

This week at the Church of St James the Greater

Leicester

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18 AUGUST 2019 – 9TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

If you wear a hearing-aid, please switch to T to benefit from the inductive loop

Large-print hymn books are available from sidespeople

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 sent your Holy Spirit
to be the life and light of your Church:
open our hearts to the riches of your grace,
that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit
in love and joy and peace;
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: Sheila Roberts
Churchwarden: Phil Jones

10.30 Sung Eucharist with Baptism

See order of service

Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar Assisted by: April Rule and David Kibert Churchwardens: Phil Jones and Janet Burton Sidespeople: Cherry Fulloway and Renie Lewis Servers: Peter Ireson, Ian Stapleton and Hazel Carlin Setting: Mass of St Thomas – Thorne (Gloria: Lécot)

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

Evensong

see order of service

Officiant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar Churchwardens: Phil Jones and April Rule

Sidesperson: Jan Vaughan

Servers: Rod Eynon-Baldock, Sara King and Della Evans

HYMN 162 Jesus, where'er thy people meet

CONFESSION see buff service card

RESPONSES

PSALM 100 see music sheet

FIRST LESSON Isaiah 28. 9-22 read by Phil Jones

MAGNIFICAT see music sheet

SECOND LESSON 2 Corinthians 8. 1-9 read by April Rule

NUNC DIMITTIS see music sheet

THE CREED see buff service card, p 3

RESPONSES

PRAYERS The Vicar

HYMN 238 Blest are the pure in heart

SERMON The Vicar

HYMN 132 Son of God, eternal Saviour

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

John Goadby: David Muddimer: Tom Skinner: Conceição Fernandes

Unwell

Mollie Drake: Ann Blanchard

Rest in Peace Renée Blackburn

The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly sponsored by Paul & Tricia Dean remembering with affection their family's long association with St James.

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 Jane Sharp

Assisted by: Cherry Fulloway

10.45 Coffee Drop-In at the back of the Church

Saturday

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

Sunday Next - Trinity 10

08.30 Holy Communion Celebrant: Reverend Jane Shar	08.30	Holy	Communion	Celebrant:	Reverend	Jane Sharp
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10.30 Sunday Club meets in the Large Hall, starting off in Church

10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Celebrant: Reverend Jane Sharp

Preacher: Pam Howe

Readings: Hebrews 12. 18-end & Luke 13. 10-17

18.30 **Evensong** Officiant: Reverend Rosie Woodall

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GARDEN PARTY There will be a Garden Party to raise money for the Building Appeal on Saturday 7th September in the Vicarage garden from 2-4pm. There will be food, music and drinks. Tickets are £10 (£5 for children under 12) and are available from the Church Office during office hours or sign up at the back of the church – money can be handed in in a clearly marked envelope to the Church Wardens or placed on the collection plate. If you can donate a prize for the raffle, please bring it with you on the day or drop into the Church Office. Please let us know in advance if you have special dietary requirements. Everyone welcome. **Please note that in the event of rain it will be moved to the Church Hall.**

DIOCESAN PRAYER DIARY There are a few copies on the back table, please take one if you would like to use it for your prayers at home. Alternatively it can be found online on the diocesan website: https://www.leicester.anglican.org/exploring-faith/calendar-of-prayer

RIDE & STRIDE takes place on the 14th September this year. If you would like to take part in this year's sponsored event, forms and open day details are on the back table. If you require further information or can volunteer to help welcome people to St James for an hour or two on the day, please contact the Church Office.

GIVING CAMPAIGN If you are on the Electoral Roll, please find your named pack on the back table If you are not on the Electoral Roll, please help yourself to a blank pack, and complete the sign-up sheet to say you have taken one. There are packs with further information on the Parish Giving Scheme available from the Church Office.

GET INVOLVED We are always in need of people who can volunteer their time. Currently we are in particular need of Sidespeople to greet those arriving for services once a month and Servers, but there are other ways to get involved too. For more information please contact the Church Office.

GIVING TO ST JAMES THE GREATER It costs over £440 a day (based on the 2019 budget) to run 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.

THE SHELL The Autumn 2019 edition of The Shell will be published on Sunday I September, please collect from the back of the Church. A++ suggested donation of £I should be placed in the wall safe. The continuing success of the magazine is due in no small measure to the quantity and quality of the contributions which continue to be made. The editor would now be most grateful to receive material for the Winter edition. This can be sent via Annabel in the office or directly to Graham at editor@stjamesthegreater.org.uk