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

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21 FEBRUARY 2016 - SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

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, you show to those who are in error the light of your truth, that they may return to the way of righteousness: grant to all those who are admitted into the fellowship of Christ's religion, that they may reject those things that are contrary to their profession, and follow all such things as are agreeable to the same; through our Lord 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: Barbara Penrose

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order I see service sheet and music card Celebrant: The Reverend David Clark Assisted by: John Raven and David Kibert Churchwardens: Pam Spokes and April Rule Sidesmen: Cherry Fulloway, Jan Vaughan and Jean Warren Servers: Michael Bull, Tanaka Chizema and Rachel Chikuli Setting: Sumsion in F

HYMN172 (1 st tune)	Glorious things of thee are spoken		
READING	Philippians 3.17 – 4.1	read by Ange	ela Finn
PSALM 42 1-7			
GOSPEL	Luke 13. 31-end		
SERMON	John Raven, Reader		
	in a Lent series on Jesus : "Who	do people say	I am?"
INTERCESSIONS	The Reverend David Clark		
HYMN 335 (omit v.4) A stranger once did bless the earth			
ANTHEM	Pray that Jerusalem may have pe	eace S	Stanford
COMMUNION HYMN 255 (T. Maryton) Jesu, thou joy of loving hearts			
HYMN 113	Father, hear the prayer we	offer	
ORGAN VOLUNTARY – please be aware of those remaining to listen			

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

17.30 Singing Practice for Messiah

18.30

Choral Evensong

see service card and music sheet

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar Churchwardens: Mike Bull and Barbara Penrose Sidesmen: Owen Shepherd and Chris & Jan Geere Servers: William Woolley, Angela Finn and Emma-Jane Finn

HYMN 224 see buff service card CONFESSION RESPONSES **PSALM 25** see green music sheet Jeremiah 22. 1-9, 13-17 FIRST LESSON MAGNIFICAT see green music sheet SECOND LESSON Luke 14. 27-33 NUNC DIMITTIS Sung by the Choir see buff service card, p 3 THE CREED RESPONSES **HYMN 64** All ye who seek for sure relief SERMON The Vicar in a Lent series on Messiah Surely he hath borne our griefs ANTHEM PRAYERS Margaret Terry HYMN 211 (1st tune) Through the night of doubt and sorrow **BLESSING & DISMISSAL** ORGAN VOLUNTARY - please be aware of those remaining to listen

Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us

read by David Kibert

read by Tony Bentley Dyson in C

Handel

Our Prayers are asked for:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Tom Skinner : Dorothy Foster : Jan Wheeler : Conceicáo Fernandes

Unwell

Derek Ridgwell after surgery

Rest in Peace

Olive Rees (90) Hilary's mother : Lillian Clarke (88) Tricia Dean's mother Raymond Gibson, priest (92) – Curate of St James the Greater 1962 – 67

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

18.30 **Compline** sung by the Choristers

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

17.30 Lecture at De Montfort University, Hugh Aston Building

19.30 St James Singers' Choir Practice

Friday

18.00 Choir Practice

Saturday

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

Sunday Next – Lent 3

- 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

Readings: | Corinthians 10. 1-13 & Luke 13. 1-9

Preacher: David Brunning

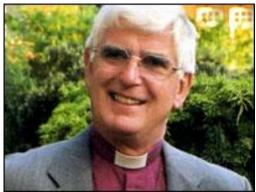
in a Lent series on Jesus : "Who do people say I am?"

- 12.00 Baptism Lorientez Tawana Anastasia Mangove
- 17.30 Singing Practice for a chorus from Messiah in the Church
- 18.30 **Evensong** Officiant & Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby
 - in a Lent series on Messiah

LECTURE at De Montfort University, Hugh Aston Building, Thursday 25 February at 6pm

Bishop Tom Butler, former Bishop of Leicester is to give the 2016 Provost Derek Hole Lecture on the theme: The Pursuit of Truth.

In this Keynote Lecture Tom Butler, drawing on his wide experience both at home and abroad, argues that our world is in crisis and that people of faith must work more closely with scientists in order to develop a world of hope rather than despair.



Please note spaces are limited so it is advisable to confirm your attendance as soon as possible by contacting the events office by calling (0116) 250 6376 or emailing eventsoffice@dmu.ac.uk, highlighting any special dietary or access requirements that you may have.



CALLED? Vocations Day Saturday 27 February, 10.00 - 15.30 at St Martins House (lunch included) FREE and open to all - booking necessary For all those sensing God's calling and considering how to respond. The day will include key-note addresses as well as workshops looking at authorised ministries including Ordination, Reader,

Pastoral Assistant, Evangelist, Youth & Children's Work, Pioneer Ministry and more...

For further information find a leaflet at the back of the Church

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.*

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER This year the service has been prepared by the women of Cuba. Services will be held on Friday 4 March at 2 pm at St. John's Church, Clarendon Park Road, and at 7.30 pm at St. Mary Magdalene Church, Knighton. They are open to both women and men. *Please would anyone willing to participate in the services by reading a part, contact Vicky Roe on* 0116 255 2108.



WINDERMERE RETREAT Have you seen the leaflet at the back of the church with a picture of a ferry by the pier on Lake Windermere? It announces a retreat being organised by a planning group including David Clark. For more details please pick up a leaflet from the back of the church or speak to David.