Mar-Oct) | 10:15am
Meet at St Peter’s Roman Catholic Church, Leeds Road

Includes a vegetarian langar lunch. Finishes at Bradford Cathedral around 3:30pm
Booking essential: education@bradfordcathedral.org | 01274 77 77 20
The journey from Ash Wednesday to Easter Sunday is not only dramatic, full of powerful symbols and special liturgies but also a significant invitation to hear and respond to God. Sin, selfishness, struggle, listening, forgiveness, prayer, fasting, scripture, suffering, death, resurrection, hope… they are all part of this journey with and towards Jesus. This year we are offering a range of opportunities for you to make Lent and Holy Week your own pilgrimage. Join us… on the way.

**Wednesday Breakfast in Lent at 8am**
Join us at the Rooftop Café after the 7:30am reflective Holy Communion service.

**Ash Wednesday Holy Communion Services 26th February 2020**
Including the traditional ashing. 7:30am (Breakfast at Rooftop Café afterwards), 10:15am and 7pm (Choral Eucharist)

**Art in Lent – Encounters with Jesus by Ali Thistlethwaite**
Launched at the Ash Wednesday 7pm service.

**The 2020 Lent Course – Pilgrimage with Canon Andrew Tawn**
Wednesday 11th, 18th and 25 March at 7pm, with refreshments from 6:30pm and night prayer at 8:15pm - 8:30pm.

The Archbishop of Canterbury’s Lent Book: "Saying Yes to Life" by Ruth Valerio
Copies will be available later in 2020 from Bradford Cathedral.
Holy Week 2020

Holy Week is quite simply a supreme gift. It is the opportunity in the Christian year to invest time in praying the momentous events that lead up to Easter. For centuries Christians have observed these days almost as a time for a communal retreat. It is a pilgrimage week as we learn the way of Christ through music, silence, listening, reflection, liturgy and action. Why not commit to attending as often as possible, as if you were part of the Gospel story and join others who are seeking to come to Christ, the Way, the Truth and the Life?

**Palm Sunday | 5th April**
- 10am  Procession with palms around the city
- 10:15am  Choral Eucharist
- 4pm  Choral Evensong

**Monday 6th, Tuesday 7th, Wednesday 8th April**

Our speaker during Holy Week will be the Revd Canon Dr Flora Winfield. She is the newly appointed Archbishop of Canterbury’s advisor on reconciliation.

- 7pm  Address by the speaker
- 8pm  Choral Compline

**Maundy Thursday | 9th April**
- 7pm  Choral Eucharist with the washing of feet.

**Good Friday | 10th April**
- 10am  Messy Easter (to 11:45am)
- 12noon  Good Friday procession followed by meditations and the proclamation of the cross, with music and hymns. Please come and go on the hour and half-hour. (to 3pm)

**Holy Saturday | 11th April**
- 7pm  Easter Vigil

**Easter Day | 12th April**
- Christ is risen!
- 8am  Holy Communion
- 10:15am  Choral Eucharist
- 4pm  Choral Evensong

In addition to this programme Morning Prayer (8:30am) and Evening Prayer (5:30pm) will take place from Monday to Saturday in the Lady Chapel.
Secret transactions with God in prayer have life-changing consequences. Within worship and prayer, sorrow can be turned to joy, tension to peace. Alison Thistlethwaite’s paintings aim to capture some of this process in paint. Her paintings are not just depictions, or recollections, of encounters with God through the Spirit. They are themselves painted in encounter with God, much like the prayers of any one of us, but in physical form.

Ali Thistlethwaite lives in Gloucestershire and this is her second exhibition at the cathedral.

The exhibition will launch at the 7pm Ash Wednesday service and run until the 12th June.
Faith

📅 Saturday
1st February
⏰ 6:30pm - 7:45pm
Son et Lumiere - Pilgrimage around Bradford Cathedral

To mark the Year of Cathedrals, Year of Pilgrimage, Bradford Cathedral invites you to join us for an evening pilgrimage around this sacred space, where Christians have worshipped for almost 1400 years. As we travel together around the cathedral, the story of Bradford and its cathedral will unfold in words and music. We will hear the prayers, poetry, stories, hymns and music of former times and there will be opportunities for reflection and contemplation as we experience movement and stillness, sound and silence, symbols, story and song in this beautiful and spiritual place.

We will meet outside the North Door of Bradford Cathedral, to begin our pilgrimage, at 6.30pm.

Please note that numbers are limited to 30 for this event. Please book early to avoid disappointment.

🔗 pilgrimage.eventbrite.co.uk

📆 Wed 11th March, 18th March, 25th March
⏰ 7pm - 8:30pm
Lent Course: Pilgrimage with Canon Andrew Tawn

The theme of this year’s lent groups will be Pilgrimage, as 2020 is to be the Year of Pilgrimage for all cathedrals across the country.

It is a rich theme, and can be taken both literally and metaphorically. We will be looking at what makes places holy, and spiritual journeys through the Bible, through the liturgy, and through our personal lives.

The Lent Groups this year will be led by Andrew Tawn, Director of Clergy Development and one of this cathedral’s honorary canons.

Refreshments from 6:30pm. Night prayer at 8:15pm.

📅 Sunday
2nd February
⏰ 4pm - 5:15pm
Candlemas Eucharist

The Eucharist on the Feast of the Presentation of Christ in the Temple marks 40 days since Christmas and is a pivotal point in the Christian Year. During the service all are welcome to join a procession with candles around the building.
Community

Sunday 1st March
📅 8:45am - 10am
Fairtrade Breakfast

We’d love to welcome you to our annual Fairtrade Breakfast. Whilst sharing fellowship with others we enjoy a simple but delicious breakfast in the cathedral. Come and sample Fairtrade muesli, jam, marmalade, chocolate spread, tea and coffee, along with locally produced honey and butter.

Suggested donations of £3 are requested to cover costs and to enable us to donate to the work of Traidcraft Exchange.

📅 fairtrade-breakfast.eventbrite.co.uk

Faith

Sunday 22nd March
📅 10:15am - 11:30am
Mothering Sunday Service

On Mothering Sunday we hold together two traditions. From our English past we give thanks to God for Mother Church; for the ways in which the church nurtures us and cares for us. From the more recent past we give thanks for our own Mothers and for those who have mothered us.

During our Mothering Sunday Choral Eucharist, flowers will be given out as a gift to all women present.

The Friends of Bradford Cathedral

The Friends of Bradford Cathedral is exactly what it says it is: a group of people who have joined together to promote the work of the Cathedral.

For more information, and to join, visit bradfordcathedral.org/about-us/friends-of-bradford-cathedral/or e-mail friends@bradfordcathedral.org.

Wednesday
17th June
Trip to Durham Cathedral

Including a guided tour, a lunchtime Eucharist, tea with the Friends of Durham Cathedral and Choral Evensong.
Family

📅 Tuesday 18th and Thursday 20th February
⏰ 10am - 2pm
Family Activities

Join us for more free family activities during the half-term holiday, as we welcome the spring with some lovely craft activities involving flowers and woodland creatures. As well as these, there will be colouring, quizzes and family guided tours at 11am and 1pm, for those who are curious to know more about this beautiful and historic building, the oldest building in Bradford! Join us for fun, facts, crafting and investigating!

🌐 family-activities-2020.eventbrite.co.uk

📅 Tuesday 25th February
⏰ 12:30pm - 1:30pm
Pancake Race

Join us for some competitive pancake racing as we find out who is flippin' great and who isn't, alongside food and fun!

🌐 pancake-race.eventbrite.co.uk

📅 Friday 10th April
⏰ 10am - 11:45am
Messy Easter

We will be exploring the events of Holy Week and celebrating the joy of Easter.

Join us for craft activities, Bible stories, songs, drama and food.

For all ages. Everyone is welcome!

🌐 messy-cathedral-easter.eventbrite.co.uk

📅 Thursday 16th April
⏰ 10am - 2pm
Family Activities

Have you run out of things to do in the school holidays? What about a visit to Bradford Cathedral? Join us between 10am and 2pm on Thursday 16th April for more free family activities in the beautiful and historic setting of Bradford Cathedral. There will be a range of craft activities, colouring and quizzes to suit all ages and you can experience family-friendly guided tours of the Cathedral at 11am and 1pm. There are lots of things to do, see and discover for children- and adults!- of all ages.

🌐 family-activities-2020.eventbrite.co.uk
Sunday 2nd February
11am - 12:30pm
Annual Legal Service

All the Judiciary, including High Court judges and Magistrates from throughout West Yorkshire, gather for this wonderful spectacle and public service when we acknowledge the sovereignty of God and the Judeo-Christian foundation of UK law and the legal system.

This year we are pleased to welcome the Right Revd Dr Helen-Ann Hartley, Bishop of Ripon, as the preacher.

You are invited to attend.

The guests of the Annual Legal Service 2019 gather.

Sunday 26th January
4pm - 5:30pm
Holocaust Memorial Day Evensong with Address

Holocaust Memorial Day 2020 marks 75 years since the liberation of Auschwitz-Birkenau.

Lilian Black, Chair of the Trustees of the Holocaust Survivors’ Friendship Association and the Holocaust Exhibition and Learning Centre at Huddersfield University, will give the address.

Her late father, Eugene, was deported from his home in Hungary in 1944 and sent to Auschwitz-Birkenau. He lost most of his family to the Holocaust but survived concentration camps and forced labour to make a new life in the UK.

Refreshments will be served afterwards.

Sunday 9th February
12noon - 12:45pm
Flourishing City - Vision 2040

A chance for the congregation and the public to express how they would like to see Bradford in 2040. This is part of a City Vision programme and your comments will be fed back to the Council.

Refreshments served from 11:30am after the morning service.
Sunday 19th March
5pm - 6:30pm
The Civic Service

The Lord Mayor, Councillors, Officers and Council employees gather with other leaders and representatives from all areas of City life to celebrate the wonderful diversity of Bradford and its unity of vision and purpose. The Lord Mayor will share some thoughts from her year of office.

A sherry reception for all is offered from 4pm and refreshments are served afterwards.

Sunday 26th April
6:30pm - 8pm
Hope on the Edge: Care of Planet Earth

Our memorable HOPE ON THE EDGE event last October, led by Christian young people, highlighted their concern that we halt the environmental damage we are inflicting across the globe. We warmly invite you to join us as we listen and pray about the challenges and opportunities of all this.

This is organised by WRIB – Welfare Reform Impact Bradford, who highlight social issues, through conferences and prayer events in Bradford.

Refreshments from 6pm.

care-of-planet-earth.eventbrite.co.uk

Tuesday 24th March
8:30am - 6pm
William Morris’ Birthday

Come and visit us on William Morris’ birthday to see two early examples of Morris & Co stained glass window work and our beautiful Morris & Co altar frontal in the Lady Chapel.

There will also be video highlights on our big screen and the chance to pick up a booklet to find out more about the William Morris windows.

Sunday 16th February
2pm - 3:30pm
Bishop Nick Baines Address: Waiting for a Miracle?; followed by Evensong

A contemporary look at politics, wisdom and faith with Bishop Nick Baines

This address will be followed by refreshments at 3:30pm. Bishop Nick will also be preaching at the 4pm Evensong.

Spring 2020 English Tourism Week

Look out for special videos exploring Bradford Cathedral later in 2020 as we celebrate English Tourism Week.

Why not make this the week for you to come and explore Bradford Cathedral if you haven’t before?
For generations, people have come to Bradford Cathedral to worship and pray, to reflect, or just to sit and enjoy the beauty and peace of this special place.

In 2019 we celebrated our centenary, and as we prepare for a new century, we’re launching an appeal to raise £150,000 to replace our old chairs. We want to better meet the needs of all those in our community who use this wonderful building now, and in the future. New chairs, that are both beautifully designed and practical, will help us to do this.

Please donate to our Take a Seat appeal and help us raise £150,000.

For more details visit www.bradfordcathedral.org/appeal or pick up an appeal leaflet at the Cathedral.
### 2020: At A Glance

**May**
- Friday 8th - Sunday 10th: VE Day 75 events
- Monday 11th: Bradford City Fire 35
- Tuesday 12th: Coffee Concert with Edward and Rowena Thornton
- Thursday 21st: Ascension Day Eucharist
- Thursday 21st: Thy Kingdom Come (Until Sunday 31st)
- Saturday 23rd: Choir tour to East Anglia (Until Thursday 28th)
- Tuesday 26th: Family Activities
- Sunday 31st: Pentecost | Messy Pentecost

**June**
- Saturday 6th: Volunteers’ Celebration (Volunteers’ Week, 1st-7th)
- Tuesday 9th: Coffee Concert with Adriana Cristea (violin)
- Saturday 13th - Sunday 21st: Refugee Week
- Wednesday 17th: Friends trip to Durham Cathedral
- Monday 22nd: Armed Forces Day
- Sunday 28th: Patronal Festival

*Also look out for events with the Bradford Literature Festival between the 26th June and the 5th July*

**July**
- Tuesday 21st: Family Activities

**August**
- Saturday 1st: Yorkshire Day Family Activities
- August 25th: Family Activities

**September**
- Tuesday 8th: Coffee Concert
- Wednesday 16th: Alpha Course begins
- Saturday 19th: Day of the Cathedral: Heritage Open Day
- Sunday 20th: Peace Sunday

**October**
- Saturday 3rd: Cathedrals at Night
- Sunday 4th: Harvest Service | Messy Harvest
- Saturday 10th: Boys’ Choirs Festival (Wakefield)
- Sunday 25th: EcoExtravaganza
- Tuesday 27th | Thursday 29th: Hope on the Edge
- Sunday 11th: Coffee Concert
- Tuesday 13th: Saying Goodbye Service
- Sunday 25th: Family Activities

**November**
- Sunday 1st: Festival of Remembrance
- Wednesday 4th: DeLacy Lecture: Bishop Nick
- Saturday 7th: Business and the Kingdom
- Tuesday 10th: Coffee Concert

**December**
- Tuesday 8th: Coffee Concert
- Saturday 12th: Congregational Christmas Lunch
- Monday 21st: The City Carol Service
- Thursday 24th: Carol Concert | Messy Crib
- First Communion of Christmas

*Events may be subject to change, and new events appear all the time. Please visit our website for all the latest updates.*
Partners
We would like to thank and acknowledge many of the local, national and international partners we work with to bring these events and our activities to life.

Discover more about the work of the cathedral and its events on our blog bradfordcathedral.wordpress.com/blog
Keep up-to-date with everything at Bradford Cathedral

Join our mailing list to receive regular updates on all our events, services and more.

bradfordcathedral.org/whats-on/mailing-list

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Download the free Refill app to find water on the go. Stay hydrated, save money and help prevent plastic pollution at source.

refill.org.uk
#RefillRevolution
Where to find us

We are within easy walking distance of Bradford city centre, the Bradford Interchange bus and train station, and Forster Square train station. There are three entrances into the cathedral, from Stott Hill (accessible entrance), Church Bank and via the State Gate steps next to Kala Sangam.

Local parking is available at the Broadway Shopping Centre every day from 6am until 1am, accessed via Hall Ings (BD1 1JR).

Visitor Information

Bradford Cathedral is open every day of the year except for some public holidays when we operate limited opening times. Bradford Cathedral is sometimes closed for private events and services. Please check our website, social media or phone our office before visiting to confirm our opening times.

Opening Hours
Mon - Sat: 8:15am - 5:30pm
Sunday: 7:45am - 5pm

Access Info
Entry to the cathedral via the Stott Hill entrance is flat, but please be aware some areas of the cathedral are very old.

We have a hearing loop available for some events and services.

Tickets
For many events you can turn up on the door but to guarantee a seat and to keep up-to-date with the latest information please book in advance at bradfordcathedral.eventbrite.com or by calling 01274 77 77 20.

Mailing List
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