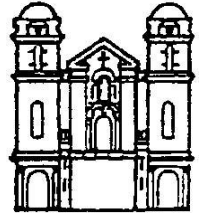


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This week at the Church of
St James the Greater
Leicester

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7 APRIL 2019 – PASSION SUNDAY

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

Most merciful God,
who by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ
delivered and saved the world:
grant that by faith in him who suffered on the cross
we may triumph in the power of his victory;
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

Book of Common Prayer
Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar
Assisted by: Phil Jones
Churchwarden: Julia Walker

10.30

Children's Sunday Club

Starting off together in Church

10.30

Sung Eucharist

See order of service

Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar
Assisted by: Pam Howe and Vicky Roe
Churchwardens: Phil Jones and Simon Edwards
Sidesperson: David Pugh
Servers: David Roberts, Michael Bull and Ian Stapleton
Setting: Short Service - Batten

Our Prayers are asked for:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

George Daley : Derek & Gwen Leather : Marilyn Dorum

Unwell

Ann Blanchard

Recovering

David Clark – now home (please call before visiting)

The Rest of the Week

Tuesday – Friday

09.00 **Morning Prayer** in the Lady Chapel

Wednesday

18.30 **Compline**

19.00 APCM in the Undercroft

Thursday

10.15 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order I (traditional)

Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar

Assisted by: Lin Mawer

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 – Palm Sunday

08.30 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Reverend Andrew Quigley

10.10 **Procession starting in the Large Hall**

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

Preacher: Reverend Andrew Quigley

Readings: Mark 14. 32 – 15. 41

18.30 **Music & Readings** Officiant: Angela Jagger

GOOD FRIDAY LUNCH Join us in the Church Hall for a simple lunch on Good Friday from 12.45. Sign up at the back of the Church

THE ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING will be held on 10th April at 7pm after Compline, followed by a reception. Nomination papers for Church Wardens and PCC members are on the back table.

POETRY OF THE SACRED EARTH Join us at St James the Greater, in conjunction with University of Leicester, for the first of 4 sessions on poetry, ecology and faith. 25 April at 12.30pm in the Church. Everyone welcome

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES

Palm Sunday	10.30	Eucharist with Passion Gospel
	18.30	Music & Readings
Monday - Wednesday	18.30	Compline
Maundy Thursday	11.00	Chrism Eucharist at Leicester Cathedral
	19.30	Eucharist for Maundy Thursday
Good Friday	14.00	Seven Last Words – <i>with the University of Leicester String Quartet</i>
	19.30	Tenebrae
Easter Sunday	06.00	Kindling of the New Fire
	08.30	Sung Eucharist for Easter Day
	10.45	Family Service <i>followed by Communion for those who wish to stay</i>
	18.30	Festal Evensong



DEC APPEAL There will be a retiring collection today supporting the Cyclone Idai relief efforts after all services. Thank you for your support.

FUNDRAISING The church needs urgent repairs to the roof and the west-end of the building which will cost in the region of £100,000. More details of this will be discussed at the Annual Meeting. In the meantime we are keen to start raising funds for this project. The Vicar is running the London Marathon for the first time on April 28th and invites your sponsorship. Forms are at the back of Church or please place your donation in a clearly marked Gift Aid envelope. Or, you can give through Virgin Money Giving, uk.virginmoneygiving.com/AndrewQuigley6

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.*** A credit card machine is available at the back of the Church if you wish to give in this way. 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 is available at the back of the Church. Please ask a Church Warden or call the Church Office for further information.***

ST JAMES THE GREATER ELECTORAL ROLL 2019 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.**

FRIENDS OF ST JAMES Join us for an outing to Tissington Well Dressing on 5th June. Cost is £35 inclusive of transport and tour of Tissington Hall. ***Sign up at the back of the Church or call 01455 698 851.***