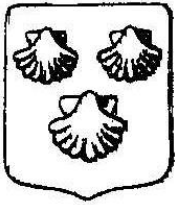
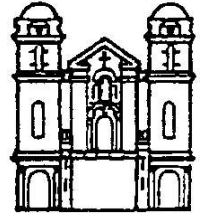


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This week at the Church of
St James the Greater
Leicester

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25 May 2014 –Sixth Sunday of Easter
Rogation Sunday

If you wear a hearing-aid, please switch to T to benefit from the inductive loop

Large-print hymn books are available from sidesmen

*The high altar may be approached via the side steps, which have handrails
Please inform a Churchwarden if you wish to receive Communion in your seat*

Prayer for the Week

God our redeemer,
you have delivered us from the power of darkness
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life,
so by his continual presence in us he may raise us
to eternal joy;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever

08.30

Holy Communion

Common Worship, Order 1 (Traditional)
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby
Churchwarden: Barbara Penrose

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order 1
see service sheet and music card
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby
Assisted by: Emmanuel Okoli and Peter Ireson
Churchwardens: Keith Vaughan and Julia Walker
Sidesmen: Cherry Fulloway and John Sharp
Servers: Ian Stapleton, John Finn and Angela Finn
Setting: Mass of St Thomas – Thorne

HYMN 106 (T. 332)	Lord of beauty, thine the splendour	
READING	Acts 17. 33-32	<i>read by William Woolley</i>
HYMN 118	Firmly I believe and truly	
GOSPEL	John 14. 15-21	
SERMON	Anthony Green	<i>Reader</i>
INTERCESSIONS	Vicky Roe	<i>Pastoral Assistant</i>
HYMN 391	Lord Jesus Christ, you have come to us	
SOLO	This is my body	<i>Owens</i>
COMMUNION HYMN 426	The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want	
HYMN 358	Father, who in Jesus found us	

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

18.30

Choral Evensong

see service card and music sheet

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby

Churchwardens: Tony Bentley and Julia Walker

Sidesmen: Rosemary Freer and Judith Hughes

Servers: William Woolley, Sara King and Rod Eynon-Baldock

HYMN 334	A man there lived in Galilee	
CONFESSION	<i>see buff service card</i>	
RESPONSES		
PSALM 15	<i>see green music sheet</i>	
FIRST LESSON	Zechariah 8. 1-13	<i>read by Tony Bentley</i>
MAGNIFICAT	<i>see green music sheet</i>	
SECOND LESSON	Revelation 21. 22 – 22. 5	<i>read by Sarah Kirby</i>
NUNC DIMITTIS	<i>see green music sheet</i>	
THE CREED	<i>see buff service card, p 3</i>	
RESPONSES		
PRAYERS	Margaret Terry	
HYMN 238	Blest are the pure in heart	
SERMON	The Vicar	
HYMN 87 (1st tune)	Hail the day that sees him rise	
BLESSING		
DISMISSAL <i>Plainsong</i>	The Lord be with you. Let us bless the Lord.	And with thy spirit. Thanks be to God!
VOLUNTARY		

Our Prayers are asked for:

Married yesterday

Michael & April Rule

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Vivian Edwards : Jean Wigglesworth : Arthur Higginson : Charles Wicksteed

Unwell

Geoffrey Simpson : John Raven : Gillean Russell : Cathleen Wood

Anne Hayter : Theo Saunders : George Daley : Eddie Rutter : Kenneth Lumb

Tom Skinner : Will Warner (Glenfield General ward 28)

Recovering

Anna Richerby (after surgery)

*The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by
Janet Felstead in memory of David.*

The Rest of the Week

Wed – Friday

08.30 **Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel**

Tuesday

07.15 **Holy Communion from the Reserved Sacrament**

Wednesday

14.15 Good Companions in the Large Hall

18.15 SJ2 (Junior Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft

Thursday

10.15 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order 1 (traditional)

Celebrant: The Very Reverend Dr Derek Hole

10.45 Coffee Drop-in in the Hall (access from the Church via the lift)

17.00 41st Leicester Scouts (boys and girls) meet in the Undercroft

19.30 Concert by *The Sixteen* – see back page for further information

Saturday

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

Sunday Next – Easter 7

08.30 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Reverend Jane Sharp

10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Celebrant: Reverend Jane Sharp

Preacher: Reverend Jane Sharp

Readings: Acts 1. 6-14 and John 17. 1-11

18.30 **Evensong** Preacher: Canon Dr Stephen Foster

Coordinating Chaplain to the University of Leicester

THE SIXTEEN – the world famous choral ensemble with their internationally acclaimed conductor Harry Christophers **are coming again to St James the Greater on Thursday, 29 May** – for the eighth successive year that St James the Greater has hosted the Sixteen on their Choral Pilgrimage. The programme is



entitled *Voice of the Turtledove*. It revisits the golden age of Renaissance polyphony in England and consists of music by John Sheppard, Richard Davy and William Mundy – a stunning mix! Tickets are £10 to £30 All seats are reserved.

Application forms are at the back of the Church or arrange to call at the church office in person on a weekday 0116 254 2111.

Online payment by debit /credit card can be made www.stjamesthegreater.org.uk

PARTY! On Sunday 8 June, after Evensong, join Barbara Penrose and Janet Burton to celebrate their 70th birthdays. Please bring a dish to share, drinks provided. Everybody welcome – no gifts, we just would like your company! ***Sign up at the back of the church to help us with numbers.***



The Community of Grace on Gwendolen Road recently appealed for our support in objecting to proposed extension of

hours to the operation of *The Venue* opposite. Our response contributed the proposed extension of hours being denied. The Venue is now attempting again to gain extension.

The Community of Grace is a refuge for people who have been grievously traumatised and have lost hope. They aim to create an atmosphere of acceptance, warmth and a good degree of serenity, so as to help residents return to a life which brings them some fulfilment. Disturbance taking place late at night – and into the early hours – seriously undermines our efforts,

Letters at the back of the church explain the objection to the latest licensing application, and can be signed in petition by anyone who shares the concern. These can be left at the back of the church to be sent on together.

DIARY DATE – GRAND AUCTION! This year we will be holding an Auction in place of the Bazaar, with all proceeds going towards the costs of repair to the building. The Auction will be on **Friday, 21 November** and we welcome donation of all kinds. ***Please mark the date in your diaries and think about something you might offer. Notification of planned donations should be sent to the church office.***