Hail the day that sees him rise ... **HYMN AM 87** READING Acts 1. 15-17, 21-end read by loan Thomas **HYMN AM 144** Come let us join our cheerful songs ... GOSPEL John 17. 6-19 **SERMON** Angela Jagger INTERCESSIONS Kath Packham **HYMN AM 262** Alleluia, sing to Jesus ... ANTHEM Come Down O Love Divine Harris COMMUNION HYMN NH 23 Be still, for the presence of the Lord Christ triumphant ... **HYMN NH 37** VOLUNTARY

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service please use the lift or staircase to the rear of the Lady Chapel

18.30

Choral Evensong

see service card and music sheet Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Churchwardens: Graham Jagger and Julia Walker Sidesmen: Owen Shepherd and Jan & Chris Geere Servers: Charles Samuel, Hilary Rees and Hazel Carlin

HYMN 149 CONFESSION	Ye servants of God a see buff service card	
RESPONSES	sung by the Choir	Ayleward
PSALM 147 v1-12	see green music sheet	,
FIRST LESSON	Isaiah 61	read by Julia Warner
MAGNIFICAT	see green music sheet	:
SECOND LESSON	Luke 4. 14-21	read by Vicky Roe
NUNC DIMITTIS	sung by the choir	Sumsion in G
THE CREED	see buff service card, p 3	
RESPONSES		
ANTHEM	God is Gone Up	Finzi
PRAYERS	Margaret Terry	
HYMN 233	O thou who camest from above	
SERMON	The Reverend Alison Fuller	
	Vicar of St Peter's, Highfields	
HYMN 141	The head that once	
BLESSING		
DISMISSAL Plainsong	The Lord be with you.	And with thy spirit.
	Let us bless the Lord.	Thanks be to God!
VOLUNTARY		

OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week Marjorie Booton : Pat Buckingham : Arthur Higginson : Joyce Smith

Unwell

Millie Talbot : Simon Edwards : John Burrows (former caretaker) Eleanor Moudiotis (Joan Thomas's daughter) after surgery : Jane Moore Margaret Judd : Kate Soanes : Barry Butler (Tricia Dean's brother-in-law) Anne Hayter : David Muddimer (St Luke's for rehab after major spinal surgery)

Recovering

Theo Saunders : Jo Wood : Pamela Pinkstone (Vicar's sister) after surgery

Rest in peace

Susan Marjorie Pole (67) parishioner : Susan Cufflin

The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by Doris Makepeace in memory of John

The Rest of the Week

Tues - Friday 08.30 Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel Monday 21 Vicar's day off Boys' Choir practice 18.00 **Tuesday 22** Common Worship, Order I 07.15 Holy Communion Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar Wednesday 23 Good Companions in the Large Hall 14.15 SI2 (Junior Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft 18.15 Thursday 24 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order I (traditional) 10.15 Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar Coffee Drop-in in the Main Hall 10.45 Camden House Group meets at 4 St. James Terrace 11.30 17.00 41st Leicester Scouts (boys and girls) meet in the Undercroft 18.00 Girls' Choir practice 19.45 St James' Singers practice Friday 25 19.00 Choir Practice Saturday 26 11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft (see over for more information)

Sunday Next – Pentecost

- 08.30 Holy Communion Celebrant: Reverend Jane Sharp
- Sunday Club meets in the Large Hall, starting off in Church 10.30

10.30 Sung Eucharist Celebrant & Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby

Evensong

18.30

Readings: Acts 2. I-21 and John 15. 26-27, 16. 4b-15

Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby

COLOURS OF LIFE!

This Saturday, 26 May at the Samworth Enterprise Academy, Trenant Road, there is a major festival, organised by the Church of England. Colours of Life is quite different in style and focus from previous Diocesan Assemblies in that, as well as provision for adults, there is loads for children, young

families and young people (from bouncy castles to fire-eating, from art workshops to sports coaching, from Messy Church to Open the Book and much, much more!). With a festival feel, there are over thirty different interactive options throughout the day, together with a range of excellent speakers in the speakers' venue.

The ribbon cutting is at 9:30am and the Festival service finishes at 4pm. The day is free and no booking is required - come for some or all of the day as suits. Hot & cold food for all ages is available to buy, or you may prefer to bring a packed lunch. With a strong mission feel, why not invite those on the fringe of your church, friends or family to enjoy the fun of the day as well as have the option to explore and experience more of that which God offers. There's more info, timetable, details of parking and public transport and more at www.leicester.anglican.org/colours-of-life or by calling Claire on 0116 261 5317.

STOP-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, runs from 11.00 until 14.00. Donations of personal care items are always in need, as well as underwear (new) and sleeping bags.

DONATIONS BY DEBIT/CREDIT CARD We are now able to accept payment for tickets and donations by card (slips are at the back next to the gift aid envelopes). Debit cards are preferable as processing fees are considerably lower.

THE QUARTERLY Summer edition is now available.

If you normally collect from church, they are not in envelopes this time. If you normally receive it by post, the envelopes are at the back of the church. Please help us to save postage by collecting your copy. Also, if you can deliver any of the remaining envelopes, it is very much appreciated.

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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

O God the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: we beseech you, leave us not comfortless, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

08.30

10.30

Holy Communion

Common Worship, Order I (Traditional) Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar Churchwarden: Julia Walker

10.30

Children's Sunday Club

Starting off together in Church

Sung Eucharist

see service sheet

Hymns Ancient & Modern AM & New Hymns & Worship Songs NH

Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar Assisted by: Kath Packham and Charles Samuel Churchwardens: Michael Molloy and Sarah Kirby Sidesmen: Will Warner, George Daley and Cherry Fulloway Servers: Michael Bull, Duduzile Chizema and Emma-Jane Finn Setting: Batten Short Service