

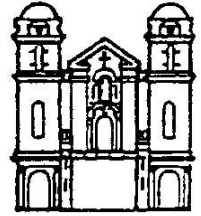
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This week at the Church of  
**St James the Greater**

Leicester

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**26 APRIL 2015 – FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

*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**

Almighty God,  
whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life:  
raise us, who trust in him,  
from the death of sin to the life of righteousness,  
that we may seek those things which are above,  
where he 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 Very Reverend Dr Derek Hole  
Churchwarden: Barbara Penrose

**10.30**

**Children's Sunday Club**

Starting off together in Church

**10.30**

**Sung Eucharist**

Common Worship, Order I  
*see Separate Order of Service and music card*  
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar  
Assisted by: April Rule and William Simpey  
Churchwardens: Julia Walker and Michael Bull  
Sidesmen: Cherry Fulloway, John Sharp and Janet Burton  
Servers: David Roberts, Tanaka Chizema and Takudzwa Chizema

**11.45**

**Annual Parochial Meeting**

In the Church Hall

**18.30**

## **Choral Evensong**

*see service card and music sheet*

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Churchwardens: Julia Walker and Barbara Penrose

Sidesmen: Rosemary Freer, Julia Warner and Judith Hughes

Servers: Rod Eynon-Baldock, Sara King and Valerie Bailey

**HYMN 162**

**Jesus, where'er thy people meet**

**CONFESSION**

*see buff service card*

**RESPONSES**

**PSALM 146**

*see green music sheet*

FIRST LESSON

Exodus 16. 4-15

*read by Ian Stapleton*

**MAGNIFICAT**

*see green music sheet*

SECOND LESSON

Revelation 3. 1 - 13

*read by Michael Bull*

NUNC DIMITTIS

Sung by the Choir

*Sumsion in G*

**THE CREED**

*see buff service card, p 3*

**RESPONSES**

ANTHEM

Upon this Holy Eastertide

*Eccard*

PRAYERS

The Vicar

**HYMN 82**

**Jesus lives! Thy terrors now**

SERMON

The Vicar

**HYMN 171 omit verses 3 & 5 Thy hand, O God, has guided**

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:**

**Installed as a Residentiary Canon of Ely Cathedral yesterday**

The Reverend Dr Victoria Johnson, formerly of our congregation

**All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week**

Jean Wigglesworth : Arthur Higginson : Charles Wicksteed

**Unwell**

Theo Saunders : Barbara Green (after surgery) : George Daley

Martin Harger (LRI 24) : Keith Vaughan

**Recovering**

Jill Valentine (now home) : Vicky Roe : Ken Palmer

**Rest in Peace**

Anson Griffith (65) Darienne Griffith's brother – funeral at the New Testament

Church of God, Melbourne Road on Thursday, 30 April at 11.00

Jane Caroline Goulty (59) Funeral on Friday, 1 May at 12 noon

Rita Palmer (83) Friend of Doris Makepeace

*Flowers at the chancel steps this week have been kindly given by  
Angela Hefford in memory of her parents Barbara and Gordon Barrett.*

## **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 Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

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**

12.00 **Funeral** of Jane Caroline Goulty

18.00 Choir Practice

### **Saturday**

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

## **Sunday Next – Easter 5**

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: Reverend Jane Sharp

Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby

Readings: 1 John 4. 7-16a and John 15. 1-8

18.30 **Easter Carol Service**

*followed by Thanks for the Music Party*

*Donations of savoury and sweet finger food will be much appreciated.*

*Everyone welcome.*

## **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. ***Please ask a Church Warden / call the Church Office for information.***

**A CRÈCHE ROOM** (the Servers' Vestry) is available where babies and toddlers can be taken if they become fractious during services. There is a changing mat, a play mat and a Noah's ark to play with. A sound link with the service in Church is provided. ***Please ask a Churchwarden or Sidesman for further details.***

**LUNCH AND POETRY** Our next Thursday lunch will take place on 14 May. This month, prior to lunch, we will be joined by local poet Flick Titley who will be reading from her wide ranging poetry – from topical to religious, humorous to thought-provoking. Everybody welcome, ***please either sign the sheet at the back of the church or call the office to help us with numbers.***

**TRIP on Tuesday 2 June** 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 (optional lunch additional £10) although this may reduce if we fill the coach. Everyone is welcome. ***Contact the Church Office to reserve a place 0116 254 2111. Please note there are now only 8 spaces left.***

**PRINTS OF SARAH KIRBY'S POSTERS** All 8 are featured in a set of cards available now at the back of church. £5 per pack.

## **FORTHCOMING CONCERTS**

**WIGSTON & DISTRICT MALE VOICE CHOIR** Concert in aid of SSAFA supporting our Forces and their families. £10 **Saturday, 16 May at 7.30pm.**

**THE SIXTEEN** – the world famous choral ensemble with their internationally acclaimed conductor Harry Christophers – **are coming again to St James the Greater on Thursday, 28 May 2015 at 7.30 pm.** The programme is entitled 'Flight of angels' – including music by Francisco Guerrero and Alonso Lobo, Spanish composers of the Renaissance period.



**Tickets for both concerts are now on sale from the Church Office on 0116 254 2111 or from [www.stjamesthegreater.org.uk](http://www.stjamesthegreater.org.uk).**