

**THE COLLEGIATE AND PARISH CHURCH OF ST MARY DE CASTRO, LEICESTER**

**EVENTS CALENDAR 2026**

<b>FEBRUARY</b>			
<b>MONDAY</b>	2nd, 9th, 23rd,	12.00 – 15.30	SoundCafe Creative 12.45 – 14.15 SoundCafe Choir 14.15 – 15.15
	2nd, 9th, 16th 23rd,	18.00 - 21.00	Bellringing: peal
<b>TUESDAY</b>	3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th,	18.30 – 21.30	Leicester University Chamber Choir (LUCC) rehearsals.
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	4th, 11th, 25th	19.00 - 21.00	Leicester Universities Society of Change Ringers: Bellringing Practice
<b>THURSDAY</b>	5th, 12th, 19th, 26th	19.00 – 21.00	Bellringing Tuition & practice.
<b>FRIDAY</b>			
<b>SATURDAY</b>	7th, 21st	19.00 – 21.00	Bellringing: 10 Bell Practice.
	14th	10.00 – 12.00	Bellringing: Basic Tuition.
	28th	10.00 – 12.00	Bellringing: Advanced.

**\*Please note:**

Open Door daily as follows:

Monday            10.30 – 12.00  
 Tuesday          12.00 – 14.00  
 Wednesday      12.00 - 14.00  
 Thursday        12.00 – 14.00\*  
 Friday            12.00 – 16.00  
 Saturday         12.00 – 16.00

Church open on Mass days as follows:

Sunday          10.00 -10.55; 12.15 – 13.00

\*No Open Door Thurs 5th

**Forthcoming Events:**

**March**

Saturday 28th    Leicestershire Chorale: Lamentations for Passiontide - concert. Choral songs of Lamentations from the Renaissance to the Modern Age. 7.30pm - 9pm

**April**

Saturday 18th    Luminatus Vocal Ensemble. This concert reflects pieces written for different types of performance traditions. It includes music composed for use within Christian worship focused on great European cathedrals. Other pieces draw on more general spiritual texts, or forms of courtly love. There are some rare gems here and, collectively, they provide an opportunity to get to know musical styles drawn from the Renaissance to the present day.