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

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**11 AUGUST 2013**  
**11th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**

*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, you declare your almighty power  
most chiefly in showing mercy and pity:  
mercifully grant to us such a measure of your grace,  
that we, running the way of your commandments,  
may receive your gracious promises,  
and be made partakers of your heavenly treasure;  
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 Jane Sharp

Churchwarden: Sarah Kirby

**10.30**

**Sung Eucharist**

Common Worship, Order 1

**see service sheet and music card**

Celebrant: The Reverend David Clark

Assisted by: Duduzile Chizema and David Kibert

Churchwardens: Caroline Beardsmore and Julia Walker

Sidesmen: Lindy Forbes, Jane Welsh and Darienne Griffith

Servers: Michael Bull, Tanaka Chizema and Takudzwa Chizema

Setting: Mass of St Thomas – Thorne

<b>HYMN 2</b>	<b>New every morning is the love</b>	
READING	Genesis 15. 1-6	<i>read by Caroline Beardsmore</i>
<b>HYMN 372</b>	<b>Have faith in God, my heart</b>	
GOSPEL	Luke 12. 32-40	
SERMON	The Reverend David Clark	
INTERCESSIONS	Vicky Roe	<i>Pastoral Assistant</i>
<b>HYMN 495 (T. 356)</b>	<b>Lord, to you we bring our treasure</b>	
ANTHEM	Never weather-beaten sail	<i>Wood</i>
<b>COMMUNION HYMN 349 (T. 15)</b>	<b>Come, risen Lord</b>	
<b>HYMN 239</b>	<b>Forth in thy name, O Lord, I go</b>	
VOLUNTARY		

*Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service*

**18.30**

## **Choral Evensong**

### ***Anticipation of the Blessed Virgin Mary***

*see service card and music sheet*

Officiant: John Raven

Churchwardens: Graham Jagger and Sarah Kirby

Sidesmen: Rosemary Freer

Servers: Rod Eynon-Baldock, Sara King and Hazel Carlin

<b>HYMN 309</b>	<b>The God whom earth and sea and sky</b>	
<b>CONFESSION</b>	<i>see buff service card</i>	
<b>RESPONSES</b>		
<b>PSALM 108</b>	<i>see green music sheet</i>	
FIRST LESSON	Song of Solomon 2. 1-7	<i>read by Graham Jagger</i>
<b>MAGNIFICAT</b>	sung by the choir	<i>Moore</i>
SECOND LESSON	Acts 1. 6-14	<i>read by Pam Spokes</i>
NUNC DIMITTIS	<i>see green music sheet</i>	
<b>THE CREED</b>	<i>see buff service card, p 3</i>	
<b>RESPONSES</b>		
ANTHEM	Litany to the Holy Spirit	<i>Hurford</i>
PRAYERS	Angela Jagger	
<b>HYMN 311</b>	<b>Virgin-born, we bow before thee</b>	
SERMON	John Raven	
<b>HYMN 360</b>	<b>For Mary, Mother of our Lord</b>	
BLESSING		
DISMISSAL <i>Plainsong</i>	The Lord be with you.	<b>And with thy spirit.</b>
	Let us bless the Lord.	<b>Thanks be to God!</b>
VOLUNTARY		

## **Our Prayers are asked for:**

### **Married yesterday at Failsworth Parish Church**

Matthew Haynes (our Director of Music) to Helen Walsh

### **All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week**

Charles Wicksteed : Jean Mason : Wyn Evans

### **Unwell**

Gillean Russell (ongoing treatment) : Anne Hayter

Elizabeth (Cathleen Wood's sister) : Muriel McDermott : Jane Aldridge

Jane Moore : Rachel Stevens (daughter of Bishop Tim & Wendi)

Pearl Deegan : Tracey Butler : Julie Goswell : Susan Langton

### **Recovering**

Kathleen Edgely (broken arm and facial injury)

*The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by  
Betty Clark in memory of John Clark and Eric & Joan Miller.*

### **From Gill Russell ...**

Thank you so much for all the kind messages, cards, offers of help and, above all your prayers – which have sustained and buoyed me up through a dark patch. A long course of chemo lies ahead, but wonderful care is being given by the medics at the LRI and the next part of my journey is both challenging and, in a strange way, exciting.

## **The Rest of the Week**

### **Tues – Friday**

08.30 **Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel**

### **Tuesday**

07.15 **NO SERVICE**

### **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)

### **Saturday**

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

## **Sunday Next – Trinity 12**

08.30 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp

10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp

Preacher: The Reverend Jane Sharp

Readings: Jeremiah 23. 23-29 and Luke 12. 49-56

18.30 **Evensong** Officiant and Preacher: Angela Jagger

**BETHAL FLATS** in Wigston, run by a Christian housing association, has two units available to rent for Christians over the age of 60. 24 hour call system, part time warden, on bus route and shops nearby. *For information call 0116 292 0276.*

**EXHIBITION** celebrating 25 years of the Church of the Nativity, Aylestone Park as a Methodist and Anglican partnership. On **31 August and 7 September** from 11-3. Displays, stalls, light lunches. **Admission free, everybody welcome.**

**HOBSON'S CHOICE** The Little Theatre has a production featuring our own Mike Bull this September. ***If you would be interested in tickets, please contact the Church Office or Barbara Penrose as we are organising a group booking.***

**A DISPLAY** at the back of the church shows some data about the parish for which our church has responsibility.

How many people live in our parish? How old are they, what are their most pressing social needs? What's their ethnic, faith or education background? What's their health like, areas of employment or lack of it and the resultant deprivation?



***The more we understand our parish, those who live in it and their needs, the more we can serve God in being effective in mission.***

Download our parish report from: <http://www.leicester.anglican.org/shaped-by-God/census data/>

## **AUTUMN CONCERTS**

**Saturday, October 12th 2013 – The Boyan Ensemble of Kiev** – a compelling programme in which the first half illuminates the spiritual drama and splendour of the Eastern Orthodox tradition, while in the second, songs of joy, humour and nostalgia evoke the rich folk culture of Ukraine. Distinguished soloists feature throughout and there will be a special tribute to the Verdi Bicentenary. Intense harmony, astonishingly low notes, utterly glorious singing by this top Ukrainian professional male choir.

**Thursday, October 24th 2013 – Ex Cathedra & Classical Ensemble** – Mozart Nocturnes and Vespers. This concert includes some of Mozart's most famous church music. Nearly fifty top musicians will be on stage. Conducted by Jeffrey Skidmore, Ex Cathedra are one of the UK's top choirs and we welcome them on their fourth visit to St James. An application form for this concert is attached. Highly recommended.

Tickets are now on sale from the church office or via our website. ***For more information, leaflets are at the back of the church.***