



Welcome to
The Church of St James the Greater
Leicester



Requiem for All Souls

Music by Gabriel Fauré

Choir conducted by Emma Trounson. Organ played by Michael Rule.

Strings: Knighton Chamber Ensemble

Elizabeth Medrow, Sue Holleworth, Kaushik Ganeshan, Paul Jenkins, Tim Batchelar

Please stand as the procession of choir and ministers enters in silence

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

The Lord be with you

and also with you

WELCOME *by The Reverend Andrew Quigley*

All **Almighty God,**
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hidden:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you,
and worthily magnify your holy name;
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Sit INTROIT

Choir Requiem æternam ...

Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord;
and let light perpetual shine upon them.

Thou, O God, art praised in Sion,
and unto thee shall the vow be performed in Jerusalem.

Thou that hearest prayer,
unto thee shall all flesh come.

Lord have mercy.

Christ have mercy.

COLLECT for the Commemoration of the Faithful Departed

A READING from Wisdom 3.1-9

Stand HYMN 812 Through all the changing scenes of life ...

THE GOSPEL John 5.19-25

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

All **Glory to you, O Lord.**

At the end

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sit SERMON

Kneel or sit PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION
COMMENDATION OF THE DEPARTED

in conclusion:

Choir Pie Jesu ...

Blessed Jesu, O Lord, grant them rest.

Stand THE PEACE

Jesus says: Peace I leave with you,
my own peace such as the world cannot give.

The peace of the risen Christ be always with you.

All **And also with you.**

OFFERTORY

Bread and wine are prepared by the priest.

Collection plates are on the tables at the back of church.

Please sit

Choir O Domine Jesu Christe ...

O Lord Jesu Christ, King of glory,
deliver the souls of the departed from the hand of hell,
and from the pit of destruction:

deliver them from the lion's mouth,

that the grave devour them not;

that they go not down to the realm of darkness.

With our prayers, O Lord, we offer a sacrifice of praise;

do Thou receive it on behalf of those souls

whom this day we commemorate.

Grant, O Lord, that they may pass from death to life,

which Thou did'st promise in ages past

to Abraham and his seed. Amen.

Stand The Lord is here.

All **His Spirit is with us.**

Lift up your hearts.

All **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All **It is right to give thanks and praise.**

Father, we give you thanks ...

... In our joy we sing to your glory
with all those to whom you have promised eternal life:

Choir Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus, Dominus Deus Sabaoth ...

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Sit or

Kneel We praise and bless you, loving Father,
through Jesus Christ, our Lord ...

... Praise to you Lord Jesus:

All **Dying you destroyed our death
rising you restored our life:
Lord Jesus, come in glory.**

The prayer concludes and all respond **Amen.**

As our Saviour taught us, in faith and trust we pray

All **Our Father, who art in heaven
hallowed be thy name;**

thy kingdom come;

thy will be done;

on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation;

but deliver us from evil.

**For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen**

Every time we eat this bread and drink this cup

All **we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.**

COMMUNION

Choir Agnus Dei qui tollis peccata mundi ...
O lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
grant them rest.

Solo Libera me, Domine, de morte æterna ...
Deliver me, O Lord, from eternal death in that awful day
when heaven and earth shall be moved,
when Thou shalt come to judge the world by fire.
Trembling, I stand before Thee,
and I fear the trial that shall be at hand and the wrath to come.
That day, a day of wrath, of calamity and of misery,
a great day and exceeding bitter.
Eternal rest grant them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
Deliver me, O Lord.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER then

All **God of love,
may the death and resurrection of Christ
which we have celebrated in this Eucharist
bring us, with all the faithful departed,
into the peace of your eternal home. Amen**

Stand **HYMN 207 Jesus lives! Thy terrors now**

The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

May they rest in peace.

All **Amen.**

Sit

Choir In paradisum deducant angeli ...
May the angels receive thee in paradise;
at thy coming may the martyrs receive thee,
and bring thee into the Holy City Jerusalem.
There may the choir of angels receive thee and with Lazarus,
once a beggar, may thou have eternal rest.

Please stand as the procession of choir and ministers exit in silence.