

This week at the Church of St James the Greater

Leicester

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24 FEBRUARY 2019 – 2ND 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,
you have created the heavens and the earth
and made us in your own image:
teach us to discern your hand in all your works
and your likeness in all your children;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things,
now and for ever.

08.30 Holy Communion

Common Worship, Order I (Traditional)
Celebrant: The Reverend Rosie Woodall
Assisted by: Sheila Roberts
Churchwarden: Paul Jenkins

10.30 Sung Eucharist

See order of service

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Sidespeople: Mark & Jane Sadler

Servers: William Woolley, John Finn and Cynthia McLauchlan Setting: White in Eb (Gloria: Thorne)

HYMN 22 This is the day the Lord hath made

READING Genesis 2. 4b-9, 15-end read by Helen Parsons

HYMN 509 (Ist tune) Rise and hear! The Lord is speaking

GOSPEL Luke 8. 22-25
SERMON Pam Howe
INTERCESSIONS Pam Howe

ANTHEM Lord Jesus Christ, you have come to us

Dear Lord and Father Parry

COMMUNION HYMN 269 Dearest Jesu, we are here

270 (Ist tune) Bread of the world in mercy broken

HYMN 403 Now let us from this table rise

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: Phil Jones and April Rule

Sidespeople: Angela Hunt, Annette Jones and Maggie Weller Servers: Hazel Carlin, Angela Finn and Valerie Bailey

HYMN 194 King of glory, King of peace

CONFESSION see buff service card

RESPONSES

PSALM 148 see green music sheet

FIRST LESSON Genesis 1. I - 2.3 read by Steve Howe

MAGNIFICAT Sung by the Choir Brewer in F

Please remain seated but stand for the Gloria.

SECOND LESSON Matthew 6. 25-end read by Jennifer Smith

NUNC DIMITTIS see green music sheet

THE CREED see buff service card, p 3

ANTHEM Irish Blessing Chilcott

PRAYERS David Brunning

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

SERMON David Brunning

HYMN 199 Immortal, invisible, God only wise

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

John Goadby: David Muddimer: Tom Skinner: Conceicáo Fernandes

Unwell

David Clark - following 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 Margo & Rex Woolhouse in memory of their parents Mary & Arthur Birley and George & Ada Woolhouse

The Rest of the Week

Tuesday - Friday

09.00 Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel

Thursday

10.15 Holy Communion Common Worship, Order I (traditional)

Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar

Assisted by: Vicky Roe

- 10.45 Coffee Drop-In in the Undercroft (access from the Church via the lift)
- 11.15 Funeral of Teresa Mozota
- 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 – Sunday before Lent

- 08.30 Holy Communion Celebrant: Reverend Andrew Quigley
- 10.30 Sunday Club meets in the Large Hall, starting off in Church

10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Celebrant: Reverend Andrew Quigley

Readings: Exodus 34. 29-end & Luke 9.28-36

Preacher: Reverend Andrew Quigley

18.30 **Evensong** Officiant: Angela Jagger

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AWAY DAY 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 by Tuesday 26 February.

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.

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.

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, Holbrook Road. All are welcome to attend!