WILLIAM SOMNER, 1606-1669

One-day Conference
Canterbury Cathedral Archives & Old Sessions House, Christ Church University, Longport, Canterbury, CT1 1PL
Saturday 23 March, 2019

PROGRAMME
Session One – Preliminaries - MEET AT THE CATHEDRAL ARCHIVES
9.30-10.45 exhibition of Somner manuscripts and books, Cathedral Archives
11.00-11.35 coffee at OLD SESSIONS HOUSE
11.35-11.45 welcome and introduction by Dr David Wright

Session Two – Somner and Canterbury
11.45-12.30 Professor Jackie Eales – Somner’s Canterbury
12.30-1.00 Avril Leach – Somner’s The Antiquities of Canterbury
1.00-2.00 lunch (not provided)

Session Three – Somner the Scholar
2.00-2.30 Dr Rachel Fletcher – The Anglo-Saxon/Latin/English Dictionary
2.30-3.15 Dr David Shaw – William Somner’s Books
3.15-3.45 tea

Session Four – Somner and the Church
3.45-4.45 Professor Kenneth Fincham – Somner and William Laud
4.45-5.00 questions, summing-up and close