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

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Ist SEPTEMBER 2013 14th 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

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; 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 Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar Churchwarden: Sarah Kirby

I 0.30 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: April Burton and William Simpey Churchwardens: Michael Molloy and Julia Walker Sidesmen: Pat Ireson, David Pugh and Graham & Claire Prowse Servers: David Nisbet, Tanaka Chizema and Takudzwa Chizema Setting: Mass of the Quiet Hour – Oldroyd (Gloria: Jones) HYMN 106 (T. 332) Lord of beauty, thine the splendour Ecclesiasticus 10. 12-18 READING read by Julia Walker HYMN 348 (2nd tune) Come, Lord, to our souls come down GOSPEL Luke 14. 1, 7-14 SERMON The Vicar **INTERCESSIONS** The Vicar **HYMN 336** All my hope on God is founded Bread of Heaven ANTHEM Wills COMMUNION HYMN 259 My God, and is thy table spread Praise the Lord, rise up rejoicing **HYMN 416** 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: Keith Vaughan and Graham Jagger Sidesmen: Barbara Penrose and Colin & Angela Stray Servers: Ian Stapleton, Emma-Jane Finn and Hilary Rees

HYMN 203 CONFESSION RESPONSES	O praise ye the Lord see buff service card	
PSALM 9 v 81-96	see green music sheet	
FIRST LESSON	Isaiah 33. 13-22	read by Keith Vaughan
MAGNIFICAT	sung by the choir	Brewer in D
SECOND LESSON	John 3. 22-30	read by April Burton
NUNC DIMITTIS	see green music sheet	
THE CREED	see buff service card, p 3	
RESPONSES		
ANTHEM	Like as the hart	Howells
PRAYERS	The Vicar	
HYMN 109	When all thy mercies, O my God	
SERMON	The Vicar	
HYMN 316	Lo, from the desert homes	
BLESSING		
DISMISSAL Plainsong	The Lord be with you. Let us bless the Lord.	And with thy spirit. Thanks be to God!
VOLUNTARY		

Our Prayers are asked for:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Vivian Edwards : Mavis Jones : George Daley : Jean Wigglesworth Unwell

Dick Redford (LRI ward 23) : Gillean Russell (ongoing treatment) Elizabeth (Cathleen Wood's sister)

Anne Hayter : Muriel McDermott : Theo Saunders

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

Jane Aldridge : Pearl Deegan : Tracey Butler : Julie Goswell : Susan Langton

The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by David Goddard in memory of Niccola and the altar frontal was donated by Jean Bilney in memory of Kenneth.

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 followed by breakfast in the Vicarage

Wednesday

- 14.15 Holy Communion in the Large Hall with Good Companions
- 18.15 SJ2 (Junior Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft

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
- 17.00 41st Leicester Scouts (boys and girls) meet in the Undercroft
- 19.30 St James Singers Choir Practice

Friday

18.00 Choir Practice

18.30 Evensong

Saturday

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

Sunday Next – Trinity 15

- 08.30 Holy Communion Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby
- 10.30 Sunday Club meets in the Large Hall, starting off in Church
- 10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby Preacher: Anthony Green

Readings: Deuteronomy 30. 15-end & Luke 14.25-33

Officiant: Canon Glynn Richerby

Preacher: Adrian Whalley

Hon Secretary of the Calcutta Cathedral Relief Fund

A FRENCH EVENING will take place **on 24 September** and you are assured of a delicious supper of French-themed food and wine against a background of French music. There will be a table quiz relating to France, and showing of the classic film of *M. Hulot's Holiday*. *Mark the date in your diary!*

PARKING AND BUILDING WORKS From Monday, 9 September until further notice there will be limited parking next to the Church Hall **reserved for blue badge and permit holders only on Sundays.** The Vicarage forecourt is also reserved for disabled drivers or drivers of disabled passengers. Other drivers are encouraged to use the car park behind 218 London Road (next door to the Vicarage). Further information on the repair project to the church towers will be found at the back of the church shortly.

CATHEDRAL FLOWER FESTIVAL – 13 -16 September – a celebration of faithfulness. Further details are on leaflets at the back of the church.

ST JAMES OPEN DAY AND RIDE AND STRIDE

This year we are part of the National Heritage Open Day scheme on Saturday 14 September. There are another 20 interesting buildings in the city open over the weekend. The church is open from 10 – 5; there are to be a couple of short tours and Mike Rule is giving an organ recital at 1pm so we're looking forward to welcoming lots of visitors to our lovely church! We would like some volunteers for meeting and greeting and refreshments - lists are at the back of the church. Put it in your diary and tell all your friends! If you would like to take part in Ride and Stride, contact the office for a sponsorship form.

RICHARD III Very distant family members of Richard III are trying to change the reburial to York. Please sign the e-petition to have his remains interred in Leicester Cathedral. http://epetitions.direct.gov.uk/petitions/39708

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 rick folk culture of Ukraine. Distinguished soloists feature throughout and there will be a special tribute to the Verdi Bicentenary. *Nave tickets now selling fast, please reserve yours now to ensure the best seats.*

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.

Tickets for these and our other autumn concerts are now on sale from the church office, in person / by phone or via our website.