



## The Medical Society of London - Summer Outing

**17 June 2023 – Cambridge – The Parker Library**

The Medical Society of London’s summer outing 2024 will be a day visit to Cambridge. This will include a visit to The Parker Library and lunch in Corpus Christi College. The Whipple Museum of Science will also be available for informal visits on the day.

The Parker Library is the College’s greatest national heritage treasure. It is internationally renowned for its important collection of medieval and renaissance manuscripts (including a substantial proportion of all extant Anglo-Saxon manuscripts), as well as valuable holdings of early printed books. It is one of the most significant surviving renaissance libraries in Europe. The collection, largely established by Matthew Parker (1504 -75) (Archbishop of Canterbury and Master of the College) in the late sixteenth century, includes such magnificent books as the sixth-century Gospels of Augustine, the earliest copy of the Anglo-Saxon Chronicle, the Bury Bible and the autograph copy of Matthew Paris’ Chronica majora.

The programme will be:

- 1245 Assemble at the Main Gate of Corpus Christi College
- 1300-1400 Lunch in Corpus Christi (light lunch with wine)
- 1400 First Guided Tour of The Parker Library (max 20)
- 1500 Second Guided Tour of The Parker Library (max 20)
- O/C Leisure time in Cambridge

Fellows and Guests are invited to make their own way to Cambridge in good time to assemble for lunch. There is a good train service from both Kings Cross and Liverpool Street.

The cost of the lunch will be **£30 per head** which includes wine.

**\*\*\*\*\*PLEASE RETURN THE ATTACHED INFORMATION BY 10 JUNE 24\*\*\*\*\***

**Name of Fellow and Guests**

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**I/We would like to attend the Summer outing to Cambridge on 17 June 2023. I will forward payment by Cheque/BACs (Sort Code 20 36 88 Acc 00756741 The Medical Society of London)**

**My email address is:**

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**I have no/the following dietary requirements**

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