


Advent Meditation

at Bradford Cathedral



Join us for a moment of calm in the busyness of Advent. This meditation will be a special collaboration of music and monologues, reflecting on place of faith in the unexpected and challenging circumstances we find ourselves in.

Friday 20th December | 1pm

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Weaving Jesus into the rich fabric of the city and beyond

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In a special collaboration for this Advent, monologues by Revd Canon Ned Lunn and music by Rachel Chaplin are performed together in the beautiful surroundings of Bradford Cathedral.

Words and music combine to reflect on the place of faith in the unexpected and challenging circumstances we find ourselves in. Listen to the voice of Mary, the mother of Jesus, exploring themes of fear, expectation and hope as she wrestles with pregnancy and motherhood at a time of great upheaval.

Mary, played by Philippa Slingsby-Lunn, will be reading the words of Mary as a modern day pregnant woman. The Advent music is by Rachel Chaplin, performed by Evi Dobner (vocals) and Rachel Chaplin (piano).

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Rachel Chaplin is a classically-trained instrumentalist and composer. She performs internationally as an oboist with period instrument ensembles including the English Baroque Soloists, with whom she performed for the King's Coronation. Rachel's compositions combine her experience in classical music with a rich tradition of Christian worship, which she has practised in various forms throughout her life.



Evi Dobner is a singer, songwriter, dancer and sacred artist. Currently co-leader of worship at the Lee Abbey Community in Devon, she was formally involved in worship direction at St Paul's Hammersmith and before that in Budapest, where she was born and raised. Her most recent album is a solo collection of Hungarian lullabies Hamarosan.

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