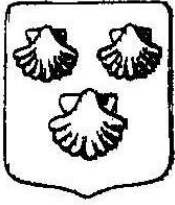
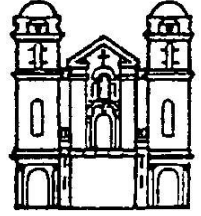


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This week at the Church of
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ALL SAINTS AND ALL SOULS' SUNDAY

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 Almighty God, who hast knit together thine elect
in one communion and fellowship,
in the mystical body of thy Son Christ our Lord:
grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints
in all virtuous and godly living,
that we may come to those unspeakable joys,
which thou hast prepared for them that unfeignedly love thee;
through Jesus Christ Son our Lord.

08.30

Holy Communion

Book of Common Prayer
Celebrant: The Very Reverend Dr Derek Hole
Churchwarden: Julia Walker

10.30

Children's Sunday Club

Starting off together in Church

10.30

All Souls' Requiem

Music by Gabriel Fauré
see order of service

Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
Assisted by: Lucy Hutchinson and Philip Jones
Churchwardens: Michael Bull and Michael Molloy
Sidesmen: Pat Ireson, David Pugh and Graham & Claire Prowse
Servers: David Roberts, Angela Finn and John Finn

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

THE REQUIEM held here this morning is intended to meet the needs of all who have been bereaved – especially in the last twelve months. It also helps all of us who have been distressed by news reports of those who have died and been bereaved through violence or natural disasters.



The beginning of an understanding of the mystery of our precarious existence in this fleeting world lies hidden in the liturgy of the Mass for the Dead as well as in the musical setting of Gabriel Fauré. The great entreaty to God at the heart of the Requiem is not a demand for an easy explanation, but an eloquent and heartfelt plea for mercy and peace. And that ought to tell us where, in the midst of great grief and sorrow, the real human need arises.

*Requiem æternam dona eis
(Grant them eternal rest, O Lord)*

18.30 Choral Evensong for All Saints

see service card and music sheet

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Churchwardens: Sarah Kirby and Julia Walker

Sidesmen: Angela and Colin Stray

Servers: Michael Bull and April Burton

HYMN 508 (t. 101)

Rejoice in God's saints

CONFESSION

see buff service card

RESPONSES

PSALM 84

see green music sheet

FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 65. 17-end

read by Tony Bentley

MAGNIFICAT

Sung by the choir

Hylton Stewart

SECOND LESSON

Hebrews 11. 32 - 12. 2

read by Margaret Terry

NUNC DIMITTIS

see green music sheet

THE CREED

see buff service card, p 3

RESPONSES

ANTHEM

In thee is gladness

Ley

PRAYERS

Angela Jagger

Reader

HYMN 363

Glory to thee, O God

SERMON

The Vicar

HYMN 305

For all the saints

BLESSING

DISMISSAL *Plainsong* The Lord be with you.

Let us bless the Lord.

**And with thy spirit.
Thanks be to God!**

Our Prayers are asked for:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Charles Wicksteed : Jean Mason : Wyn Evans

Unwell

Gillean Russell : Theo Saunders : Pearl Deegan : Eddie Rutter

Elizabeth (Cathleen Wood's sister)

Jane Moore : Rachel Stevens : Tracey Butler : Susan Langton

Anne Hayter : David Hall (Kay Mumford's son-in-law)

Rest in peace

Muriel McDermott (90) Funeral Tuesday 12 November at St James the Greater

Lois Oliver, Lin Mawer's mother

*The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by
Iain and Sue Davidson in memory of Tom and Cathie Davidson.*

The Rest of the Week

Wed – Friday

08.30 **Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel**

Tuesday

08.15 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar
followed by coffee & chat at the Vicarage

Wednesday

14.15 Good Companions in the Large Hall

18.15 SJ2 (Junior Youth Club) meets in the Undercroft

Thursday

10.15 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order I (traditional)
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby

10.45 Coffee Drop-in in the Hall (access from the Church via the lift)
At Home with Hilary Simpson will take place next week instead.

17.00 41st Leicester Scouts (boys and girls) meet in the Undercroft

Friday

18.00 Choir Practice

Saturday

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

Sunday Next – Remembrance Sunday

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

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

10.45 Service of Remembrance Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby

18.30 **Evensong** Preacher: Canon Glynn Richerby

ELECTION OF CHURCHWARDEN an Extraordinary Parochial Meeting is to be held on **Sunday, 24 November at 11.45** (immediately after the mid-morning service) **for the sole purpose of electing a Churchwarden.** This is consequent upon the resignation of Graham Jagger through ill health.

PARKING AND BUILDING WORKS Until further notice, the Church Hall car park is **reserved for blue badge and permit holders only on Sundays.** The Vicarage forecourt is also reserved for disabled drivers/disabled passengers. Please use the car park behind 218 London Road (next to the Vicarage). **Information on the repair project to the towers can be found at the back of the church.**

HONEY SALES Caroline Beardsmore's bees have had another productive year. Please speak to Caroline or contact the office to buy some. £4 per jar, £2 of which will go to the Flower Guild (until 10th November.)

CHURCH BAZAAR The Annual Bazaar will take place on Saturday 16 November. Contributions of bric-a-brac, cakes, books, etc. are very welcome. Donations can be brought to the Church Office w/c 11 November during office hours, or the Hall on Friday 15 November between 11am and 6.30pm. Items for the tombola should be brought to church/office no later than 10 November.

CHOIR RECRUITMENT A number of places for choristers are currently available, particularly for boys and also older girls. If you know of a young person who might be interested, please encourage them to come along at 6pm on a Friday to find out what it's all about. **More information is available from the church office on 0116 254 2111 or office@stjamesthegreater.org.uk**

CHARITY COMMITTEE always welcomes new members. If you enjoy practical involvement with organising a variety of events please contact Caroline Beardsmore on 259 6341 or speak to any member of the committee.

CANON HENRY EVANS is disposing of some of his theological books which you will find on a table at the west end of the church. If any appeal to you, please take them . . . you may like to put a donation in the wall safe !!

CATHEDRAL EVENSONG Former choir member Stephen Moore is bringing his choir from St Matthew's, Northampton to sing Evensong at Leicester Cathedral at 5.30pm next Saturday, 9 November. Music includes Sanders, Sumsion and Bainton's excellent anthem *And I saw a new heaven.*