

This week at the Church of St James the Greater

Leicester

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17 FEBRUARY 2019 – 3RD SUNDAY BEFORE 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,
who alone can bring order
to the unruly wills and passions of sinful humanity:
give your people grace so to love what you command
and to desire what you promise,
that, among the many changes of this world,
our hearts may surely there be fixed
where true joys are to be found;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
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 Andrew Quigley, Vicar
Assisted by: Lin Mawer
Churchwarden: Paul Jenkins

10.30 Sung Eucharist

See order of service

Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar Assisted by: David Kibert and Emmanuel Okoli Churchwardens: Phil Jones and Simon Edwards Sidespeople: Cherry Fulloway, Jean Warren and Renie Lewis Servers: Michael Bull, Peter Ireson and Della Evans Setting: Missa Brevis – Wills (Gloria: Lécot) HYMN 125 (Ist tune) O for a thousand tongues to sing

READING Jeremiah 17. 5-10 read by Simon Edwards

HYMN 392 (T.9) Lord Jesus, once you spoke to men

GOSPEL Luke 6. 17-26
SERMON The Vicar
INTERCESSIONS The Vicar

HYMN 175 Ye that know the Lord is graciousANTHEM Beati Quorum Via Stanford

COMMUNION HYMN 238 Blest and the pure in heart

HYMN 358 Father, who in Jesus found us

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 order of service

Officiant: David Brunning

Churchwardens: Simon Edwards and Paul Jenkins

Sidespeople: Chris & Jan Geere

Servers: Rod Eynon-Baldock, Sara King and Hilary Rees

HYMN 206 We would extol thee, ever-blessèd Lord

CONFESSION see buff service card

RESPONSES

PSALM 4 see green music sheet

FIRST LESSON Wisdom 11. 21 – 12. 11 read by David Kibert

MAGNIFICAT see green music sheet

SECOND LESSON Galatians 4. 8-20 read by Margaret Terry

NUNC DIMITTIS Sung by the Choir Dyson in F

Please remain seated but stand for the Gloria.

THE CREED see buff service card, p 3

RESPONSES Sung by the Choir Rule

ANTHEM The Lord hath been mindful SS Wesley

PRAYERS David Brunning

HYMN 126 The King of love my shepherd is

SERMON David Brunning

HYMN 388 Lord Christ, who on thy heart didst bear

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

Let us bless the Lord. Thanks be to God!

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Our Prayers are asked for:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

George Daley : Derek & Gwen Leather : Marilyn Dorum

Unwell

David Clark – awaiting surgery

Ann Blanchard: Tim Allen (Nicky Barton's brother)

Rest in Peace

Teresa Mozota - Funeral at St James on Thursday 28 February at 11.15

The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by Caroline Beardsmore in memory of her father.

The Rest of the Week

No Morning Prayer this week Thursday

10.15 Holy Communion Common Worship, Order I (traditional)

Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp

Assisted by: Sheila Roberts

10.45 Coffee Drop-In in the Undercroft (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

Sunday Next - 2nd Before Lent

08.30 Holy Communion Celebrant: Reverend Rosie Woodall

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

10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Celebrant: Reverend Rosie Woodall

Preacher: Pam Howe

Readings: Genesis 2. 4b-9, 15-end & Luke 8. 22-25

18.30 **Evensong** Officiant & Preacher: David Brunning

ST JAMES THE GREATER ELECTORAL ROLL 2019 Every six years the Electoral Rolls of all Churches require a complete revision. Application forms are available on the back table for all to complete. The Electoral Roll is the way the Church of England registers those who regard themselves as committed members, and it helps us to plan our programmes and keep in touch. Everyone needs to fill in a form even if they are on the current Electoral Roll.

PAM HOWE Preaching and leading our prayers next Sunday morning will be our new Reader, Pam Howe. Pam has been a Reader in the Leicester Diocese since 1997, and for the last 14 years she and her husband Steve have been heavily involved at St Philips. Earlier this year they moved to join us, and have both become members of St James Singers. Pam's background is in nursing.

ROBIN STAPLETON invites you to a meal at the Chef and Spice, I Andrewes Street, LE3 5PG from 7pm on Tuesday 5th March. Tickets are £15 per person for an "all you can eat" buffet. This is a fund raiser to help Robin go to Costa Rica with Camps International to do environmental and social projects in July 2019. Camps International is a not for profit organisation that seeks to give young people the experience of working abroad in developing countries. Chef and Spice are donating the profits from the meal to his fundraising. This should be a fun evening and it would be great to see you there. See Jo or lan after Church or call Robin on 07492 740706 for tickets.

THE SHELL The Spring edition is now in the course of preparation. Any contributions to this issue will be gratefully received by the new editor Graham Jagger – please send to him via email to grahamjagger42@gmail.com or the Church Office by Monday 18 February.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER is celebrated in over 120 countries. This year here at St James we are hosting the service prepared by the women of Slovenia, "Come – Everything is Ready!" at 2 pm on Friday 1st March. Help is needed on the day with stewarding and refreshments. Please tell Vicky Roe or the Church Office if you are able to assist. The evening service will be held at 7.30 pm in St. Guthlac's Church, Holbrooke Road. All are welcome to attend!

INTER FAITH DIALOGUE - A FAITH AWARENESS COURSE

At Christchurch, Clarendon Park Road, LE2 3AH Monday evenings, 7.30 – 9.00 p.m. from 28 Jan – 18 Mar 2019. Doors open and light refreshments from 7:15. Parking normally available at venue. The course is free, although £3.00 donation per session would help defray costs. For information, contact Christians Aware on 0116 254 0770 or eliam.christiansaware@outlook.com

Save the Date

On Saturday 2nd March there will be a St James the Greater Vision and Lent Preparation Day, open to all, including children and young people. It will take place at St Wilfrid's, Kibworth – the X3 & X7 buses stop near by and there's plenty of parking. Please arrive from 9.30am for a 10am start and it will finish by 3pm. Lunch will be provided (donations towards the cost gratefully accepted). A sign-up sheet is now on the back table – please indicate if you are able to offer a lift/require a lift and your dietary requirements.