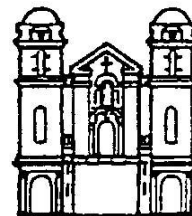


This week at the Church of
St James the Greater
Leicester

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6 NOVEMBER 2016
3RD SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

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 Father, whose will is to restore all things
in your beloved Son, the King of all:
govern the hearts and minds of those in authority,
and bring the families of the nations,
divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin,
to be subject to his just and gentle rule;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

08.30

Holy Communion

Book of Common Prayer

Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
Churchwarden: Keith Vaughan

10.30

Children's Sunday Club

Starting off together in Church

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order I

see service sheet

Hymns from Ancient & Modern (AM) and New Hymns & Worship Songs (NH)

Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Peter Mackenzie

Assisted by: Angela Jagger and Canon Glynn Richerby

Churchwardens: Julia Walker and April Rule

Sidesmen: David Pugh and Graham & Claire Prowse

Servers: David Roberts, Angela Finn and John Finn

Setting: Darke in E (Gloria: Lécot)

HYMN AM473 I come with joy to meet my Lord
 READING Job 19. 23-27a *read by Claire Prowse*
HYMN NH119 (tune1) I know that my Redeemer lives
 GOSPEL Luke 20. 27-38
 SERMON Angela Jagger, Reader
 INTERCESSIONS The Vicar
HYMN NH246 (tune2) Take my life and let it be
 ANTHEM Holy is the true light *Harris*
COMMUNION HYMN NH23 Be still, for the presence of the Lord
HYMN AM402 Now is eternal life
 ORGAN VOLUNTARY – *please be aware of those remaining to listen*

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: Phil Jones and Simon Edwards

Sidesmen: Lin Mawer and Colin & Angela Stray

Servers: David Nisbet, Michael Bull and William Woolley

HYMN 471 Holy Spirit, come, confirm us
CONFESSION *see buff service card*
 RESPONSES Sung by the Choir *Smith*
PSALM 46 *see green music sheet*
 FIRST LESSON 1 Kings 3. 3-15 *read by Andy Judge*
 MAGNIFICAT Sung by the Choir *Dyson in D*
 SECOND LESSON Romans 8. 31-end *read by Phil Jones*
NUNC DIMITTIS *see green music sheet*
THE CREED *see buff service card, p 3*
RESPONSES
 ANTHEM And I saw a new heaven *Bainton*
 PRAYERS David Brunning, Reader
HYMN 438 (T.64) Can man by searching find out God
 SERMON The Vicar
HYMN 395 Lord of all power, I give you my will
 BLESSING
 DISMISSAL *Plainsong* The Lord be with you. **And with thy spirit.**
 Let us bless the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**
 ORGAN VOLUNTARY – *please be aware of those remaining to listen*

Our Prayers are asked for:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Tom Skinner : Conceição Fernandes : John Gonsalves

Recovering

Pat Ireson (now home) : Leigh Abbosh (the Vicar's nephew) after a car crash

Rest in Peace

Christopher Maxstead (71) a friend of William Woolley

*The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by
Rosemary Lowe in memory of John.*

The Rest of the Week

Tuesday

07.15 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Tuesday – Friday

08.30 **Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel**

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

9.30 Bishop's Lay Congress (please see over)

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

19.30 City of Leicester Singers Concert

Sunday Next – Remembrance Sunday

08.30 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

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

10.45 **Service of Remembrance** Officiant: Canon Glynn Richerby

Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby

18.30 **BCP Eucharist** Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

Preacher: David Brunning

Readings: Jeremiah 23. 5-8 & John 6. 5-14

RETIREMENT LUNCH If anyone has booked a place at Glynn's retirement lunch on the 20 November but is now unable to attend please inform the Church Office as soon as possible as there is now a waiting list.

CANTATA CHOIR CONCERT On Saturday 26 November there will be a special concert to celebrate the ministry of Canon Glynn Richerby, our Vicar, with favourite music from throughout the Church's Year. The concert features our current choir, former members and friends. There is no set entry charge however there will be a retiring collection to cover the costs of the concert and support music at St James. ***Doors and a cash bar will open at 6.30pm.***

THE BISHOP'S LAY CONGRESS – theme: 'Called to Follow' – at **Leicester Cathedral, on Saturday 12th November, 9.30am – 3.45pm.** How does God call us to follow Him and how do we allow ourselves to be shaped by God in response? Keynote speakers the Bishop of Leicester, Matthew Frost and Alison Adams. ***For further information please contact the Mission and Ministry office by emailing mmbookings@leccofe.org or calling 0116 261 5338. Booking a place in advance is essential.*** Flyers with booking forms are at the back of the church or visit the Diocesan website to download. A light lunch is provided.

LUNCH AT ST JAMES Our next Thursday lunch takes place on 17 November. The cost will be £3 for a two course meal and a drink. ***Please sign up at the back of the Church or by calling the Church Office no later than 14 November. Please indicate if you require a vegetarian or gluten free option.***

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.***

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 a UK tax payer please use Gift Aid envelopes available in front of each seat. Gift Aid increases the value of your gift by 25%. ***Further information on Giving to St James and the Parish Giving Scheme are available at the back of the Church. Please ask a Church Warden or call the Church Office for further information.***

FORTHCOMING CONCERTS

City of Leicester Singers: Vivaldi and Fauré on 12 November at 7.30pm
KoolGigs Concerts for Children: A Soldiers Tale on 13 November at 3pm
St James Choir: A journey through the Church year on 26 November at 7.30pm
KoolGigs Concerts for Children: Christmas Sparkles on 4 December at 3pm
Ex Cathedra: Christmas Music by Candlelight on 6 December at 7.30pm
Full listings of all our future concerts can be found on our website. To buy tickets please call 0116 254 2111 or visit www.stjamesthegreater.org.uk