

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

**EVENTS CALENDAR 2026**

<b>MARCH</b>			
<b>MONDAY</b>	2nd 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd,  2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd	09.15 – 10.30 12.00 – 15.30  18.00 - 21.00	Standing Committee of the PCC meeting. SoundCafe Creative 12.45 – 14.15 SoundCafe Choir 14.15 – 15.15  Bellringing: peal
<b>TUESDAY</b>	3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 10th	18.30 – 21.30  12.00 - 13.00	Leicester University Chamber Choir (LUCC) rehearsals.  Church Tour
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	4th, 11th, 18th,	19.00 - 21.00	Leicester Universities Society of Change Ringers: Bellringing Practice
<b>THURSDAY</b>	5th, 12th, 19th, 26th 26th	19.00 – 21.00  19.00 - 20.00	Bellringing Tuition & practice.  PCC Meeting
<b>FRIDAY</b>			
<b>SATURDAY</b>	7th, 21st 14th 28th 28th	19.00 – 21.00 10.00 – 12.00 10.00 – 12.00 19.30 - 21.00	Bellringing: 10 Bell Practice. Bellringing: Basic Tuition. Bellringing: Advanced. Leicestershire Chorale: Lamentations for Passiontide - concert. Choral songs of Lamentations from the Renaissance to the Modern Age. 7.30pm - 9pm

**\*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

**Forthcoming Events:**

**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.