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# POETRY IN THE CRYPT

St Mary's Church, Upper Street, Islington

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*Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> April, 7 p.m.*



**John Clegg** was born in Chester, lives in Cambridge and works as a bookseller in London. His most recent collection is *Holy Toledo!* (Carcanet, 2017). He edited the *Selected Poems* of John Heath-Stubbs, and is currently working on an edition of Christopher Middleton's letters.

**Sasha Dugdale** was born in Sussex; she has published four poetry collections, most recently *Joy* (Carcanet, 2017), which was a Poetry Book Society Choice. Its title poem 'Joy' won the 2017 Forward Prize for Best Single Poem. Sasha is a translator of Russian poetry and plays, and former editor of *Modern Poetry in Translation*. She is currently writer-in-residence at St John's College, Cambridge.



**Geraldine Paine** has published three poetry collections since 2008 with *Lapwing* (Belfast), most recently *Disappearing Tracks, a Story in Verse* (2016). Her poems have been in magazines such as *The Rialto*, *Magma*, *Agenda* and *The Frogmore Papers*, and anthologised in *Tokens for the Foundlings* (Seren) and *Songs for the Unsung* (Grey Hen Press). In 2018 she was shortlisted for the Bridport Prize and longlisted for the Live Canon International Poetry Competition. She has been a professional actress, specialist teacher, lecturer and magistrate. Born in London, now lives in Kent.

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