

Sunday Next – Lent 4 (Mothering Sunday)

- 08.30 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp
10.30 **Sung Eucharist and Baptism**
Celebrant and Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby
Mothering Sunday Lunch in the Large Hall
18.30 **Evensong** Officiant: Canon Glynn Richerby
'Journey to Jerusalem' speaker: Professor Aubrey Newman

Pray not for Arab or Jew, for Palestinian or Israeli

But pray rather for ourselves

that we might not divide them in our prayers, but keep them both together in our hearts.

Based on the prayer of a Palestinian Christian

MOTHERING SUNDAY LUNCH on Sunday 14 March in the Large Hall. Enjoy a hot meal with dessert, coffee and mints. Why not treat someone? Tickets £10 aged 12 +, £5 for children aged 3 – 11. ***The last day for buying tickets is TODAY.*** Geoffrey Simpson will speak briefly about the work of the Anglican Diocese of Uruguay, particularly the Church of St James, Colon, which has been supported by brother churches in Leicestershire since its inception.

EASTER FLOWERS From next Sunday, the Flower Guild will be inviting donations towards decorating our Church for Easter. Special 'Easter Flower' envelopes will be available to be put on the collection plate during services, either anonymously or with details filled in if the donor wishes the Church to reclaim income tax under the Gift Aid Scheme.

ANNUAL CHAPLAINCY LECTURE – a free public lecture is to be given by Dame Mary Tanner – European President of the World Council of Churches – on **Thursday 11 March at 5.30 pm in Theatre 3 of the Ken Edwards Building at the University of Leicester.** The title of the lecture is 'Transformative Conversations in Ecumenical and Interfaith Dialogue'.



THE SIXTEEN Concert on 15 April at 7.30pm With seven weeks to go, over 300 tickets have already been sold. A capacity audience is in prospect - reserve your seats soon to avoid disappointment. The Sixteen will enter to a processional plainsong, led by our own team of Crucifer and Acolytes. You can also hear Harry Christophers and The

Sixteen in a new series on Sacred Music – BBC Four at 8.00 pm on Friday 12, 19, 26 March, and 2 April. ***Booking forms for the concert here are at the back of the Church.***

10/09



This Week at the Church of
St James the Greater
Leicester

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7 MARCH 2010 – THE THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

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

Almighty God,
whose most dear Son when not up to joy but first he suffered pain,
and entered not into glory before he was crucified:
mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross,
may find it none other than the way of life and peace;
through Jesus Christ the Son our Lord,
who liveth and reigneth with thee,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

08.30

Holy Communion

Book of Common Prayer, Pages 237-241, 244, 251-259
Celebrant: The Very Reverend Dr Derek Hole
Churchwarden: David Brunning

10.20

Children's Sunday Club

in the Church Hall

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order 1
see service sheet
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
Assisted by: Angela Jagger and Gillean Russell
Churchwardens: Graham Jagger and Robin Bickerstaffe
Sidesmen: George Daley, Pat Ireson, Graham or Claire Prowse and David Pugh
Servers: Michael Bull, April Burton and Emma-Jane Finn
Setting: Deutsche Messe – Schubert

HYMN 209	Through all the changing scenes of life ...	
READING	Isaiah 55 : 1 – 9 read by Caroline Beardsmore	
HYMN 226	As pants the hart for cooling streams ...	
GOSPEL	Luke 13 : 1 – 9	
SERMON	The Vicar	
INTERCESSIONS	Gillean Russell	
HYMN 133	Immortal love for ever full ...	
ANTHEM	Thou knowest, Lord	Purcell
COMMUNION HYMN 492	Lord of all, to whom alone ...	
HYMN 234	Thine for ever, God of love ...	
VOLUNTARY	Chaconne	Couperin

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

**11.30 Book Group for *Walk to Jerusalem* readers
in the Vicarage**

18.30 Choral Evensong

see service card and music sheet

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Churchwardens: David Brunning and Angela Hefford

Sidesmen: Colin Stray and Maggie Weller

Servers: William Woolley, Val Bailey and Mandy Stephensen

HYMN 162	Jesus, where'er thy people meet ...	
CONFESSION	<i>see buff coloured service card</i>	
PSALM 13	<i>see music sheet</i>	
FIRST LESSON	Isaiah 6 : 1 – 8 read by Geoffrey Simpson	
MAGNIFICAT	<i>see music sheet</i>	
SECOND LESSON	John 12 : 12 – 26 read by Pat Ireson	
NUNC DIMITTIS	Noble in B minor	
THE CREED	<i>see buff coloured service card, page 3</i>	
ANTHEM	Like as the hart	Howells
PRAYERS	The Vicar	
HYMN 217	Be thou my guardian and my guide ...	
	Speaker: Canon Philip Norwood	
	in the Lent series 'Journey to Jerusalem'	
HYMN 132	Son of God, eternal Saviour ...	
BLESSING and DISMISSAL		

Transcripts of the address given by Mohammad Aboo last Sunday evening are available from the back of the Church.

OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Vivian and Margaret Edwards : Winnie Walker : Syd Wheeler

Unwell

Barry Butler : Vera Clark (Glenfield Hospital) : Arthur Garrett : Paul Long

John Metcalfe : Victor Pugh (LRI Ward 29)

Peter Joseph Spokes (bone marrow transplant due) : Millie Talbot

Recovering

Margaret Bell (now at Holmes Court, S Wigston) : Janet Burton

Eileen Byham (The Lodge, Thurnby) : Adrian Dean (chemotherapy completed)

Michael Molloy (now home) : Jane Sharp

Rest in Peace

Tony Clarke (87) Tricia Dean's father, died 2 March – funeral at Fleckney

By tradition, there are no flowers in Church during Lent

The Rest of the Week

Daily

08.30

Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel

Monday 8th

Edward, King of Lincoln

Vicar's day off

18.00

Boys' Choir practice

19.00

Compline led by the Boys' Choir

Tuesday 9th

Church Office closed

07.15

Holy Communion Common Worship, Order I

Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

11.00

Lent Bible Study Group in the Ashman Music Room

Wednesday 10th

14.15

Good Companions AGM in the Large Hall

18.15

SJ2 (Junior Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft

Thursday 11th

10.15

Holy Communion Common Worship, Order I (traditional)

Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

10.45

Coffee Drop-in in the Undercroft

17.00

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

18.00

Girls' Choir practice

19.45

Lent Bible Study Group in the Ashman Music Room

Friday 12th

Church Office closed

19.00

Choir Practice

Saturday 13th

19.00

Concert by the Leicester University Music Societies