

HYMN 209 Through all the changing scenes of life
 READING Romans 10. 8b-13 read by Keith Vaughan
PSALM 91 v. 1-2,9-16
 GOSPEL Luke 4. 1-13
 SERMON John Raven in a Lent series on St Luke
 INTERCESSIONS The Vicar
HYMN 56 Forty days and forty nights
 ANTHEM O for a closer walk with God Stanford
 COMMUNION HYMN 246 (1st tune) Just as I am, without one plea
HYMN 214 (2nd tune) Guide me, O thou great Redeemer
 VOLUNTARY

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

18.30 Choral Evensong

see service card and music sheet

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Churchwardens: Sarah Kirby and Graham Jagger

Sidesmen: Owen Shepherd and Jan & Chris Geere

Servers: William Woolley, Hazel Carlin and Charles Samuel

HYMN 217 Be thou my guardian and my guide
CONFESSION see buff service card
 RESPONSES sung by the Choir Reading
PSALM 119 v.73-88 see green music sheet
 FIRST LESSON Jonah 3 read by David Kibert
 MAGNIFICAT Sung by the choir Wesley
 SECOND LESSON Luke 18. 9-14 read by Jennifer Clegg
NUNC DIMITTIS see green music sheet
THE CREED see buff service card, p 3
RESPONSES
 ANTHEM Wash me thoroughly Wesley
 PRAYERS Gillean Russell
HYMN 438 (T. 64) Can man by searching find out God
 READINGS from Brian Mountford's *Christian Atheist*
 in a Lent series on *Engaging Atheists*
HYMN 412 O Lord, we long to see your face
 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 : Arthur Higginson : Joyce Smith

Unwell

Linda Green : Brenda Smith (Amber Webster's mother) : Millie Talbot

Jane Moore : Susan Langton : Anne Hayter

Recovering

David Goddard : Francis Ciza - after knee surgery : Josie Lovatt

Rest in Peace

Brigitte Foster (83) member of Good Companions

The Rest of the Week

Tues - Friday

08.30

Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel

Tuesday

07.15

Holy Communion Common Worship, Order 1
 Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Wednesday

17.30

Reading Group at the Vicarage (please sign up, list at back of church)

18.15

SJ2 (Junior Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft

18.30

Compline

Thursday

10.15

Holy Communion Common Worship, Order 1 (traditional)

Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp

10.45

Coffee Drop-in in the Hall (access from the Church via the lift)

17.00

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

19.30

St James' Singers practice

Friday

18.00

Choir Practice

Saturday

11.00

Stop-by in the Undercroft (see over for more information)

Sunday Next – Lent 2

08.30

Holy Communion Celebrant: Reverend Jane Sharp

10.30

Sunday Club meets in the Large Hall, starting off in Church

10.30

Sung Eucharist Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

Preacher: Angela Jagger in a Lent series on St Luke

Readings: Philippians 3. 17- 4.1 and Luke 13. 31-end

18.30

Evensong & Readings from John Humphries' *In God we Doubt*
 in a Lent series on *Engaging Atheists*

SUNDAY CLUB takes a break this Sunday during schools' half term. It normally meets at 10.30 in the Large Hall during term time providing activities and discussion for school aged children whilst their carer(s) attend church. **For more information speak to a church warden/sidesman or contact the church office during the week.**

BETTER SAFE ...

Ends of some rows of chairs in the nave have been taken out of use and other precautions taken to clear spaces below light fittings.

This follows the incident of a light bulb in the chancel blowing with sufficient force to cause the front part of the fitting to drop down.

This was a freak event – the one and only time such a thing has happened in more than 30 years. However, it has been thought best to be on the safe side until the light fittings can be modified to prevent even the remote possibility of such a thing happening again.

LENT 2013 Please take the opportunity to view the display at the back of the church, **sign up where appropriate and take away a leaflet describing our Lent Programme.**

CHURCH CLEAN UP FOR LENT

A working party is being organised for **Thursday 21 February** after the morning service. All help very welcome. A simple lunch will follow.

Please let the Church Office know if you are able to help.

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER.

This year's service has been prepared by the women of France and takes place on **Friday 1 March at 2.00 pm in St Thomas More, Knighton Road**, (Speaker: Mrs Ruth Magee) and at **7.30 p.m. in St Guthlac's, Holbrook Road** (Speaker: Dr Angela Jagger). All are welcome to attend, including men!

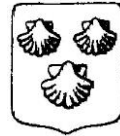


SATURDAY STOP-BY – a drop-in for homeless people – is a joint project between the Islamic Society of Britain and the Church of St James the Greater. Donations of warm jumpers, trousers, coats and sleeping bags are always welcomed as well as (new) underwear and toiletries such as razors and sanitary items. **Thank you for your help with this. Donations towards the cost of providing hot food, heat and light would be appreciated, ideally placed in a Gift Aid envelope clearly marked 'Stop By' and put onto the collection plate.**

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This Week at the Church of St James the Greater

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17 FEBRUARY 2013 – FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

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 Jesus Christ fasted forty days in the wilderness,
and was tempted as we are, yet without sin:
give us grace to discipline ourselves in obedience to your Spirit;
and, as you know our weakness,
so may we know your power to save;
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 I (Traditional)
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
Churchwarden: Sarah Kirby

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order I
see service sheet and music card
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
Assisted by: Duduzile Chizema and Peter Ireson
Churchwardens: Michael Molloy and Julia Walker
Sidesmen: George Daley, Cherry Fulloway and Keith & Jan Vaughan
Servers: Michael Bull, Tanaka Chizema and Takudzwa Chizema
Setting: Anglican Folk Mass - Shaw