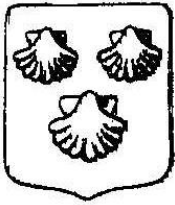
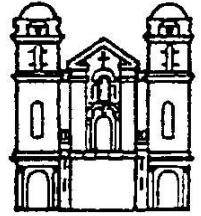


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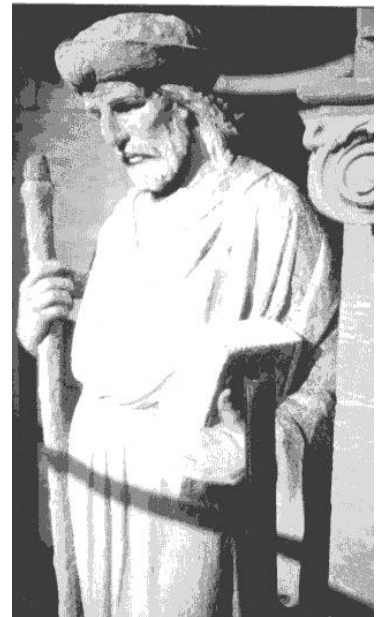
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PATRONAL FESTIVAL

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

Merciful God, whose holy apostle Saint James,
leaving his father and all that he had,
was obedient to the calling of your Son Jesus Christ
and followed him even to death:
help us, forsaking the false attractions of the world,
to be ready at all times to answer your call without delay;
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 I (Traditional)
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
Churchwarden: Julia Walker

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order I
see order of service
Celebrant: Bishop Christopher Boyle
Assisted by: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby and Lucy Hutchinson
Churchwardens: Keith Vaughan and Caroline Beardsmore
Sidesmen: Cherry Fulloway, John Sharp and Janet Burton
Servers: Ian Stapleton, Angela Finn and David Roberts.
Setting: Rawsthorne

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

18.30

Festal Evensong

see order of service

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
Churchwardens: Julia Walker and Tony Bentley
Sidesmen: Rosemary Freer, Ken Lumb and Judith Hughes
Servers: William Woolley, April Rule, Hilary Rees,
Valerie Bailey and Rod Eynon-Baldock
Thurifers: Sara King and Owen Jones

Our Prayers are asked for:

Thanksgiving for childbirth

Grace Louise, a baby girl for Matthew and Helen Haynes

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Marjorie Booton : Joyce Smith : Margaret Judd : Jean Mason

Unwell

Geoffrey Simpson : Will Warner : Eddie Rutter : Theo Saunders

Ray Wood : Anne Hayter : George Daley

Rachel Stevens (Bishop Tim & Wendi's daughter) with the return of cancer

Recovering

Angela Hefford (following hip-replacement surgery) John Raven (following surgery)

Rest in Peace

Angela Brian (56) Grandmother of Tayla & Ellis in our choir

William Goode Dawson (82)

The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by Pauline Hannaford.

The Rest of the Week

Wed – Friday

08.30 **Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel**

Tuesday *Mary, Martha & Lazarus, companions of Our Lord*

07.15 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Thursday *Ignatius od Loyola, founder of the Society of Jesus, 1556*

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

Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

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

19.30 St James Singers Choir Practice

Saturday

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

Sunday Next – Trinity 7

- 08.30 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby
10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Readings: Isaiah 55.1-5 & Matthew 14.13-21
Celebrant & Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby
18.30 **Evensong in anticipation of the Transfiguration of Our Lord**
Officiant & Preacher Canon Glynn Richerby

CHOIR TOUR Below are pictures from the tour. The choristers and adults alike had a wonderful time – although us older ones have come back rather tired! We sang for services in St Mary Redcliffe, Bristol and Exeter Cathedral, visited Paignton Zoo, enjoyed the beach and swam in the pool. But the revelation was the dancing – who knew they all had such moves! Thanks to Mike for stepping in as Choir Director when Matt realised he was needed in Leicester(!); to Roxy for overcoming the difficulties of an awkwardly placed organ console and playing superbly well; to Rachel, Glynn and Sue for looking after the youngsters; and to Annabel for brilliantly organising the logistics of travel, accommodation and meals. Most of all, thanks to the choir for superlative singing and being an absolute delight. Watch this space for next year's destination...



FRIENDS OF ST JAMES Today we welcome the Friends of St James for the inaugural Friends AGM and service. There are leaflets at the back of the church with information on the Friends and how to join.

RECITAL Robert Schumann - Dichterliebe, Frauenliebe und Leben. Richard Paterson (baritone) Maria O'Connell (mezzo soprano) John Gull (piano).
St Andrew's, Aylestone on 2 August at 7.30pm £8 (£5 conc.) on the door.

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.

SATURDAY STOP BY

Every Saturday the Islamic Society of Britain Leicester (ISB) in partnership with St James the Greater Church feeds up to 70 homeless and vulnerably housed people in the Undercroft of St James the Greater.

'Saturday Stop-by' is a drop in service where those less fortunate than ourselves can enjoy a hot nutritious meal, hot and cold beverages and have the opportunity to engage in recreational activities.

In a recent survey we asked clients what would happen if Saturday Stop-by closed, the responses we had were 'I would go hungry' and "I would be very lonely without Saturday Stop-by".

We desperately need your support to continue providing this essential service.

£10 will provide 5 hot meals

£50 will provide 25 hot meals

£100 will provide 50 hot meals

If you or your company / group can help please place money in a yellow gift aid envelope marked "Stop By".

USED STAMPS

Please place your used stamps in the box provided on the back table. They are used to raise money for charity.

GIVING TO ST JAMES THE GREATER

YOUR GIFT is a vital contribution to the costs of ministry and maintenance of this fabulous place of worship. ***Please be as generous as your means allow.***

Visitors who are UK tax payers are asked to use Gift Aid envelopes available in front of each seat. Gift Aid increases the value of your gift by 25%.

Regular worshippers are asked to commit to regular giving, either by obtaining a supply of special envelopes for weekly giving on the plate, or by Bank Standing Order.

To arrange for either of these options, please contact the Church's Treasurer and Gift Aid Secretary, Mr John Sharp – 259 2758.

AUTUMN CONCERT DATES

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| 25 September | St James Baroque Soloists conducted by Matthew Haynes with the Music and Amicable Society featuring music by Vivaldi and JS Bach |
| 17 October | Boyan Ensemble of Kiev
Orthodox Liturgical Music and traditional Ukrainian songs |
| 29 November | The Leicester Bach Choir conducted by Richard Laing and the Bach Camerata Messiah by George Frederick Handel |