

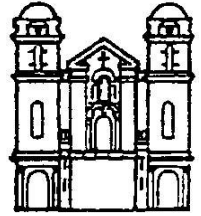
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This week at the Church of St James the Greater

Leicester

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9 JULY 2017 – 4TH 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 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

O God, the protector of all who trust in you,
without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy:

increase and multiply upon us your mercy;

that with you as our ruler and guide

we may so pass through things temporal

that we lose not our hold on things eternal;

grant this, heavenly Father,

for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, 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 Very Reverend Dr Derek Hole

Assisted by: William Simpey

Churchwarden: Julia Walker

10.30

Children's Sunday Club

Starting off together in Church

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order I

see service sheet and music card

Celebrant: The Reverend David Clark

Assisted by: Lucy Hutchison and Lin Mawer

Churchwardens: Keith Vaughan and Simon Edwards

Sidesmen: Lindy Forbes, Darienne Griffith and Cherry Fulloway

Servers: Michael Bull, Della Evans and William Woolley

Setting: Mass for four voices – Byrd (Gloria: Jones)

HYMN 125 (2nd tune) **O for a thousand tongues to sing**
 READING Zechariah 9. 9-12 *read by Keith Vaughan*
HYMN 143 (1st tune) **Jesus shall reign where'er the sun**
 GOSPEL Matthew 11. 16-19, 25-30
 SERMON The Reverend David Clark
 INTERCESSIONS The Reverend David Clark
HYMN 529 (T.212i) **Who are we who stand and sing**
 ANTHEM Ave Verum *Byrd*
COMMUNION HYMN 274 Here, **O my Lord, I see thee face to face**
HYMN 395 **Lord of all power, I give you my will**
 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 Philip Norwood

Churchwardens: Keith Vaughan and April Rule

Sidesmen: Julia Warner, Barbara Penrose and Paul Jenkins

Servers: William Woolley, Hilary Rees and Michael Bull

HYMN 498 **New songs of celebration render**
CONFESSION *see buff service card*
RESPONSES
PSALM 8 *see green music sheet*
 FIRST LESSON 2 Samuel 2. 1-11, 3. 1 *read by Mike Rule*
MAGNIFICAT *see green music sheet*
 SECOND LESSON Luke 18. 35 – 19. 10 *read Kathryn Haynes*
 NUNC DIMITTIS Sung by the Choir *Howells*
Please remain seated but stand for the Gloria.
THE CREED *see buff service card, p 3*
 RESPONSES Sung by the Choir *Leighton*
 ANTHEM They that go down to the sea in ships *Sumsion*
 PRAYERS Tony Bentley
HYMN 123 (2nd tune) **Jesu, lover of my soul**
 SERMON The Reverend Canon Philip Norwood
HYMN 292 **Eternal Father, strong to save**
 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

Arthur Higginson : Charles Wicksteed : George Daley

Unwell

Reverend Richard Bonney : Rebekah Peake : Lorna Davey : Andrew Radford

Recovering

Pat Ireson

*The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by Julia Warner.
The Altar frontal was donated by Julia Meywell in memory of her mother Eileen Byham.*

The Rest of the Week

Thursday

10.15 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order 1 (traditional)

Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Philip Norwood

Assisted by: Gillian Boorne

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

Friday

18.00 Choir Practice

Saturday

09.30 Choir tour departs

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

Sunday Next – Trinity 5

08.30 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Reverend Rosie Woodall,
Chaplain to the Bishop of Leicester

10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Celebrant: Reverend Diane Johnson

Preacher: Reverend Diane Johnson

Readings: Isaiah 55. 10-13 & Matthew 13. 1-9, 18-23

17.30 Friends of St James AGM

18.30 **Evensong** Officiant: Very Rev'd Dr Derek Hole

Preacher: Very Rev'd Dr Derek Hole

RED CROSS FUNDRAISER Whenever disaster strikes, the first people on the ground are the British Red Cross. We are holding an event here at St James to raise funds for emergency relief efforts, now and in the future, today at 3pm.

There will be food and drinks, including vegetarian and gluten-free options. Entry is by suggested minimum donation of £5 but more is welcome. Bring your own alcohol.

NEW VICAR The Service of Collation and Induction for Rev'd Andrew Quigley will be conducted by Bishop Martyn on Tuesday 30th January 2018 at 7.30 pm in St. James the Greater Church.

AGM The Friends of St James are holding their Annual General Meeting next Sunday, 16 July at 5pm. Everybody welcome

LENT LIBRARY There are still some books outstanding. Please could you return them as soon as possible. **Contact the Church Office if there is a problem.**

CHAPLAINCY HELPERS Leicester University Chaplaincy Team are seeking adult volunteers who would help very occasionally with student events at the Gatehouse on University Road at various times during the academic year. If you are interested, you can go along on Tuesday 25th July for an hour of coffee, cake and more explanation of the role. Please contact Rev'd Canon Dr. Stephen Foster on 0116 2856493 or 07966376905 if you plan to attend.

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.**

STAMPS Please remember to save used stamps - they can raise funds for charity. Please cut them with a little paper surrounding the stamp. We send them to Intercare, a charity who send medical aid to hospitals and clinics in sub Saharan Africa. **A collection box is on the back table of the Church.**

QUARTERLY If you would like to submit an article for inclusion in the quarterly, please submit it to the Church Office (office@stjamesthegreater.org.uk) and please include at least one picture.

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 is available at the back of the Church. Please ask a Church Warden or call the Church Office for further information.**