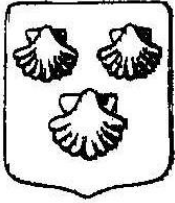
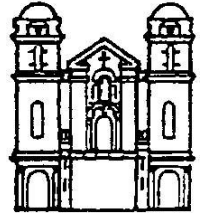


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**20<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2022**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY BEFORE LENT**

**Prayer for the Week**

Almighty God,  
you have created the heavens and the earth  
and made us in your own image:  
teach us to discern your hand in all your works  
and your likeness in all your children;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things,  
now and for ever.

**Our Prayers are asked for:**

**All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering**

Conceição Fernandes : Gwen Leather :  
Marilyn Dorum : Margaret Norman  
and all those currently unable to attend services.

**Those who are unwell and who are recovering**

Mark Sadler : Ann Blanchard :  
Anthony Green : Owen Shepherd :  
Josephine Chizema : Kath Higginson

**Rest in Peace**

Olive Quigley

This week's Commemorative flowers are in memory of Millie Mason.

## **08.30 Welcome to St James the Greater Holy Communion**

Common Worship Order One (Traditional)  
Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar  
Churchwarden: Paul Jenkins

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If you are joining us in church for the 10:30 or 18:30 services, you will find a hymn book in the back of the chairs. A Service booklet, the weekly leaflet, seat spacing notices and a Track and Trace form will be made available for you. **Completion of this form is voluntary, as is wearing masks.**

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## **10.30 Sung Eucharist**

*See order of service*

Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar  
Churchwardens: April Rule and Janet Burton  
Servers: Michael Bull and Angela Finn  
Setting: Tallis Dorian. Gloria – Lecot.

### **OPENING HYMN 7**

READING Genesis 2. 4b-9, 15-24

**This is the day the Lord hath made**

*read by Andy Judge*

4 These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

In the day that the LORD God made the earth and the heavens, <sup>5</sup>when no plant of the field was yet in the earth and no herb of the field had yet sprung up—for the LORD God had not caused it to rain upon the earth, and there was no one to till the ground; <sup>6</sup>but a stream would rise from the earth, and water the whole face of the ground— <sup>7</sup>then the LORD God formed man from the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and the man became a living being. <sup>8</sup>And the LORD God planted a garden in Eden, in the east; and there he put the man whom he had formed. <sup>9</sup>Out of the ground the LORD God made to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight and good for food, the tree of life also in the midst of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil.

15 The LORD God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to till it and keep it. <sup>16</sup>And the LORD God commanded the man, 'You may freely eat of every tree of the garden; <sup>17</sup>but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall die.'

18 Then the LORD God said, 'It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper as his partner.' <sup>19</sup>So out of the ground the LORD God formed every animal of the field and every bird of the air, and brought them to the man to see what he would call them; and whatever the man called each living creature, that was its name. <sup>20</sup>The man gave names to all cattle, and to the birds of the air, and to every animal of the field; but for the man there was not found a helper as his partner. <sup>21</sup>So the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and he slept; then he took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. <sup>22</sup>And the rib that the LORD God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man. <sup>23</sup>Then the man said, 'This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; this one shall be called Woman, for out of Man this one was taken.'  
<sup>24</sup>Therefore a man leaves his father and his mother and clings to his wife, and they become one flesh.

## **GRADUAL HYMN 387**

**Rise and hear! The Lord is speaking**

GOSPEL Luke 8. 22-25

One day he got into a boat with his disciples, and he said to them, 'Let us go across to the other side of the lake.' So they put out, <sup>23</sup>and while they were sailing he fell asleep. A gale swept down on the lake, and the boat was filling with water, and they were in danger. <sup>24</sup>They went to him and woke him up, shouting, 'Master, Master, we are perishing!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and the raging waves; they ceased, and there was a calm. <sup>25</sup>He said to them, 'Where is your faith?' They were afraid and amazed, and said to one another, 'Who then is this, that he commands even the winds and the water, and they obey him?'

SERMON

The Reverend Andrew Quigley

INTERCESSIONS

The Reverend Andrew Quigley

**OFFERTORY HYMN 621**

**Dear Lord and Father of mankind**

ANTHEM

Dear Lord and Father of Mankind *Parry*

**POST COMMUNION HYMN 799 (i)**

**The Lord's my Shepherd**

**Post Communion Prayer**

God our creator,

by your gift

the tree of life was set at the heart of the earthly paradise,

and the bread of life at the heart of your Church:

may we who have been nourished at your table on earth

be transformed by the glory of the Saviour's cross

and enjoy the delights of eternity;

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## RECESSIONAL HYMN 676

Immortal, invisible, God only wise

ORGAN VOLUNTARY – J.S.Bach (1685-1750): Piece d'orgue

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## The Vicar Writes ...

Some Christians seem to think that their faith means life will always be plain sailing. Others think the storms are just something to put up with. Although the disciples had Jesus with them in the boat, they still faced a storm, so most likely, so will we. The question is whether we face it with fear, or faith.



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**18.30**

## Choral Evensong

*See yellow order of service*

Officiant: Sheila Roberts

Churchwardens: April Rule and David Kibert

Servers: Hazel Carlin and Hilary Rees

**HYMN 698 (i)**

**CONFESSION**

RESPONSES

**PSALM 147. 12-20**

FIRST LESSON Genesis 1.1 – 2.3

**King of glory, King of peace**

*see yellow service card*

*sung by the choir Ayleward*

**see music sheet**

*read by John Thompson*

In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth.

<sup>2</sup>And the earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters.

<sup>3</sup>And God said, Let there be light: and there was light.

<sup>4</sup>And God saw the light, that it was good: and God divided the light from the darkness.

<sup>5</sup>And God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And the evening and the morning were the first day.

<sup>6</sup>And God said, Let there be a firmament in the midst of the waters, and let it divide the waters from the waters.

<sup>7</sup>And God made the firmament, and divided the waters which were under the

firmament from the waters which were above the firmament: and it was so.

<sup>8</sup>And God called the firmament Heaven. And the evening and the morning were the second day.

<sup>9</sup>And God said, Let the waters under the heaven be gathered together unto one place, and let the dry land appear: and it was so.

<sup>10</sup>And God called the dry land Earth; and the gathering together of the waters called he Seas: and God saw that it was good.

<sup>11</sup>And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so.

<sup>12</sup>And the earth brought forth grass, and herb yielding seed after his kind, and the tree yielding fruit, whose seed was in itself, after his kind: and God saw that it was good.

<sup>13</sup>And the evening and the morning were the third day.

<sup>14</sup>And God said, Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and years:

<sup>15</sup>And let them be for lights in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth: and it was so.

<sup>16</sup>And God made two great lights; the greater light to rule the day, and the lesser light to rule the night: he made the stars also.

<sup>17</sup>And God set them in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth,

<sup>18</sup>And to rule over the day and over the night, and to divide the light from the darkness: and God saw that it was good.

<sup>19</sup>And the evening and the morning were the fourth day.

<sup>20</sup>And God said, Let the waters bring forth abundantly the moving creature that hath life, and fowl that may fly above the earth in the open firmament of heaven.

<sup>21</sup>And God created great whales, and every living creature that moveth, which the waters brought forth abundantly, after their kind, and every winged fowl after his kind: and God saw that it was good.

<sup>22</sup>And God blessed them, saying, Be fruitful, and multiply, and fill the waters in the seas, and let fowl multiply in the earth.

<sup>23</sup>And the evening and the morning were the fifth day.

<sup>24</sup>And God said, Let the earth bring forth the living creature after his kind, cattle, and creeping thing, and beast of the earth after his kind: and it was so.

<sup>25</sup>And God made the beast of the earth after his kind, and cattle after their kind, and every thing that creepeth upon the earth after his kind: and God saw that it was good.

<sup>26</sup>And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth.

<sup>27</sup> So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them.

<sup>28</sup> And God blessed them, and God said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.

<sup>29</sup> And God said, Behold, I have given you every herb bearing seed, which is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree, in the which is the fruit of a tree yielding seed; to you it shall be for meat.

<sup>30</sup> And to every beast of the earth, and to every fowl of the air, and to every thing that creepeth upon the earth, wherein there is life, I have given every green herb for meat: and it was so.

<sup>31</sup> And God saw every thing that he had made, and, behold, it was very good. And the evening and the morning were the sixth day.

2 Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all the host of them.

<sup>2</sup> And on the seventh day God ended his work which he had made; and he rested on the seventh day from all his work which he had made.

<sup>3</sup> And God blessed the seventh day, and sanctified it: because that in it he had rested from all his work which God created and made.

MAGNIFICAT

sung by the choir *Sumsion*

***Please remain seated but stand for the Gloria.***

SECOND LESSON Matthew 6. 25 - 34

*read by Julia Warner*

‘Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? <sup>26</sup> Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? <sup>27</sup> And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? <sup>28</sup> And why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin, <sup>29</sup> yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like one of these. <sup>30</sup> But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is alive today and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith? <sup>31</sup> Therefore do not worry, saying, “What will we eat?” or “What will we drink?” or “What will we wear?” <sup>32</sup> For it is the Gentiles who strive for all these things; and indeed your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. <sup>33</sup> But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

<sup>34</sup> ‘So do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will bring worries of its own. Today’s trouble is enough for today.

**NUNC DIMITTIS**

**THE CREED**

RESPONSES

ANTHEM

PRAYERS

**HYMN 653**

SERMON

**HYMN 538**

DISMISSAL *Plainsong*

see music sheet

see *yellow service card, p 3*

*Ferial*

Holy is the true light *Harris*

Sheila Roberts

**Happy are they, they that love God**

Sheila Roberts

**Gracious God, in adoration**

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

Let us bless the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

ORGAN VOLUNTARY – J. Brahms (1833-1897): O Welt, Ich Muss Dich Lassen

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## The Week Ahead

### Tuesday - Friday

09.00 Morning Prayer in church

### Tuesday

19.30 House Group online. E-mail [A.F.Jagger@dunelm.org.uk](mailto:A.F.Jagger@dunelm.org.uk) for the link.

### Wednesday

21.00 **Compline** via Zoom. To join, please use the link or codes below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84823046852?pwd=TzEraXY3d0tXK3Jvbi9lbmIpT3Qrdz09>

Meeting ID: 848 2304 6852

Passcode: X3j5ed

### Thursday

10.30 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order I (traditional)

Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar

11.00 Coffee Drop-In at the back of the Church

19.30 PCC Meeting in the Ashman Room.

### Friday

18.00 Choir Practice

19.00 Bible Study via Zoom. To join, please use the link or codes below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83054314360?pwd=RU4yUzhVSnpSajZHanBZYU93K3pOdz09>

Meeting ID: 830 5431 4360

Passcode: 922881

### Saturday

10.00 Away Day at Home in Church and Hall. Bring packed lunch.

## Sunday Next – Next before Lent

08.30 **Holy Communion**

Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp

10.30 **Sung Eucharist**

Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley

Readings: Exodus 34. 29-35 and Luke 9. 28-36

18.30 **Choral Evensong**

Officiant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley

## FORTHCOMING CONCERT

**The University of Leicester Chamber Ensemble Plays the Trout Quintet by Schubert.** Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> February at 3-45pm. Come and enjoy Tea and Cakes and Schubert's sublime music. **Volunteers to serve tea and provide cakes would be much appreciated.** Please contact Church office. Tickets £5 on the door with all proceeds to St. James the Greater Church funds.

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**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER** is celebrated in over 120 countries. This year the service has been prepared by the women of England, Wales and Northern Ireland on the theme, "I know the plans I have for you." Services will be held on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March at 2 pm in St. John the Baptist Church, Clarendon Park Road, and at 7.30 pm in the Friends Meeting House on Queens Road. All are welcome to attend. If you want to take a reading part, please tell Vicky Roe via the church office on 0116 2542111 or E-mail: [office@stjamesthegreater.org.uk](mailto:office@stjamesthegreater.org.uk)

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**AWAY DAY** On Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> February, we have a chance to catch-up with others, think about the future and make ready for Lent. The day will run from 10 am - 3 pm, starting with Holy Communion, then sessions either side of lunch. We'll make hot drinks and biscuits available, but ask you to bring your own packed lunch. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of church or you can let the office know your intention to come by leaving a message on 0116 2542111 or by E-mailing: [office@stjamesthegreater.org.uk](mailto:office@stjamesthegreater.org.uk)

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## Resources for Home Worship

### Broadcast Media

Daily Service	Monday – Friday at 9.45am	Radio 4 LW
Choral Evensong	Wednesday at 4 pm and Sunday at 3 pm	Radio 3
Sunday Worship	Sunday at 8.10am	Radio 4
Songs of Praise	Sunday at 1.15 pm	BBC 2

There is also a service on Radio Leicester at 8:00am on a Sunday morning

Online at [www.churchofengland.org](http://www.churchofengland.org) and [www.leicestercathedral.org](http://www.leicestercathedral.org)

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