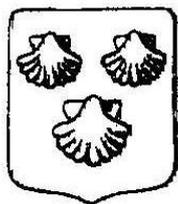


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This week at the Church of
St James the Greater
Leicester

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18 MARCH 2018 – PASSION 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 a gluten-free wafer
or receive Communion in your seat.*

Prayer for the Week

Most merciful God,
who by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ
delivered and saved the world:
grant that by faith in him who suffered on the cross
we may triumph in the power of his victory;
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

Common Worship, Order 1 (Traditional)
Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley
Assisted by: Phil Jones
Churchwarden: Julia Walker

10.30

Children's Sunday Club

Starting off together in Church

10.30

Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order 1
see service sheet and music card
Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar
Assisted by: John Raven and David Kibert
Churchwardens: Phil Jones and April Rule
Sidesmen: Cherry Fulloway, Jan Vaughan and Jean Warren
Servers: William Woolley, Della Evans and Michael Bull
Setting: Gibbons Short Service

HYMN 138 **We sing the praise of him who died**
 READING Jeremiah 31. 31-34
PSALM 51 Vs 1-13
 GOSPEL John 12. 20-33
 SERMON John Raven
 INTERCESSIONS John Raven
HYMN 63 (omit v 4) **My song is love unknown**
 ANTHEM God so loved the world *Stainer*
COMMUNION HYMN 66 **Glory be to Jesus**
HYMN 72 (omit vs 3-7) **Lift high the Cross**
 ORGAN VOLUNTARY – *please be aware of those remaining to listen*
Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service

18.30

Choral Evensong

see order of service

Officiant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar

Churchwardens: Julia Walker and April Rule

Sidesmen: Chris and Jan Geere

Servers: Rod Eynon-Baldock, Sara King and Keith Vaughan

Hymns from New Hymns and Worship Songs

HYMN 1 **A man there lived in Galilee**
CONFESSION *see buff service card*
 RESPONSES Sung by the Choir *Reading*
PSALM 122 *see green music sheet*
 FIRST LESSON Exodus 7. 9-24
MAGNIFICAT *see green music sheet*
 SECOND LESSON Romans 5. 12-end
 NUNC DIMITTIS Sung by the Choir *Watson in E*
 Please remain seated but stand for the Gloria.
THE CREED *see buff service card, p 3*
RESPONSES
 ANTHEM Blessed Jesu, fount of mercy *Dvorak*
 PRAYERS The Vicar
HYMN 66 **From heav'n you came, helpless babe**
 SERMON The Reverend Canon Karen Rooms
 As part of a Lent course on Renewal
HYMN 33 **Brother, sister, let me serve you**
 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*

CONCERT TODAY

*KoolGigs Family Concert – All Squeezed in: **The Accordion with Ben Da Souza***
2.30pm. Tickets £6/4 on the door.

Our Prayers are asked for:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

Pat Ireson : Tom Skinner : Conceição Fernandes : John Goadby
Unwell

Ann Blanchard (Jane Sharp's sister) surgery : David Palmer

Rest in Peace

Jill Valentine

The Rest of the Week

Monday – Thursday

09.00 **Morning Prayer** in the Lady Chapel

Thursday

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

Celebrant: The Reverend Jane Sharp

Assisted by: Janet Burton

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

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 – Palm Sunday

08.30 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Reverend David Clark

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

10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Celebrant: Reverend Andrew Quigley

18.30 **The Crucifixion** A meditation on the Sacred Passion of the
Holy Redeemer *Music by John Stainer*

EASTER FLOWERS The Flower Guild invites you to donate towards decorating our Church for Easter. Special 'Easter Flower' envelopes are available to **place on the collection plate** at all Services. Please Gift Aid where possible. And a thank you to the Flower Guild for the beautiful daffodils on Mothers Day.

LUNCH AT ST JAMES Our next lunch will be on Thursday 22 March at 12.15. The cost will be £3. Please sign up at the back of the Church indicating if you are vegetarian or have any special dietary requirements. Everyone welcome.

HOLY WEEK LEAFLET Please take a leaflet at the back of the Church detailing the services and other activities for Holy Week. This information can also be found on our website. **Please note there will not be a service at St James the Greater at 10.15 am on Maundy Thursday - we are invited to the Cathedral instead.**

THE BOOK OF REVELATION Reflections with music of Messiaen compiled by Paul Jenkins, Rabbi Julian Scott & David Clark. Wednesday 21st March at 7.30pm at 46 St James Rd. ***Please call 255 8988 to book a space as they are limited.***

LENTEN INSPIRATION As we move through the weeks of Lent we offer encouragement by providing the opportunity to borrow a book from our bookstall situated in the South Aisle.

THE QUARTERLY We are re-launching in a new format and with a new title at Easter. Can you come up with a St James themed title? There's a (small) prize for the winning entry (decided by the editor) plus the immortality of your effort in print! Contributions of articles, jokes, recipes, poetry etc. welcome. **Deadline for the competition and other copy is Wednesday 21st March.**

QUIZ NIGHT Form your own team of 6 – 8 or come along on your own and join a friendly team on the night! £7.50 per person/£5 for under 12's which includes a Ploughman's supper (vegetarian options provided please let us know.)

Tuesday April 17th 2018 7pm - 10pm in the Large Hall

Register and collect your ticket by Sunday 8th April from Emma Sutton, Caroline Beardsmore or Mike Bull after services at St James the Greater or from the Church Office 0116 254 2111 office@stjamesthegreater.org.uk

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.***

CONCERT Songs Pastoral and Penitential sung by 8ctave - Singing priests of the Diocese of Leicester. Music by Paterson, Bruckner, Elgar, Finzi and more Friday 23rd March 2018, 7pm St Andrew's Church, Aylestone. Tickets £7.50 includes a glass of wine **Tickets from standrewsaylestone@gmail.com 0116 283 7050.**

LEICESTER BACH CHOIR 90th ANNIVERSARY SEASON CONCERT on Saturday 24th March at 7.30pm. Music by Bach, Brahms, Bruckner and more. ***Tickets available from www.stjamesthegreater.org.uk or on the door.***