

This week at the Church of St James the Greater

Leicester

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25 OCTOBER 2015 – BIBLE SUNDAY LAST 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 a gluten free wafer or receive Communion in your seat.

Prayer for the Week

Blessed Lord,

we may embrace and for ever hold fast
the hope of everlasting life,

which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, 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 service sheet and music card

Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Assisted by: Lucy Hutchinson and David Kibert

Churchwardens: April Rule and Michael Molloy

Sidesmen: Cherry Fulloway, John Sharp, Janet Burton and Phil Jones

Servers: Peter Ireson, Tanaka Chizema and Takudzwa Chizema

Setting: Mass of St Thomas - Thorne

HYMN 180 Thou, whose almighty word

READING Isaiah 55.1 – 11 read by Angela Finn

HYMN 509 (Ist tune) **Rise and hear!** GOSPEL John 5. 36b-end

SERMON The Vicar

INTERCESSIONS

HYMN 423 (T. 263i) Thanks to God whose Word was spoken

ANTHEM In the heart where love is abiding Barnard

COMMUNION HYMN 166 Lord, thy word abideth

HYMN 468 (T. 263ii) God, who spoke in the beginning

ORGAN 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 Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar Churchwardens: Simon Edwards and Michael Bull Sidesmen: Rosemary Freer and Julia Warner

Servers: William Woolley, Michael Bull and Emma-Jane Finn

HYMN 206 We would extol thee, ever-blessed Lord

CONFESSION see buff service card

RESPONSES

PSALM 119.1-16 see green music sheet

FIRST LESSON 2 Kings 22 read by Michael Bull

MAGNIFICAT see green music sheet

SECOND LESSON Colossians 3. 12-17 read by Rosemary Freer

NUNC DIMITTIS Sung by the Choir Shera in C

THE CREED see buff service card, p 3

RESPONSES

ANTHEM Litany to the Holy Spirit Hurford

PRAYERS

HYMN 167 (T. 187) Father of mercies, in thy word

SERMON The Vicar

HYMN 431 We have a gospel to proclaim

BLESSING

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

Let us bless the Lord. Thanks be to God!

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Our Prayers are asked for:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Arthur Higginson: Charles Wicksteed: George Daley

Unwell

Dorothy Joseph (Francis's sister) after surgery: John Raven after surgery Peggy Snowden (Jean Bilney's sister): Sue Davidson (in General Hospital)

Recovering

Lindy Forbes: Jill Valentine
Betty Clark convalescing at Aaron Court, Scraptoft

The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by Pat and Peter Ireson in memory of The Reverend John Ireson — husband and father.

The Rest of the Week

Wed - Friday

08.30 Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel

Tuesday

08.15 Holy Communion Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Wednesday St Simon & St Jude, Apostles

18.15 SJ2 (Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft

Thursday James Hannington, bishop, martyr, 1885

- 10.15 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order I (traditional) Celebrant: The Reverend David Clark
- 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

Friday

18.00 Choir Practice

Saturday

- 11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft
- 19.30 St James Cantata Choir Concert

Sunday Next - All Saints and All Souls Sunday

- 08.30 Holy Communion Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby
- 10.30 Sunday Club meets in the Large Hall, starting off in Church
- 10.30 Requiem for All Souls Celebrant & Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby If you wish to have somebody commemorated, please write the name down and either post to the Vicarage 216 London Road, LE2 INE or hand to a Churchwarden by Thursday, 29 October
 - 18.30 **Evensong** Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby

SCHOOL VISITS TO CHURCH Additional helpers are needed for these occasions, which happen about once a term, and involve taking a group of children around using a church trail leaflet. **Anyone interested should contact Vicky Roe** in person or call 0116 2552108.

LAY CONGRESS This year's Lay Congress, Holy Habits – Christian Spirituality for Daily Life, takes place on Saturday 14 November at Leicester Cathedral and features guest speakers Revd Magdalen Smith and Revd Nick Helm. Entry by ticket only (free). Further information and application forms are at the back of the Church.

LUNCHTIME RECITAL at the Cathedral

David Clark & Abigail Johnson with Melodies of the Great War: Gurney, Finzi & Ireland. Monday, 26 October at Ipm

AUTUMN CONCERTS

31 October St James Cantata Choir and the Music and Amicable Society with Stephen Cleobury, Director of Music, Choir of Kings College, Cambridge Music by Fauré, Duruflé and Poulenc.

28 November The Leicester Bach Choir and Bach Camerata Mass in B minor by Johann Sebastian Bach

Tickets for both of the above concerts are now on sale priced £10 - £26

Purchase online at www.stjamesthegreater.org.uk or call 0116 254 2111

Diary Date:

WORK, WEALTH AND HUMAN FLOURISHING

The Provost Derek Hole Annual Lecture given by The Reverend Canon Angela Tilby on Thursday, 3 December at 5.30 at the Ratray Lecture Theatre, University of Leicester.

Angela Tilby is Canon of Christ Church, Oxford advising on Continuing Ministerial Development to the Diocese.

She was a BBC producer for 22 years and is a regular contributor to Radio 4's Thought for the Day.

The event is free and open to all,

followed by a drinks reception at 6.30 in the Charles Wilson City Lounge on the first floor of the Charles Wilson Building.

For further information: events@le.ac.uk