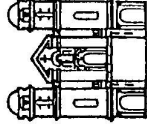


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This Week at the Church of
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The Vicar writes ...
 I very much look forward to welcoming a great gathering of the congregation with families and friends to a good Lunch in the elegant surroundings of Devonshire Place, London Road, on **Sunday 12 October**. Spare invitation cards and reply slips are available from the back of the church. **For further information, contact Tony Rudge on 259 3378.**

THE GIFT DAY IS BEING POSTPONED until the New Year. Meanwhile, everyone is encouraged to respond to invitations sent by post to make a personal response to the Disabled Access Appeal. **If yours was not received or has been mislaid, please contact the Church Office on 254 2111 for a replacement.**

HARVEST THANKSGIVING on Sunday 5 October will include the licensing of the Reverend Jane Sharp by the Archdeacon during the evening service. We shall welcome Jane at a 'bring and share supper' in the Large Hall.

Please let Rosemary Freer know that you intend to bring something to share.

BRIDGE DRIVE on Wednesday 29 October at Brookfield Bowling Club. **For further details, contact Derek Hole on 270 9988.** (Disabled Access Appeal)

'A TORCELLO INSPIRED CHURCH?' Alan McWhirr will give an illustrated talk on **Thursday 30 October at 19.00 for 19.30**, followed by a tour of the Church on Saturday 1 November at 10.00. **For further details, contact Alan on 270 3031 or see the back of the Church.** (Disabled Access Appeal)

'A SPIRITUALITY FOR THE 21st CENTURY' is the theme of the Bishop's Lay Congress at the Samworth Academy on **Saturday 15 November**. All members of the congregation, especially young people, are welcome to enrol – **see the back of the Church for further details.**

THE ANNUAL BAZAAR will be on **Saturday 22 November, from 10.00 to noon.** **Please contact the stallholders with offers of assistance or items for sale:**

Books	Roy and Joy Broughton	288 4505
Cakes and Preserves	Caroline Beardsmore	259 6341
Flower Guild (plants, table decorations, etc)	Barbara Raven	270 7591
Good Companions	Pauline Plummer	255 4240
Holiday Stall	Hilary Simpson	270 7412
Tombola	Will and Julia Warner	241 3852

RIDE and STRIDE Benjy Dog would like to thank all those who supported his 'Walkies', on which he was accompanied by Polly Taylor. The amount raised is **£451.50**, of which **£324** has been gift aided, so the final total should be well over **£500**, from which the Church will receive half.

28 SEPTEMBER 2008 – NINETEENTH AFTER TRINITY
 Eve of St Michael and All Angels

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 hand rails
Please inform a Churchwarden if you wish to receive Communion in your seat

Collect

Everlasting God, you have ordained and constituted the ministries of angels and mortals in a wonderful order: grant that as your holy angels always serve you in heaven, so, at your command, they may help and defend us on earth; 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 1 (Traditional)
 Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby
 Churchwarden: Owen Jones

10.20

Children's Sunday Club

in the Church Hall

10.30

Sung Eucharist and Baptism

Common Worship, Order 1
see service sheet and music card
 Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
 Assisted by: Peter Ireson and John Raven
 Churchwarden: Marilyn Dorum
 Sidesmen: Angela Hefford and John Sharp
 Servers: Ian Stapleton, Michael Bull and Janet Burton
 Setting: Jackson in G

see over for further service details >

HYMN 147
 READING
 HYMN 148(omit*)
 GOSPEL
 SERMON
 BAPTISM
 HYMN 175
 ANTHEM
 HYMN 272
 HYMN 214
 VOLUNTARY

Crown him with many crowns ...
 Philippians 2 : 5 – 11 read by Dan Corcoran
At the name of Jesus ...
 Matthew 21 : 23 – 32
 John Raven, Lay Reader
 Erica Sian Yasmin Smith
Ye that know the Lord is gracious ...
 Bogoroditsye Deo (Ave Maria) Rachmaninov
O God, unseen yet ever near ...
Guide me, O thou great Redeemer ...
 Prelude on Darwell's 148th Whitlock

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

16.00 Royal School of Church Music Festal Service
 Choirs from churches throughout the diocese come to St James'
 to celebrate, sing and give thanks for their work and mission
All are welcome to attend

18.30 Evensong
 on the Eve of St Michael and All Angels
see service card and music sheets
 Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby
 Churchwardens: Tricia Dean and Rosemary Freer
 Sidesmen: Paul Dean, Ivan Eames and Ken Lumb
 Servers: John Goadby, April Burton and Terri White

HYMN 163 **Angel-voices ever singing ...**
 PSALM 148 *see music sheet*
 FIRST LESSON Daniel 10 : 4 – end read by Martin Evans
 MAGNIFICAT *see music card*
 SECOND LESSON Revelation 5 read by Joan Thomas
 NUNC DIMITTIS *see music card*
 ORGAN Improvisation on Angel-voices
 PRAYERS The Reverend Gillian Boorne
 HYMN 320 **Around the throne of God a band ...**
 SERMON Angela Jagger, Reader
 HYMN 196 **Songs of praise the angels sang ...**
 VOLUNTARY Prelude on Angel's Song Thalben-Ball

COPIES of the Address given by the Vicar at last Sunday's Battle of Britain
 Thanksgiving Service – 'Doing the best of things in the worst of times' – is available
 from the back of the church

OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

To be Licensed as Associate Priest next Sunday

The Reverend Jane Sharp
 Pat Buckingham Vivian & Margaret Edwards

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week
 Unwell

Neil Cunningham (a friend of Andrew Wilshere) after a stroke
 Trudy Harris (further treatment) Deborah Hogarth-Jones (in LOROS)
 Ian McKelvey (a friend of Angela Hefford) Peter Tahany
 Andrew Tyler (a friend of the Vicar) undergoing stem cell transplant

Recovering

Jean Nutting (after a knee operation) David Brunning (broken leg)

The altar flowers this week have been kindly given by Derrick and Pam Horsfall

The Rest of the Week

Daily 08.30 **Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel** *Vicar's day off*
 17.15 Enquirers' Group for young people at the Vicarage
 18.00 Boys' Choir practice
Monday 29th *Church Office closed* *Jerome*
 07.15 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order I
 19.45 Standing Committee meets at the Vicarage
Tuesday 30th *International Day of Older Persons*
 07.15 **Holy Communion** with Good Companions in the Large Hall
 19.00 SJ2 (Junior Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft
Wednesday 1st *Vincent de Paul*
 14.15 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order I (traditional)
 19.00 Coffee Drop-in in the Small Hall
Thursday 2nd At Home with Hilary Simpson at 24 Holmfield Road
 10.15 Enquirers' Group for young people at the Vicarage
 10.45 Girls' Choir practice
 14.30 Choir Practice
 17.15
 18.00

Sunday Next – Harvest Thanksgiving

08.30 **Holy Communion** Preacher: Rev'd Canon Glynn Richerby
 10.30 **All Age Eucharist** Readings: Isaiah 5 : 1 – 7 and Matthew 21 : 33 – end
 18.30 **Evensong and Licensing of the Reverend Jane Sharp**
 Preacher: The Ven. Richard Atkinson, Archdeacon of Leicester