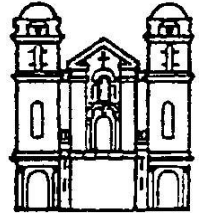


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This week at the Church of
St James the Greater
Leicester

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5 APRIL 2015 – EASTER DAY

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 a gluten free wafer
or receive Communion in your seat.*

Prayer for the Week

Lord of all life and power,
who through the mighty resurrection of your Son
overcame the old order of sin and death
to make all things new in him:
grant that we, being dead to sin
and alive to you in Jesus Christ,
may reign with him in glory;
to whom with you and the Holy Spirit
be praise and honour, glory and might,
now and in all eternity.

08.30

Sung Eucharist

See service sheet and music card

Hymns: 77, 78 (2nd tune), 81, 79 and 82

Celebrant: The Reverend David Clark

Assisted by: Canon Glynn Richerby and April Rule

Churchwardens: Keith Vaughan and Barbara Penrose

Sidesmen: Sally Coles, Janet Burton, Cherry Fulloway and April Burton

Servers: David Nisbet, Hazel Carlin and David Roberts

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10.45

All Age Worship

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Churchwardens: Margaret Terry and Julia Walker

Sidesmen: Pat Ireson, Graham Prowse, Claire Prowse and David Pugh

Servers: Michael Bull, Emma-Jane Finn and Della Evans

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

Vicar Alleluia! Christ is risen.
All **He is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

INTROIT Easter Eggs! Easter Eggs! *arranged by Theo Saunders*

Vicar We are all risen with Christ. *All loudly* **The Lord is life!**
Eternal life is ours. **The Lord is life!**
Death has met its master. **The Lord is life!**
The way to heaven is open. **The Lord is life!**
He is risen indeed. *All shout* **Alleluia! Amen!**

HYMN 77 **Jesus Christ is risen today**

Lord Jesus, you forgive us our sins.
Lord have mercy. *All* **Lord have mercy.**
Lord Jesus, you raise us to new life.
Christ have mercy. *All* **Christ have mercy.**
Lord Jesus, fill us with hope.
Lord have mercy. *All* **Lord have mercy**
May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins,
and bring us to eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
All **Amen.**

Footprints

READINGS St Luke 24.1 – 5 & 24.13 - 16

HYMN 85 **Good Christians all**

PRAYERS

Members of the Congregation are now invited to join the Choir to sing:

ANTHEM *Hallelujah Chorus* (see separate sheet) Handel

All **We believe in God the Father, by whose great mercy
we have been born again to a living hope,
through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.
We believe in God the Son, who died for our sins,
and rose again to give us life.
We believe in God the Holy Spirit, who bears witness
within us that we are the children of God. Amen**

HYMN 428 **Thine be the glory ...**
during which a collection is received – please be generous!

BLESSING

DISTRIBUTION OF EASTER EGGS

ORGAN VOLUNTARY



12.00

Holy Communion

in the Lady Chapel

18.30

Festal Evensong

see service card and music sheet

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Churchwardens: Tony Bentley and Michael Bull

Sidesmen: Colin Stray, Angela Stray and Lin Mawer

Servers: William Woolley, Valerie Bailey and Hilary Rees

INTROIT Love is come again *arranged by Theo Saunders*

HYMN 73 **Ye choirs of new Jerusalem**

CONFESSION *see buff service card*

RESPONSES Sung by the Choir *Leighton*

EASTER ANTHEMS *see separate sheet*

FIRST LESSON Ezekiel 37. 1-14 *read by Colin Stray*

HYMN 83 Love's redeeming work is done

MAGNIFICAT Sung by the Choir *Stanford in C*

SECOND LESSON Luke 24. 13-35 *read by Angela Stray*

NUNC DIMITTIS Sung by the Choir *Stanford in C*

THE CREED *see buff service card, p 3*

RESPONSES Sung by the Choir *Leighton*

ANTHEM Blessed be the God and Father *Wesley*

PRAYERS Margaret Terry

HYMN 80 **Alleluia, Alleluia, hearts to heaven**

SERMON The Reverend David Clark

HYMN 329 (Part 3 & doxology) **That Eastertide with joy was bright**

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:

Baptised & Confirmed at a dawn service at the Cathedral today

Michael Rule

All prevented from worshipping with us

Unwell

Theo Saunders : Barbara Green : George Daley : Rita and Ken (friends of Doris)

Recovering

Jill Valentine : Vicky Roe : Jane Welsh

Our gratitude goes to members of the Flower Guild who have decorated our church so beautifully for Easter Day. The impact is all the greater following the austerity of Lent.

Thank you to everyone who donated towards purchasing the flowers

The Rest of the Week

Tuesday

07.15 **Holy Communion** NO SERVICE

Thursday

10.15 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order I (traditional)
from the Reserved Sacrament

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

Saturday

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

Sunday Next – Easter 2

08.30 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Reverend David Clark

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

10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Celebrant: The Very Revd Dr Derek Hole

Preacher: The Very Revd Dr Derek Hole

Readings: Acts 4. 32-35 & John 20. 19-end

18.30 **Evensong** Officiant: The Very Revd Dr Derek Hole

Preacher: Angela Jagger, Reader

REVISION OF THE CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL

The annual revision of the Electoral Roll will take place between **Sunday, 8 March and Easter Sunday, 5 April.**

It is necessary for everyone standing for office at the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) and everyone voting at the APCM to be on the Electoral Roll. It is desirable for everyone aged 16 or upwards who regularly worships at our church to be on the Electoral Roll. At present less than a half of those who qualify have filled in the simple form requesting to be on the Roll.

Electoral Roll forms are available at the back of the church and also a box in which to place completed forms.

THE ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

This opportunity to review our life together and look to the future is to follow the mid-morning Eucharist **on Sunday, 26 April at 11.45. Please would everyone associated with St James arrange to be at the meeting, if at all possible.**

TRIP on Tuesday June 2 The Friends of St James the Greater Church are organising a visit to **Hereford Cathedral**. The visit includes a short organ recital, a guided tour of the Cathedral and the Mappa Mundi & Chained Library Exhibition which includes a 1217 copy of Magna Carta. We'll be back in Leicester by about 7pm. The cost is £25 per head (excl. lunch) although this may reduce if we fill the coach. **Contact the Church Office to reserve a place 0116 254 2111**