



Welcome to
The Church of St James the Greater
Leicester



Easter Carol Service **15th May 2022**

*If you wear a hearing aid please switch to 'T' to benefit from the inductive loop
Please remain sitting as the procession enters.*

Choir **INTROIT** Now the green blade riseth arr. Saunders

WELCOME by The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar

Stand **HYMN 221** **Ye choirs of new Jerusalem**

Lessons and Carols

Sit 1st **LESSON** Luke 24.1 - 12 The Resurrection
read by Julia Warner

Choir Alleluia ... *All* **Alleluia ...**

Choir **CAROL** O Sons and Daughters Walford Davies

2nd **LESSON** I Corinthians 15.35 - 44 The resurrection body
read by Mike Bull

Choir Alleluia ... *All* **Alleluia ...**

Stand **HYMN 200** **Christ the Lord is risen again**

Sit 3rd **LESSON** Luke 24.13 - 27 The walk to Emmaus
read by Vicky Roe

Choir Alleluia ... *All* **Alleluia ...**

Choir **CAROL** Jesus Christ is risen Traditional

Sit 4th **LESSON** Luke 24.28 - 47 Jesus appears to the disciples
read by Simon Edwards

Choir Alleluia ... *All* **Alleluia ...**

Stand **HYMN 199** **Christ is alive! Let Christians sing**

All turn to the Gospel reader

5th LESSON Mark 16.14 - 15 The great commission

Choir CAROL The strife is o'er Ley

Stand **HYMN 197** **Alleluia, alleluia, give thanks ...**

All turn to the font

The Renewal of Baptismal Vows

The Priest introduces the rite, and then asks these questions:

Do you turn to Christ?

All **I turn to Christ.**

Do you repent of your sins?

All **I repent of my sins.**

Do you renounce evil?

All **I renounce evil.**

Do you believe and trust in God the Father,
who made the world?

All **I believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in his Son Jesus Christ,
who took our human nature, died for us and rose again?

All **I believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in his Holy Spirit,
who gives life to the people of God?

All **I believe and trust in him.**

This is the faith of the Church.

All **This is our faith.**

**We believe and trust in one God,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**

THE PEACE

The risen Christ came and stood among his disciples and said,
'Peace be with you.' Then were they glad when they saw the Lord.

Alleluia The peace of the Lord be always with you

All **And also with you.**

THE SPRINKLING OF THE WATERS OF BAPTISM

THE EASTER ANTHEMS

All 1 Christ our passover is / sacri · ficed / for us :
therefore / let us / keep the / feast;

Low voices 2 Not with the old leaven,*
nor with the leaven of / malice · and / wickedness :
All but with the unleavened bread of sin / ceri / ty and / truth.

High voices 3 Christ being raised from the dead / dieth no / more :
All death hath / no more do / minion / over him.

All p 4 For in that he died,* he died unto / sin / once :
f but in that he liveth,* he / liveth / unto / God.

All p 5 Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be dead indeed /
unto / sin,
f but alive unto God through / Jesus / Christ our / Lord.

Low voices 6 Christ is / risen from · the / dead :
All and become the / first fruits · of / them that / slept.

High voices 7 For since by / man came / death :
All by man came also the resur / rection / of the / dead.

Unison & 8 For as in Adam / all / die :
Descant even so in Christ shall / all be / made a / live.

Unison & Glory be to the Father,* and / to the / Son :
Descant and / to the / Holy / Ghost;
as it was in the beginning,* is now and / ever / shall be :
world without / end.* / A / men.

Kneel LITANY OF PRAYER

or sit Each bidding ends with ... Let us pray to the Father

All **in Christ our Lord.**

Rejoicing in God's new creation, in faith and trust we pray:
All **Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come; thy will be done;
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation;
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Choir ANTHEM Sing choirs of heaven Shephard

Stand ACCLAMATION

I am Alpha and Omega ...
... Alleluia! Christ is risen.

All **He is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

HYMN 218 Thine be the glory ...

BLESSING

... Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia! Alleluia!

All **Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

ORGAN VOLUNTARY – Variations on Noël nouvelet Philip Moore

Please be aware of those remaining to listen.

**Collection baskets for donations are on the back tables.
Please be as generous as your means allow.**

Anyone who may be interested in joining one of the choirs
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