



Oxford CCJ: the Council of Christians and Jews in Oxford

Oxford's oldest interfaith organisation

Welcome!

CCJ began its national pioneering work in 1942 and **CCJ Oxford** was one of the first local groups to be established. Since that time – almost 70 years - we have not ceased in bringing together Christians and Jews to enter into dialogue and learn from one another. We continue that interface which has enriched us in our own faith, understanding and spiritual journey. Not only that, our programme of events each month offers opportunities for broadened horizons within an atmosphere of trust and openness. Our monthly programme meets at different venues in the city, starting at 7.00. 7.30 or 8.00pm.

Do note the venue and times next to each event.

Look at our special page on the CCJ website: www.ccj.org for more details.

Or email me on peter.hewis@hmc.ox.ac.uk or call our secretary on **0207 015 5160**

We assure you of a warm welcome and an intellectually stimulating time whilst making new friends.

Peter

Rev Peter Hewis
Chairman



2010/2011 Programme of Events

Monday 17th May 2010

Sharing our Festivals II: Shavuot & Pentecost

Rev Dr Helen Anne Hartley and Dr David Ariel take us in to the meaning, fun and surprises of these two special festivals in Judaism and Christianity - and all this with traditional Jewish Shavuot Cheesecake refreshments!

Oxford Jewish Centre, Jericho, Oxford.

8 pm



Tuesday 6th July 2010-04-21

A Summer Soiree and a little light night music.

At the home of our Chairperson emeritus CCJ welcomes guests to a relaxing summer evening with a delicious buffet and live music. Call 0207 015 5160 for tickets.

Hinksey, Oxford

7.00 pm



Wednesday 20th October 2010

Special Guest Evening Jewish Way of Life Exhibition

A private showing and wine reception sponsored by the White Hart Hotel, Dorchester on Thames, of the famous Jewish Way of Life Exhibition at the beautiful Dorchester Abbey with a special Interfaith "Any Questions" Panel.

Dorchester Abbey, Dorchester on Thames

7.00 pm



Wednesday 10th November 2010

The Hidden Secrets of the Bodleian Library

An exclusive tour of the special historic collection of the Bodleian Library, Oxford, led by Dr Piet Van Boxel, the Curator. Afterwards Dr Boxel reveals his favourite and rare texts not usually seen by the public.

The Bodleian Library.

7.30 pm



Tuesday 7th December 2010

Film Night

A popular evening with a thought provoking film and discussion guaranteed - and special Advent/Hannukah refreshments.

Oxford Jewish Centre.

7.30 pm



Wednesday 26th January 2011

A Winter Conversazione

A warm winter evening "Open House" in Oxford for new members. Live chamber music and a delicious seasonal buffet and live music

Hinksey, Oxford.

7.30 pm



Tuesday 15th February 2011

The 2011 CCJ Oxford Richard Harries Lecture

Capacity audiences last year made this a popular event. Our Guest Speaker can be guaranteed to present a stimulating and challenging lecture on a topical theme.

Subject and Speaker will be announced in December 2010.

The Lecture will be preceded by a wine reception.

Christ Church Cathedral. Oxford.

7.00 pm



Wednesday 16th March 2011

Patrons Panel: Books I Read for Lent and Pesach!

A panel of CCJ Oxford Patron: Bishop of Oxford, RC Auxiliary Bishop of Birmingham, Professor Geza Vermes, Dr Nick King and Rabbi Dr Norman Solomon are interviewed by Robert Piggott, BBC News Correspondent on their reading in Lent and in the preparation for Pesach. Free Refreshments.

Harris Manchester College

8.00 pm



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