

200TH ANNIVERSARY

ABOLITION OF THE SLAVE TRADE ACT

Lectures and events to commemorate
the bicentenary of the Abolition of
the Slave Trade Act

All are welcome
Tickets are not required
(except for 27 March)

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Monday 19 March at 1815

Lecture: Olaudah Equiano, Black Abolitionist

By Professor Vincent Carretta, Author and Associate Chair of the
Department of English, University of Maryland
In St Margaret's Church, Westminster Abbey

Tuesday 20 March at 1800

Lecture: The Abbey and the Abolition of the Slave Trade

By The Reverend Nicholas Sagovsky, Canon of Westminster
In Cheynevgates, Westminster Abbey

Sunday 25 March at 1830

A special service of commemoration open to all
The Grey Coat Hospital Gospel Choir
Westminster City School Drummers
In Westminster Abbey

Tuesday 27 March at 1200

A national service attended by HM The Queen: admission by invitation only
Broadcast live on BBC One and BBC Radio Four

Monday 16 April – Saturday 12 May

Visiting William Wilberforce's memorial

Visitors to William Wilberforce's memorial are welcome before Evensong
every day except Wednesdays and Sundays during this period

Monday – Friday (except Wednesday) at 1615 (Evensong at 1700),
Saturday at 1415 (Evensong at 1500)

23 May – 23 September 2007

The British Slave Trade: Abolition, Parliament and People

A special exhibition in Westminster Hall, Houses of Parliament
www.parliament.uk/slavetrade

Further information on the Abbey events:

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For more information on the slave trade,
both past and present, see: www.setallfree.net