#### This Week at the Church of

# St James the Greater

#### Leicester

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#### Ist January 2012 - 2nd SUNDAY of CHRISTMAS

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

#### **Prayer for the Week**

Almighty God,

who wonderfully created us in your own image and yet more wonderfully restored us through your Son Jesus Christ: grant that, as he came to share in our humanity, so we may share the life of his divinity; 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: Rosemary Freer

## 10.30 Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order I

see service sheet and music card

Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar Assisted by: Gillean Russell and David Kibert

Churchwardens: David Brunning

Sidesmen: George Daley, Pat Ireson, Graham & Claire Prowse and David Pugh Servers: Michael Bull, Hazel Carlin and Charles Samuel

HYMN 43	A great and mighty wonder	
READING	Numbers 6. 22-end	read by Cherry Fulloway
HYMN 54	Thou whom shepherds worshipped	
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SERMON The Vicar
INTERCESSIONS Gillean Russell

HYMN 42 In the Bleak mid-winter (omit v. 3)

**HYMN 33** VOLUNTARY Of the Father's love begotten

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

## 18.30 New Years Day Service

see service card and music sheet

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar Churchwarden: Will Warner

Sidesmen: Barbara Penrose and Angela & Colin Stray

#### **OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:**

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Vivian Edwards: Wyn Evans: Winnie Walker

Unwell

Jim Cotter: Tom Murphy: Millie Talbot: Jane Moore Lizzie Chikuni: Anne Hayter (Sarah Clark's mother) pelvis fracture Kate Soanes (Angela Hefford's daughter-in-law) chemotherapy Theo Saunders (former Director of Music) stem cell therapy

Recovering

Kath Higginson: Carmel Horton: Tony Rudge: Angela Hefford

The chancel steps flowers have been donated by Jill Valentine & family in memory of Joe

#### The Rest of the Week

Thursday			
10.15	<b>Holy Communion</b>	Common Worship, Order I (traditional)	
	Celebrant: The Revere	end Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar	
10.45	Coffee Drop-in in the Ashman Music Room		
14.30	At Home with Hilary Simpson at 24 Holmfield Road		
18.00	Girls Choir Practice		
Friday			
19.00	Choir Practice		
Sunday Next – Baptism of Christ			
08.30		Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby	
10.30	Sunday Club meets in the Large Hall, starting off in Church		
10.30	Sung Eucharist	Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby	
	_	Preacher: Angela Jagger	
	Readings:	Acts 19. 1-7 and Mark 1. 4-11	
18.30	<b>Epiphany Carols</b>	Officiant: Canon Glynn Richerby	