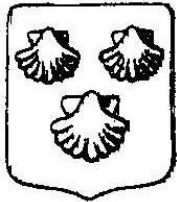
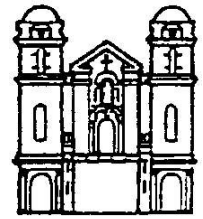


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This week at the Church of
St James the Greater
Leicester

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3 MARCH 2013 – THIRD 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 most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain,
and entered not into glory before he was crucified:
mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross,
may find it none other than the way of life and peace;
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

Children's Sunday Club

Starting off together in Church

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order I
see service sheet and music card
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
Assisted by: Vicky Roe and April Burton
Churchwardens: Michael Molloy and Graham Jagger
Sidesmen: Pat Ireson, David Pugh and Graham & Claire Prowse
Servers: Peter Ireson, Hazel Carlin and Emma Fullbrook
Setting: Missa Eliensis – Wills

HYMN 473 **I come with joy to meet my Lord**
 READING I Corinthians 10. 1-13 *read by Angela Hefford*
PSALM 42. v. 1-7 **see separate sheet**
 GOSPEL Luke 13. 1-9
 SERMON The Vicar
 INTERCESSIONS Vicky Roe
HYMN 133 (omit v. 6) **Immortal Love, for ever full**
 ANTHEM O pray for the peace of Jerusalem *Howells*
COMMUNION HYMN 492 (t.154ii) **Lord of all, to whom alone**
HYMN 312 (omit v. 2) **Jesus calls us: o'er the tumult**
 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 Julia Walker
 Sidesmen: Barbara Penrose and Angela & Colin Stray
 Servers: David Nisbet, Valerie Bailey and Charles Samuel

HYMN 9 omit vs 4 & 5 **At even, ere the sun was set**
CONFESSION *see buff service card*
RESPONSES
PSALMS 12, 13 *see green music sheet*
 FIRST LESSON Genesis 28. 10-19a *read by Margaret Terry*
 MAGNIFICAT sung by the choir *Arnold*
 SECOND LESSON John 1. 35-end *read by Geoffrey Simpson*
 NUNC DIMITTIS sung by the choir *Arnold*
THE CREED *see buff service card, p 3*
RESPONSES
 ANTHEM If ye love me *Tallis*
 PRAYERS The Vicar
HYMN 216 **O God of Bethel, by whose hand**
 READINGS from Richard Dawkins' *The God Delusion*
 in a Lent series on *Engaging Atheists*
HYMN 103 **The spacious firmament on high**
 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 : Margaret Judd : Wyn Evans
Unwell

Maggie Wright (Polly Taylor's sister) : Brenda Smith (Amber Webster's mother)
Susan Langton : Muriel McDermott : Jane Moore : Linda Green : Ian Stevens
Brandon Brittan (chorister) broken femur : Anne Hayter : Millie Talbot
Rachel Stevens (daughter of Bishop Tim & Wendi)

Recovering

David Goddard : Josie Lovatt : Richard Fulbrook (Emma's Dad)

Rest in Peace

Pamela Lowe (89) wife of a former Churchwarden

The Rest of the Week

Tues – Friday

08.30 **Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel**

Tuesday

07.15 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Wednesday

17.30 Lent Lecture by Canon Brian Mountford author of *Christian Atheist*

18.15 SJ2 (Junior Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft

18.30 **Compline**

Thursday

10.15 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order I (traditional)
Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp

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

14.30 At Home with Hilary Simpson at 24 Holmfield Road

Friday

11.30 **Memorial Service** for Pam Lowe - **daughter Judy would be pleased to hear if you are expecting to attend the service 0172 872 7465**

18.00 Choir Practice

Saturday

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

12.00 Scouts Rummage Sale in the Large Hall

19.30 Concert by the Cecilian Singers

Sunday Next – Mothering Sunday

08.30 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Reverend David Clark

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

10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Celebrant & Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby
Readings: Exodus 2. 1-10 and Luke 2. 33-35

18.30 **Evensong** and Readings from Alain de Botton's *Religion for Atheists*
in a series on *Engaging Atheists*



A LENT LECTURE is to be given by **Canon Brian Mountford** Vicar of the University Church at Oxford for 25 years, a teacher of theology in the University as a Fellow of St Hilda's College and author of *Christian Atheist*. **This is to be from 5.30 to 6.25 pm on Wednesday, 6 March in the Lady Chapel.**

COMPLINE This lovely night service is sung by various combinations of our church's choirs **on every Wednesday evening in Lent at 6.30 pm.**

THE LENT APPEAL this year is in support of our Link Diocese in Tanzania. A leaflet fully explains the need for our support. ***Special Gift Aid Envelopes for this Appeal are available from the Lent Programme display.***

CHURCH CHAIRS The Parochial Church Council meeting last Tuesday made a clear choice of the 'York' style chair in solid oak with leather seat and backrest – to replace the existing chairs in the Nave and Lady Chapel. We shall now seek the necessary permissions and launch an appeal to meet the cost.

CONGRATULATIONS to Roxanne Summerfield, our Assistant Organist, on becoming an Associate of the Royal College of Organists (ARCO). Roxanne is also musical Director of the Leicester Gilbert & Sullivan Operatic Society – soon to present *Yeoman of the Guard* at the Little Theatre. **A block booking for St James is being arranged for 9 March. Book a ticket through the Church Office 254 2111 (by 11am on 4 March.)**

GOOD COMPANIONS will restart on 13 March. Janet Burton has taken over from Pauline Plummer, whom we thank for her many years as leader. ***Information can be found at the back of church or call the church office on 0116 254 2111.***

REVISION OF THE CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL

Every six years, Church Representation Rules determine that an existing Church Electoral Roll must be scrapped and a new Roll prepared in readiness for the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM). ***Therefore everyone who wishes to be on the Church Electoral Roll must complete a new application form.*** You must be on the Electoral Roll to be elected as a Churchwarden or Sidesman or stand for election to the Parochial Church Council. **Application forms are at the back of the church; place them in the box provided. *Please return your form by Easter Day.***

QUIZ NIGHT Thank you to everybody who came and contributed to making this event a huge success on Shrove Tuesday. **We raised over £450** for the local branch of REMAP, who build customised items for people with disabilities.

MUSICATHON Do you play an instrument, sing, dance? Money raised will support the work of the SEMP. Saturday 6 April at St Mary's Knighton, all styles and levels welcome. ***Information at the back of the church.***