

This week at the Church of St James the Greater

Leicester

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28 September 2014 ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS Centenary of the completion of the church building

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

Everlasting God,
you have ordained and constituted
the ministries of angels and mortals in a wonderful order:
grant that as your holy angels always serve you in heaven,
so, at your command, they may help and defend us on earth;
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: Michael Bull

10.30 Children's Sunday Club

Starting off together in Church

10.30 Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order I see service sheet and music card

Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp

Assisted by: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby and Lucy Hutchinson

Churchwardens: Keith Vaughan and Margaret Terry

Sidesmen: Cherry Fulloway, John Sharp and Janet Burton

Servers: Peter Ireson, Tanaka and Takudzwa Chizema

Setting: Missa de sancta Maria Magdalena – Willan (Gloria: Lécot)

HYMN 198 Ye holy angels bright

READING Revelation 12. 7-12 read by Margaret Terry

HYMN 144 Come, let us join our cheerful songs

GOSPEL John I. 47-end

SERMON The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

INTERCESSIONS The Reverend Jane Sharp

HYMN 96 Bright the vision that delightedANTHEM God so loved the world *Ley*

COMMUNION HYMN 254 (t15) Thee we adore
HYMN 284 In our day of thanksgiving

VOLUNTARY

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

18.30 Choral Evensong

celebrating

25 years of LeicesterShire Ride+Stride
50 years of the LeicesterShire Historic Churches Trust
100 years of the completion of St James the Greater
see order of service

Churchwardens: Julia Walker and Michael Bull Sidesmen: Rosemary Freer and John Sharp Servers: William Woolley, Hilary Rees and Hazel Carlin

followed by a drinks reception at the back of the church

Our Prayers are asked for:

Thanksgiving for childbirth

Drusilla – a daughter for Denisiya & Keailrajah and a sister for Rebekah

Married yesterday

David & Hazel (nee Bickerstaffe) Snashall

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Vivian Edwards: Jean Wigglesworth: Arthur Higginson: Charles Wicksteed

Unwell

Eddie Rutter: Theo Saunders: Anne Hayter

George Daley: Rachel Stevens (Bishop Tim & Wendi's daughter)

Rest in Peace

Will Warner (77) funeral on Tuesday, 30 September at 12 noon

The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by Derick Horsfall in memory of Pam

Tuesday

07.15 Holy Communion Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

12.00 Funeral of Will Warner

Wednesday

10.00 DAY TRIP TO COVENTRY members of the congregation are invited to join Friends of St James the Greater. Highlights include: Coventry Cathedral – The Three Cathedrals Guided Tour – 1000 years of history.

Free time to visit St Mary's Guildhall, Hobart Art Museum or Motor Museum

Choral Evensong

Returning at 7pm, cost £18 (excludes lunch.) Everyone is welcome.

To book a place please contact the Church Office by tomorrow, Monday 29 September at the latest

Thursday

10.15 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order I (traditional) Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp

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

14.30 At Home with Hilary Simpson at 24 Holmfield Road

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

19.30 St James Singers Choir Practice

Saturday 4 October GIFT DAY

The Vicar will be in Church from 10am until 2pm to receive gifts to boost the Church's repair fund. Gift Day Envelopes are at the back of the Church

Sunday, 5 October HARVEST THANKSGIVING

08.30 & 10.30 Eucharist 18.30 Festal Evensong

with thanksgiving for time, talents & money given to the church



Gifts brought to services will be primarily for the Red Cross Destitution Project. Tinned produce and long shelf-life food, such as pasta and rice, along with basic toiletries, such as shower gel, would be much appreciated.

Fresh fruit and vegetables will be gratefully received by Action Homeless.

A CAKE SALE organised by Maddie Cowley in aid of Macmillan follows the Harvest Eucharist in the Church Hall. Donations of cakes welcome. Come along!

JANE SHARP is to be Licensed as a Chaplain to Leicester College on Thursday 9 October 12.30 – 14.00 in the Granby Suite, Freeman's Park Campus. This is in addition to her Associate Priest's role at St James the Greater. It is a wonderful opportunity for members of our congregation to share in a service together at the College and to show support for Jane.

Please let the Vicar know if you wish to attend no later than Wednesday, I October: 254 4113

JOY OF THE GOSPEL The Bishops Lay Congress on Saturday 8 November 2014, 9.30am-3.45pm at Saint Martin's House

[please ignore wrong information in the Quarterly]

Living in times when there are many challenges to faith and much to be preoccupied with in maintaining the church, we might easily become downcast and cheerless in living out our faith. Yet those who seek to follow Jesus are encouraged by Him to know and share his joy – so what does this joy look like and what are the disciplines, the practices and the habits of heart and mind that can help us to share in Jesus' joyfulness? How is it we are to truly be his joyful disciples, come what may? Keynote speaker is Dr Jane Williams, broadcaster, author and lecturer in theology. Other speakers include Sister Frances Dominica, founder of the world's first children's hospice, the Very Rev David Monteith, Dean of Leicester Cathedral and Rt Revd Tim Stevens, Bishop of Leicester.

Admission free, tickets must be obtained in advance - see leaflet for details

GRAND AUCTION! Please would all members of the congregation take a form on which they can offer something for the Auction on 21 November. If you are able to ask friends or contacts if they would like to offer something, then please take additional forms to pass on to them.

The proceeds will go the Building Appeal, to secure our wonderful building for future generations. The Auction promises to be entertaining and exciting, so please note the date in your diaries.

PANTOMIME we are organising a trip on 27 December to see the matinee of Puss in Boots at the Little Theatre which features our own Mike Bull! Tickets are £14, though there will be a discount if enough people sign up for a group booking. If you are interested please contact the Church Office by 2 October.

AUTUMN CONCERT DATES

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