

This week at the Church of St James the Greater Leicester

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12 October 2014 17th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

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

Almighty God, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you: pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself, and so bring us at last to your heavenly city where we shall see you face to face; 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 Jane Sharp
Churchwarden: Julia Walker

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 Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
Assisted by: Vicky Roe and Peter Ireson
Churchwardens: Michael Bull and Barbara Penrose
Sidesmen: Lindy Forbes, Jane Welsh and Darienne Griffith
Servers: Ian Stapleton, Tanaka Chizema and Takudzwa Chizema
Setting: German Mass – Schubert

HYMN 196 Songs of praise the angels sang

READING Isaiah 25. 1-9 read by Caroline Beardsmore

HYMN 259 My God, and is thy table spread

GOSPEL Matthew 22. 1-14

SERMON The Vicar

WELCOME to David Brunning as a newly Licensed as a Reader AFFIRMATION see separate paper led by Vicky Roe, Pastoral Assistant

HYMN (separate sheet) There's a wideness in God's mercy

ANTHEM Psalm 23 Goodall

COMMUNION HYMN 473 I come with joy to meet my Lord

HYMN 403 Now let us from this table rise

VOLUNTARY

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

18.30 Choral Evensong

see service card and music sheet

Officiant: The Reverend David Clark

Churchwardens: Julia Walker and Margaret Terry

Sidesmen: Rosemary Freer and John Sharp

Servers: Michael Bull, Valerie Bailey and Hilary Rees

HYMN 194 King of glory, King of peace

CONFESSION see buff service card

RESPONSES Sung by the Choir Leighton

PSALM 145 see green music sheet

FIRST LESSON Proverbs 3. 1-18 read by Barbara Penrose

MAGNIFICAT Sung by the Choir Sumsion in G

SECOND LESSON | John 3. 1-15 | read by Rhaana Starling

NUNC DIMITTIS see green music sheet
THE CREED see buff service card, p 3

RESPONSES

ANTHEM And I saw a new heaven Bainton

PRAYERS The Reverend David Clark

HYMN 126 The King of love my shepherd is

SERMON Angela Jagger

HYMN 133 Immortal Love for ever full

BLESSING

DISMISSAL Plainsong The Lord be with you. And with thy spirit.

Let us bless the Lord. Thanks be to God!

VOLUNTARY

Our Prayers are asked for:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Vivian Edwards: Jean Wigglesworth: Arthur Higginson: Charles Wicksteed

Unwell

Mary Scarborough (LRI 32) after surgery: Eddie Rutter: Theo Saunders
Anne Hayter: George Daley: Rachel Stevens (Bishop Tim & Wendi's daughter)

Rest in Peace

Kathleen Edgely (101) Judith Hughes' aunt Funeral Service at St Margaret's on 15 October at 10.45

The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by Kathleen Sowman in memory of Bill.

The Rest of the Week

Wed - Friday

08.30 Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel

Tuesday

07.15 Holy Communion Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Wednesday

18.15 SJ2 (Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft

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)

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

19.30 St James Singers Choir Practice

Friday

18.00 Choir Practice

Saturday

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

Sunday Next - Trinity 18

08.30 Holy Communion Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

10.30 Sunday Club meets in the Large Hall, starting off in Church

10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

Preacher: David Brunning

Readings: Isaiah 45. I-7 & Matthew 22. I5-22

18.30 **Evensong** Officiant: Canon Glynn Richerby

Preacher: Sheila Roberts

GIFT DAY Last weekend £3462 (including Gift Aid) was given to the Church's fabric fund. These very generous donations will help towards to cost of the second phase of structural repairs to the church.

BAKE SALE FOR MACMILLAN CANCER CARE Thank you to all who contributed cakes and came along to buy a sweet treat or two. Well done chorister Madeline Cowley in taking this initiative -£75 was raised!

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

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 Revd David Monteith, Dean of Leicester Cathedral and the 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.

VOLUNTEERS are required to drive the minibus and chaperone the junior choristers from Samworth each Wednesday (term time) on a rota basis straight after school. Drivers must have a clean driver's licence and aged under 70. Drivers and chaperones will need a current DBS clearance (formerly CRB) or the church can apply for one for you. **Please sign up on the list at the back of the church**

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. If you are UK tax payers please use a Gift Aid envelope which increases the value of your gift by 25%.

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

I I December Musical and Amicable Society directed by Martin Perkins

Featuring music by Bach, Telemann, Vivaldi and Corrette