

# This week at the Church of St James the Greater

Leicester

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## 5 NOVEMBER 2017 ALL SAINTS AND ALL SOULS

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 a gluten-free wafer or receive Communion in your seat.

## Prayer for the Week

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your 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 inexpressible joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; 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 Very Reverend Dr Derek Hole
Assisted by: Phil Jones
Churchwarden: Keith Vaughan

# 10.30 Children's Sunday Club

Starting off together in Church

## 10.30 Requiem for All Souls

see order of service

Celebrant: The Reverend Diane Johnson
Assisted by: Angela Jagger and David Kibert
Churchwardens: Keith Vaughan and Simon Edwards
Sidesmen: Graham Prowse, Claire Prowse and David Pugh
Servers: William Woolley, Cynthia McLauchlan and David Roberts

Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

## **Choral Evensong**

#### see service card and music sheet

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Dr Stephen Foster Churchwardens: Phil Jones and April Rule Sidesmen: Lin Mawer and Colin & Angela Stray Servers: Peter Ireson, Valerie Bailey and Michael Bull

HYMN 508 (T.149) Rejoice in God's saints, today and all days

**CONFESSION** see buff service card

RESPONSES Sung by the Choir Rose

**PSALM 34** vs 1-10 see green music sheet

FIRST LESSON Isaiah 65. 17-end read by Dee Brunning

MAGNIFICAT see green music sheet

SECOND LESSON Hebrews 11. 32 12. 2 read by David Brunning

NUNC DIMITTIS Sung by the Choir Byrd

Please remain seated but stand for the Gloria.

THE CREED see buff service card, p 3

**RESPONSES** 

ANTHEM Set me as a seal Walton

PRAYERS Tony Bentley

HYMN 363 Glory to thee, O God

SERMON The Reverend Canon Dr Stephen Foster

**HYMN 305** For all the saints

**BLESSING** 

DISMISSAL *Plainsong* The Lord be with you. **And with thy spirit**.

Let us bless the Lord. Thanks be to God!

ORGAN VOLUNTARY - please be aware of those remaining to listen



## Our Prayers are asked for:

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

Tom Skinner : Conceicáo Fernandes : John Goadby : Derek & Gwen Leather **Unwell** 

Ann Blanchard (Jane's sister) chemotherapy Augustino Ramadhani (Francis's Uncle) chemotherapy Pat Ireson – now at Welford Court

### Recovering

Nina French - broken hip: Molly Drake

#### **Rest in Peace**

Audrey Wheeler (85) Funeral at St James on 7 November at 2pm Angela Hefford – Funeral at St James on 9 November at 11.30am

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

#### The Rest of the Week

#### **Thursday**

10.15 Holy Communion Common Worship, Order I (traditional)

Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp

Assisted by: Lin Mawer

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

11.30 Funeral of Angela Hefford

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 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Before Advent Remembrance Sunday**

08.30 Holy Communion Celebrant: Reverend David Clark

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

**10.45 Remembrance** Officiant: Very Rev'd Dr Derek Hole

18.30 BCP Eucharist Celebrant: Canon Philip Norwood

Preacher: Canon Philip Norwood

Readings: Ephesians 6. 10-17 & Matthew 5. 1-11

**STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPES** for 2018 are now available for collection at the back of the Church.

**LEICESTER THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY** Next meeting is on Friday November 10 from 7.30pm at St Clements Hall, Holy Cross, Wellington St Dr Fran Porter, Research Fellow at The Queen's Foundation for Ecumenical Theological Education. The title is *Women and Men after Christendom*.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH The annual St James Old Horse lunch will take place on Thursday 21 December. *Information at the back of the Church* 

THE EDGE PROJECT a youthwork project funded by our church, are looking for old tea cups and candles (any old bits) to make candles to sell at the Knighton Parish bazaar. Please drop off at Church Office or give to John Raven.

THE PROVOST DEREK HOLE LECTURE The speaker this year will be the Reverend Canon Dr Giles Fraser, Priest-in-Charge of St Mary, Newington, in South London. He is a columnist for the Guardian and a panellist on Radio 4's THE MORAL MAZE. The title of his Lecture will be: Theology and Refugees: some thoughts and reflections. *Monday 20 November 2017 at 6 pm in the Ken Edwards Building lecture theatre 1 at the University of Leicester.* Free, no ticket required.

IN JESUS NAME An evening with the Archbishop of Canterbury. 14 November at Leicester Arena LEI 3UD from 7.30pm. Free. *Tickets available from https://www.leicester.anglican.org or call the Church Office for help.* 

GIVING TO ST JAMES THE GREATER YOUR GIFT is a vital contribution to the costs of ministry and maintenance of this fabulous place of worship. Please be as generous as your means allow. If you are a UK tax payer please use Gift Aid envelopes available in front of each seat. Gift Aid increases the value of your gift by 25%. Further information on Giving to St James and the Parish Giving Scheme is available at the back of the Church. Please ask a Church Warden or call the Church Office for further information.

#### **CONCERTS AT ST JAMES**

Ex Cathedra is returning with their popular Christmas by Candlelight on

Thursday 7 December 2017 at 7.30pm In the deep, still darkness, only candles pierce the winter gloom. And then, upon the silence, comes the luminous sound of a choir in harmony. With a sequence of Christmas music old and new, and readings to make you smile and reflect, our popular Christmas concerts are a uniquely magical way to begin your festive season.



Tickets can be purchased from www.stjamesthegreater.org.uk or by calling 0116 254 2111 during weekday mornings.