

TICKETS FOR The Sixteen with Harry Christophers Concert on Thursday, 19 April 2012 here at St James the Greater, entitled *The Earth Resounds*, are now on sale.

The concert consists of music by Brumel, Lassus, and Josquin, the most celebrated composers of the Franco-Flemish school of the Renaissance. The evening promises to be another magnificent concert at St James – the fifth year running that St James the Greater has hosted The Sixteen on their Choral Pilgrimage.

Ticket application forms are at the back of the Church or online, or stop by the church office Mon - Fri to buy in person.

AN EXTRAORDINARY PAROCHIAL MEETING will be held on Sunday 5th February at 11.45 to hear arguments for and against the different chair options. The meeting will be open to all 'stakeholders' – including those who hire the church for concerts. Full details of the congregational survey held are available in the Quarterly.

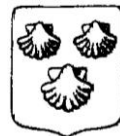
FILM NIGHT AT ST JAMES The charity committee presents **The Kings Speech** on Shrove Tuesday, 21st February. Free entry, bar and refreshments will be available. Donations welcome. *Save the date!*

SNOWDROP SPECTACULAR Launde Abbey will be open from 2.00 – 4.00 pm every day from 13th February until 18th March 2012, allowing visitors the opportunity to stroll through the gardens and wander amongst the magnificent display of snowdrops. Afterwards everyone is invited to relax in the dining room over tea, scones and jam. The cost is £5.00 per person, which includes tea, scone and jam. A family ticket is also available (2 adults and 2 children under 12) for £15.00 – under 3's are free. For more information please contact the Launde Abbey General Office on 01572 717254 or visit the website www.launde.org.uk

DROP BY, a Saturday drop-in for homeless people, is a joint project between the Islamic Society of Britain and the Church of St James the Greater and is supported by Action Homeless. The opportunity to socialise and have a hot lunch provided by volunteers, started on 7 January and runs from 11.00 until 2pm. **Volunteers are still needed plus donations of clothes to be given to those in need** - in particular, men's trousers and new underwear, plus warm sleeping bags. For more information contact the church office.

PAUL AND TRICIA DEAN are delighted to say that **Esther Muthuveloe** has been declared fit by her Great Ormond Street consultants, with no need for a bone marrow transplant. Her family regards this as a miraculous answer to prayer and sends thanks to everyone at St James.

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This Week at the Church of **St James the Greater** Leicester

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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,
whose Son revealed in signs and miracles
the wonder of your saving presence:
renew your people with your heavenly grace,
and in all our weakness sustain us by your mighty power;
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

Common Worship, Order 1 (Traditional)
Celebrant: The Reverend David Clark
Churchwarden: Graham Jagger

10.30

Children's Sunday Club

Starting off together in Church

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order 1
see service sheet and music card
Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp
Assisted by: Gillean Russell and Sara King
Churchwardens: David Brunning and Michael Malloy
Sidesmen: Cherry Fulloway and John Sharp
Servers: Ian Stapleton, Emma-Jane Finn and Cynthia McLaughlan
Setting: Mass of the Quiet Hour - Oldroyd (Gloria Schubert German Mass)