

Sunday Next – Christ the King

- 08.30 Holy Communion
10.20 Sunday Club meets in the Large Hall
10.30 Sung Eucharist Celebrant and Preacher: Rev'd Jane Sharp
Readings:
18.30 Festal Evensong/Preacher: Rev'd Canon Wealands Bell,
Precentor of Lichfield Cathedral

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
Bric a brac	Glynn Richerby	254 4113
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

Please sign up at the back of the Church if you can provide some mince pies.

The **PROVOST DEREK HOLE LECTURE on Wednesday 26 November at 17.30** at Leicester University is open to all. Frank Field, MP will speak on 'The Politics of Behaviour: Was There a Golden Age?'

'JOURNEY THROUGH ADVENT TO CHRISTMAS': THE TALLIS SCHOLARS – a world-famous choral ensemble – will be performing at our Church on **Thursday 27 November**. Ticket prices range from £28 to £10: numbered seats guaranteed. **Booking details from the Church Office and at the back of the Church.**

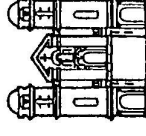
Even if you are not coming to the concert, you will enjoy reading the 28-page souvenir programme, which not only includes details about the performers, the music and future concerts, but also the Church of St James the Greater and its Christmas services. There are plenty of photographs, but no advertisements! **Programmes are available at the back of the Church or the Church Office at a price of £3 each.** All profits go to the Disabled Access Appeal, so this is a good way of making an extra donation.

'CHRISTMAS IS COMING' at 19.30 on Wednesday 17 December in the Large Hall! This will be the final event of this year in aid of the Disabled Access Appeal. It heralds a welcome return of an evening of seasonal food, music and readings organised by Margaret Terry and friends. **Further details at the back of the Church in due course.**

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This Week at the Church of
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16 NOVEMBER 2008 – SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT – Prisons Week

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 Communion in your seat

Collect

Heavenly Father,

whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the works of the devil and to make us the children of God and heirs of eternal life: grant that we, having this hope, may purify ourselves even as he is pure; that when he shall appear in power and great glory we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he 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 David Clark
Churchwarden: Rosemary Freer

10.20

Children's Sunday Club

in the Church Hall

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order 1

see **service sheet and music card**

Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby

Assisted by: Gillelean Russell and Julia Warner

Churchwardens: Marilyn Dorum and David Brunning

Sidesmen: George Daley, Cherry Falloway and Will Warner

Servers: David Nisbet, Emma-Jane Finn and Mandy Stephensen

Setting: Harwood in A flat

HYMN 207
READING
HYMN 224
GOSPEL
SERMON
INTERCESSIONS
HYMN 263
ANTHEM
COMMUNION HYMN 275
HYMN 193
VOLUNTARY

Praise to the Lord ...
Zephaniah 1 : 7, 12 – end read by Peter Ireson
Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us ...
Matthew 25 : 14 - 30
Anthony Green, Lay Reader
Angela Jagger, Lay Reader
Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour ...
Let all mortal flesh keep silence Bairstow
Wherefore, O Father ...
Sing praise to God who reigns above ...

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 Glynn Richerby
Churchwardens: Owen Jones and Alan McWhirr
Sidesmen: Chris and Jan Geere, and Owen Shepherd
Servers: Ian Stapleton, Hilary Rees and Teri White

HYMN 175 **Ye that know the Lord is gracious ...**
CONFESSIO **Almighty and most merciful Father...**
PSALM 89 (w/19 - 37) *see music sheet*
FIRST LESSON I Kings : 15 – 40 read by John Raven
MAGNIFICAT *see music sheet*
SECOND LESSON Revelation 1 : 4 – 18 read by Teri White
NUNC DIMITTIS Dyson in D
THE CREED **I believe in God ...**
ANTHEM Evening Hymn Balfour Gardiner
PRAYERS John Raven, Lay Reader
HYMN 140 (omit *) **All hail the power of Jesus' name!**
SERMON Angela Jagger, Lay Reader
HYMN 149 **Ye servants of God ...**
BLESSING
DISMISSAL *Plainsong* The Lord be with you. **And with thy spirit.**
Let us bless the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**
VOLUNTARY

CHRISTIAN AID DRC CRISIS APPEAL

Retiring collections will be held at all services next Sunday, in support of the victims of the unrest in the Democratic Republic of Congo.

OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

Thanksgiving for Childbirth

Joseph Peter, a son for Thomas and Ali Hill and a grandchild for Jennifer Clegg
All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week
Margaret Bell Alan Clowes Dora Daniels Susan Lacey

Unwell

Barry Butler – chemotherapy Peter Tahany
Trudy Harris - further treatment Deborah Hogarth-Jones - in LOROS
Judy Jones (Joan Thomas' friend) receiving treatment for brain tumours
Ian McKelvey (Angela Hefford's friend) Trevor Quibell (Elaine Nisbet's father)
Reverend Dr Robert Semeonoff (Leicester General Hospital chaplaincy)
Andrew Tyler (a friend of the Vicar) undergoing stem cell transplant

Rest in Peace

John Burnett-Walker (96) Geoffrey Simpson's stepfather
Derek Paul Downey (37)

The altar flowers this week have been kindly given by Rosemary Lowe, in memory of her husband, John, and the altar frontal by Sally Farnish, in memory of her parents

The Rest of the Week

Daily

08.30 **Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel**

Monday 17th *Church Office closed* *Vicar's day off*

17.15 Enquirers' Group for young people at the Vicarage

18.00 Boys' Choir practice

17.30 Camden House Group meets at 4 St James Terrace

Tuesday 18th *Church Office closed* *Elizabeth of Hungary (1231)*

07.15 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order 1

19.30 Parochial Church Council meets in the Ashman Music Room

Wednesday 19th

14.15 Good Companions in the Large Hall

19.00 SJ2 (Junior Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft

Thursday 20th *King Edmund (870)*

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

10.45 Coffee Drop-in in the Small Hall

17.00 41st Leicester Scouts (boys and girls) meet in the Undercroft

18.00 Girls' Choir practice

19.00 Stewardship Committee meeting and social in the Large Hall

Friday 21st

19.00 Choir Practice

Saturday 22nd

10.00 Annual Church Bazaar in the Large Hall

19.30 Concert by the Leicester University Chamber Choir