

THE REVEREND DR VICTORIA JOHNSON (or Vicky, as she was known to us!) is being licensed today as Priest-in-Charge of St Michael's, Flixton, Manchester. During her six student years in Leicester, Vicky was a committed member of our congregation. Our good wishes and prayers go with her in this next stage of her ministry.

THEO SAUNDERS (former Director of Music) wishes to thank the people of St James for their prayers and good wishes, which are much appreciated. Theo is likely to be in hospital for some time, so if anyone would like to send him a cheery greeting, the address is: *Craigavon Hospital, Portadown BT63 5QQ.*

MONTEVERDI VESPERS In celebration of the 400th anniversary of its composition, this thrilling work will be performed on **Thursday 14 October** by the **Ex Cathedra Consort and Baroque Ensemble, with His Majesty's Sagbutts and Cornetts.** *Further details from handbills around the Church.*

A MEMORIAL TRIBUTE to Alan McWhirr will be paid at the **University of Leicester** in the Frank and Katherine May Lecture Room, Henry Wellcome Building, at **1.30 pm on Saturday 23 October.** *Further information via the Church Office* (Tel: 254 2111) *or posters around Church.*

PUBLIC LECTURE AT LEICESTER UNIVERSITY Everyone is welcome to The Provost Derek Hole Annual Public Lecture at **5.30 pm on Thursday 28 October** in the **Ken Edwards Building, Lecture Theatre 1.** The Most Reverend Vincent Nichols – Archbishop of Westminster – will speak on 'Living the Virtues in a Time of Austerity'.

THE ANNUAL BAZAAR will be on **Saturday 6 November, from 10.00 to noon, raising funds for the Church and for YMCA** (which runs the Y Advice and Support Centre for young homeless people through the Dawn Centre).

Please contact the stallholders with offers of assistance or items for sale:

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| Bric-a-Brac (of quality) | Glynn Richerby | 254 4113 |
| Books | Roy and Joy Broughton | 288 4505 |
| Cakes | Caroline Beardsmore | 259 6341 |
| Flower Guild (plants, table decorations, etc) | Barbara Raven | 270 7591 |
| Good Companions | Pauline Plummer | 255 4240 |
| Holiday Stall | Barbara Penrose | 270 3666 |
| Preserves | Caroline Beardsmore | 259 6341 |
| Raffle (Trinity House Group) | John Raven | 270 7591 |
| Tombola | Will and Julia Warner | 241 3852 |

DIARY DATE The Vicar is to lead an Advent Quiet Day at Rearsby Convent on **Saturday 4 December from 10.00 am till 4.00 pm.** *Further details later.*

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This Week at the Church of
St James the Greater
Leicester

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3 OCTOBER 2010 – HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Thanksgiving for the Funding Campaign

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

Eternal God, you crown the year with your goodness
and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season:
grant that we may use them to your glory,
for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being;
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

Book of Common Prayer, Pages 237-241, 244, 251-259
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
Churchwarden: Graham Jagger

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order 1
see Order of Service
Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp
Assisted by: Kath Packham and Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
Churchwardens: Tricia Dean and Owen Jones
Sidesmen: George Daley, Pat Ireson, Graham or Claire Prowse and David Pugh
Servers: David Nisbet, April Burton and Janet Burton
Setting: Addington Service – Shepherd
Congregational Gloria: Mass of St Thomas – Thorne
Hymns: 289, 370, 415, 377 (tune 75) and 457

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

18.30

Festal Evensong

see service card and music sheet

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Churchwardens: John Finn and Angela Hefford

Sidesmen: Barbara Penrose, Colin Stray and Angela Stray

Servers: Ian Stapleton, Angela Finn and Hilary Rees

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| INTROIT | Let the people praise thee, O God | Rule |
| SENTENCE | Psalm 67 : 6 | |
| HYMN 289 | Come, ye thankful people, come ... | |
| WELCOME | | |
| PSALM 65 | <i>see green music leaflet</i> | |
| FIRST LESSON | Deuteronomy 26 : 1 – 11 read by Michael Bull | |
| MAGNIFICAT | | |
| SECOND LESSON | Matthew 6 : 25 – 33 read by Gill Bickerstaffe | |
| NUNC DIMITTIS | | |
| THE CREED | <i>see buff service card, p 3</i> | |
| ANTHEM | Come labour on | Noble, arr Parker |
| PRAYERS | Angela Jagger, Reader | |
| HYMN 290 | We plough the fields, and scatter ... | |
| SERMON | The Venerable Richard Atkinson, Archdeacon of Leicester | |
| HYMN 287 | O Lord of heaven and earth and sea ... | |
| BLESSING | | |
| DISMISSAL <i>Plainsong</i> | The Lord be with you. And with thy spirit. Let us bless the Lord. Thanks be to God! | |
| VOLUNTARY | The Modal Trumpet | Karam |

OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

Noviced to the Society of St Francis, Third Order, yesterday

Sara King

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Vivian Edwards : Jean Mason : Winnie Walker : Syd Wheeler

Unwell

Barry Butler : Maryanne (Doris Makepeace's granddaughter)

Iris Richerby (Vicar's mother) after major surgery

Theo Saunders (being treated for cancer) : Millie Talbot

Recovering

Chris Jones (Phil's father) : Mavis Jones : Vicky Roe

Rest in Peace

Etty Hewlett (94) Ian Jones' grandmother : Gordon Lunn (79) Edna Taylor's uncle

*The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by Jean Hurst,
in memory of Esther Skinner*

The Rest of the Week

Daily

08.30

Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel

Monday 4th

St Francis of Assisi

Vicar's day off

18.00

Boys' Choir practice

Tuesday 5th

07.15

Holy Communion Common Worship, Order 1

Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

Wednesday 6th *William Tyndale*

14.15

Good Companions – Holy Communion in the Large Hall

18.15

SJ2 (Junior Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft

Thursday 7th

10.15

Holy Communion Common Worship, Order 1 (traditional)

Celebrant: Canon Henry Evans

10.45

Coffee Drop-in in the Ashman Music Room

14.30

At Home with Hilary Simpson at 24 Holmfield Road

17.00

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

18.00

Girls' Choir practice

Friday 8th

19.00

Choir Practice

19.30

Leicester Theological Society meeting at Christchurch, Clarendon

Park Road – The Newman Ecumenical Lecture

Blessed Cardinal John Henry Newman

Saturday 9th

13.00

Wedding of Christopher Williams and Caroline Spencer

Sunday Next – Trinity 19

PLEASE NOTE *The LOROS Leicester Marathon starts and finishes at Victoria Park, so vehicular access to Church may be impeded this morning.*

08.30

Holy Communion Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

10.30

Sunday Club starts off in Church

10.30

Sung Eucharist Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp

Preacher: Ali Simpson, Mission Partnership Youth Worker

Readings: 2 Kings 5 : 1 – 3, 7 – 15c and Luke 17 : 11 – 19

18.30

Evensong Officiant: Canon Glynn Richerby

Preacher: Angela Jagger, Reader

FRESHERS' WEEK FREE CAFÉ hosted by the Christian Union at the University of Leicester provides an opportunity for new students to find out about Christian activities on campus. Home-made cakes aid conversation!

Volunteer cake makers for Friday 15 October should contact Tricia Dean in the Church Office (Tel: 254 2111).