

LEICESTER UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN UNION FREE CAFÉ LUCU was very appreciative of the contribution of cakes made by two ladies from our congregation towards this popular means of providing rest and relaxation for students, with an opportunity for friendly chats which may touch on the Gospel, during the revision period prior to end-of-year exams.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK The envelope collections taken at services over the past two Sundays yielded **£203.50**, £111 of which was Gift Aided. This compares with £292.50 last year, when a door-to-door collection was made. Those who participated last year may feel that the shortfall could be better made up in 2011 by holding a fundraising event, rather than touring the parish ... Thanks to everyone for their generosity this year.

LIGHTING and SOUND A couple of volunteers are needed to help look after the sound and lighting systems in Church and provide support for occasional celebrants and special services. For further information, please contact **Andrew Packham – Tel: L 271 2123**. Andrew would also like to hear from anyone who makes use of the **Induction Loop** during services.

ANYONE FOR GENERAL SYNOD? To stand for the House of Laity, you must be aged 18 years or over; a communicant member of the Church of England, and on the Electoral Roll of a Parish or the Community Roll of a Cathedral. The time commitment would be ten days a year for a five-year term. The closing date for nominations is Friday 3 September.

For more information, visit the website www.generalsynodelections2010.org

SUMMER ORGAN RECITALS Once more, Mark Batten has arranged an eight-week series of half-hour organ recitals to take place in Church on Sundays at 5.30 pm, beginning on 6 June. Tea will be served in the Large Hall after the recitals and everyone is welcome to take refreshment before staying on for Choral Evensong at 6.30 pm.

Full details of the programme will appear at the back of the Church, in the Quarterly and in the weekly leaflets.

Give yourselves a summer of weekly musical treats, provided by superb organists, some 'home-grown' and others from further afield.

There will be no admission charge, but retiring collections will invite the audiences to contribute towards the running costs of providing the venue and the instrument for the performers.

10/20



This Week at the Church of
St James the Greater
Leicester

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23 MAY 2010 – PENTECOST
Whit Sunday

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

God, who as at this time
taught the hearts of your faithful people
by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit:
grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgement in all things
and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort;
through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour,
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: Tricia Dean

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order 1
see service sheet and music card
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby
Assisted by: Sara King and Vicky Roe
Preacher: The Reverend Jane Sharp
Churchwardens: Angela Hefford and Robin Bickerstaffe
Sidesmen: Cherry Fulloway and John Sharp
Servers: Emma-Jane Finn and Teri-Leigh White
Setting: Festive Eucharist – Rawsthorne

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

18.30

Choral Evensong with Admission of Choristers

see service card and music sheet

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Churchwardens: David Brunning and Angela Hefford

Sidesmen: Paul Dean, Rosemary Freer and Ken Lumb

Servers: John Goadby, Hazel Carlin and Mandy Stephensen

ADMISSION OF CHORISTERS Brandon Britton and Hannah Cowley

HYMN 471 Holy Spirit, come, confirm us ...

PRECES *sung by the choir* Rose

PSALM 150 *see green music sheet*

FIRST LESSON Exodus 33 : 7 – 20 read by Alan Fletcher

MAGNIFICAT *see green music sheet*

SECOND LESSON 2 Corinthians 3 : 4-end read by Gabrielle Fletcher

NUNC DIMITTIS Stanford in B flat

THE CREED *see buff service card, p 3*

RESPONSES *sung by the choir* Rose

ANTHEM Listen sweet dove Ives

PRAYERS John Raven, Reader

HYMN 156 Come down, O Love divine ...

SERMON The Vicar

HYMN 203 O praise ye the Lord! ...

BLESSING

DISMISSAL *Plainsong* The Lord be with you. **And with thy spirit.**

Let us bless the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Pat Buckingham : Arthur Higginson : Muriel McDermott : Dorothy Pincus

Unwell

Barry Butler : Arthur Garrett : Ann Geyelin (David Roberts' aunt)

Kate Hefford (after surgery) : Paul Long : Olive Rees (Hilary's mother)

Peter Joseph Spokes : Millie Talbot :

Recovering

Marjorie Booton : Mavis Jones (Brookside) : Elizabeth Rees

Edna Taylor (now home)

Rest in Peace

Victor Pugh (90) : Ronald Ernest Weller (88) Maggie's father

*The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by Janet Felstead,
in memory of David*

THE HOLY SPIRIT did not originate with Christianity, although the Holy Spirit did inaugurate the Christianity era. There's a difference. So that, from many centuries before the Christian era, the prophet Ezekiel speaks of a new relationship of God with his people and so receiving a new measure of God's life-giving activity, a new spirit. Also, the prophet Joel, in speaking of the experience of God's favour, identifies the spirit of God as the animating force of life and the source of inspiration for all people. The Apostle Peter, empowered by the Spirit on the day of Pentecost, preaches his first sermon and speaks of newborn Christianity as the fulfilment of Old Testament prophecy and quotes the prophet Joel.

The Rest of the Week

Daily

08.30 **Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel**

John and Charles Wesley

Monday 24th

18.00 Boys' Choir practice

Tuesday 25th

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

Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

19.15 Stewardship Committee at the Vicarage

Wednesday 26th

Augustine, first Archbishop of Canterbury *John*

Calvin

14.15 Good Companions in the Large Hall

12.00 **Memorial Service** for Victor Pugh

18.15 SJ2 (Junior Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft

Thursday 27th

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

17.15 Young Enquirers' Group at the Vicarage

18.00 Girls' Choir practice

Friday 28th

Blessed Lanfranc of Canterbury Church Office closed

19.00 Choir Practice

Sunday Next – Trinity

08.30 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

10.20 Sunday Club meets in the Large Hall

10.30 **Sung Eucharist**

Celebrant and Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby

Readings: Romans 5 : 1 – 5 and John 16 : 12 – 15

18.30 **Evensong** Officiant and Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby