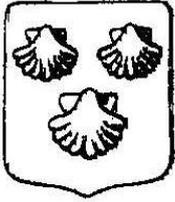
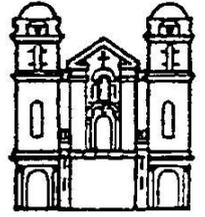


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This week at the Church of
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HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Keep us, good Lord, under the shadow of your mercy
in this time of uncertainty and distress.
Sustain and support the anxious and fearful,
and lift up all who are brought low;
that we may rejoice in your comfort
knowing that nothing can separate us from your love
in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

Our Prayers are asked for:

Thanksgiving for 60 years since ordination

The Very Reverend Dr Derek Hole

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week

George Daley : Gwen Leather : Marilyn Dorum

Unwell

John Goadby : Ann Blanchard : Anthony Green : Margaret Norman

Owen Shepherd : Josephine Chizema (Tony's mother) heart surgery

Rest in Peace

Barbara Green

10:30

Eucharist

Welcome to St James the Greater

On the following pages you will find the order of service for this week's worship.
If you would like to have the leaflet emailed to you each Friday so you can print it
or view it online, please contact the Church Office to be added to our mailing list.

There is no Offertory at present. To allow you to make your offering, collection
bowls can be found on the tables at the back of church.

If you are able, please wear a face covering throughout the service – visors are not
a legal face covering. If you have forgotten yours, please speak to a churchwarden.
Please remember to complete the contact details slip that you will find with your
leaflet and place it in the boxes as you leave church.

Please take this leaflet away with you at the end of the service.

In the name of God, Creator, Sustainer and Redeemer.

All Amen.

The Lord be with you

All and also with you.

All Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Invitation to Confession

All Creator God, we confess that we have not honoured and obeyed you. We have broken our relationships with one another, abused your fragile creation, wounded your love and marred your holy image in us. We are sorry and repent of all our sins. Father, forgive us. Lead us from apathy to love. Strengthen us as stewards of your precious people and of your glorious creation, for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, who died for us. Amen.

The choir may sing the Kyrie Eleison

The Absolution

The Gloria is sung by the choir or said (below)

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect

Eternal God, you crown the year with your goodness and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season: grant that we may use them to your glory, for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being; 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. **Amen**

Please sit.

Deuteronomy 8. 7-18

For the Lord your God is bringing you into a good land, a land with flowing streams, with springs and underground waters welling up in valleys and hills, a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive trees and honey, a land where you may eat bread without scarcity, where you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron and from whose hills you may mine copper. You shall eat your fill and bless the Lord your God for the good land that he has given you.

Take care that you do not forget the Lord your God, by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes, which I am commanding you today. When you have eaten your fill and have built fine houses and live in them, and when your herds and flocks have multiplied, and your silver and gold is multiplied, and all that you have is multiplied, then do not exalt yourself, forgetting the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, who led you through the great and terrible wilderness, an arid wasteland with poisonous snakes and scorpions. He made water flow for you from flint rock, and fed you in the wilderness with manna that your ancestors did not know, to humble you and to test you, and in the end to do you good. Do not say to yourself, "My power and the might of my own hand have gotten me this wealth." But remember the Lord your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors, as he is doing today.

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Please stand

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

All Glory to you, O Lord.

Luke 17. 11-19

Jesus Cleanses Ten Lepers

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned

back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All **Praise to you, O Christ.**

The Sermon

please sit

The Creed

please stand

Do you believe and trust in God the Father, source of all being and life, the one for whom we exist?

We believe and trust in him.

Do you believe and trust in God the Son, who took our human nature, died for us and rose again?

We believe and trust in him.

Do you believe and trust in God the Holy Spirit, who gives life to the people of God and makes Christ known in the world?

We believe and trust in him.

This is the faith of the church. This is our faith. We believe and trust in one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Prayer of Intercession

Response: Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Concluding: Merciful father, **accept these prayer for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**

The Peace

please stand

The peace of the Lord be always with you

All **and also with you.**

The Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord be with you

All **and also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

All We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All It is right to give thanks and praise.

The president praises God for his mighty acts and following:

...we may find a voice to sing your praise

The Sanctus is sung by the choir, or said by all:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The president recalls the Last Supper

please sit

Great is the mystery of faith:

All Christ has died:

Christ is risen:

Christ will come again.

... in songs of everlasting praise:

All Blessing and honour and glory and power be yours for ever and ever. Amen.

Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us

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.

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.

The Agnus Dei is sung by the choir, or the response below is used.

Jesus is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. Blessed are those who are called to his supper.

All Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word, and I shall be healed.

Please move forward to receive communion

May God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the source of all goodness and growth, our his blessing on all things created, and upon you his children, that you may use his gifts to his glory and the welfare of all peoples: and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

All Amen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All In the name of Christ. Amen.

CONGRATULATIONS to Derek Hole who this week celebrates the 60th Anniversary of his Ordination as a Deacon in 1960. We know that Derek wanted to celebrate this momentous occasion with us all at St James, but unfortunately the Covid outbreak means this is not possible. We all hope that we will be able to celebrate the 60th Anniversary of his Priesting this time next year. In the meantime, we offer him our best wishes and gratitude for such a long and faithful ministry.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING Thank you for your donations to Leicester South Food Bank, please place in the box provided at the back and they will be taken tomorrow. Alternatively, the Food Bank welcomes monetary donations so they can then buy what is needed or food can be dropped off during their opening times (on their website).

CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR Annabel will be leaving at the end of this month. She is moving down to the Bristol area – a bit far to commute! Due to current restrictions it is not possible to say goodbye in person so she will come back in the future when things are different. She has really enjoyed the years here at St James and will miss everyone.

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING One of the highlights of the church's year is when we join together for our Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) each April. As with far too many events in this strange year, we had to postpone this year's meeting. At the time, the Bishop of Leicester let us know we could delay holding the meeting until the end of October. With that deadline rapidly approaching, we'll be holding our APCM at **7:30pm on Wednesday 14 October**.

However, with the current conditions, and following advice received from the Archdeacon, we'll be holding the meeting for the first time virtually, using the Zoom platform. The PCC have meeting regularly since June using Zoom, and we've found it a really good way to allow us to continue to carry our business.

If you'd like to join the meeting please email your details to the office at: **office@stjamesthegreater.org.uk** and we'll send you out a link, together with the all the papers you'll need to allow you to take part. If you don't currently use Zoom, you'll need to download it to your computer, tablet or smartphone. If you don't have access to the internet, you can join the meeting by telephone. We'll let you have details of the number you'll need to call in the Weekly Bulletin the Sunday before the APCM is held.

Resources for Home Worship

Broadcast Media

Daily Service	Mon-Fri at 9.45am	Radio 4 LW
Choral Evensong	Wed at 3.30pm & Sun at 3pm	Radio 3
Sunday Worship	Sun at 8.10am	Radio 4
Morning Worship	Sun – check schedule for time	BBC I
Songs of Praise	Sun – check schedule for time	BBC I

Online

www.churchofengland.org

www.leicestercathedral.org

BIBLE STUDY The vicar would like to invite you to an online video discussion of Sunday's readings. We do this via "zoom", an online video conferencing programme. To join you'll need a computer, phone or tablet with a camera and microphone, a reasonably good internet connection, and to download the zoom software (which is free). Please then email the vicar and you'll receive an invitation to the virtual meeting.

DAILY HOPE TELEPHONE SERVICE

Daily Hope offers music, prayers and reflections as well as full worship services from the Church of England at the end of a telephone line. The line – which is available 24 hours a day on 0800 804 8044 – has been set up particularly with those unable to join online church services during the period of restrictions in mind. This is a freephone number.

Options available include materials also available digitally by the Church of England's Communications team such as Prayer during the Day and Night Prayer updated daily, from Common Worship, and a recording of the Church of England weekly national online service. A section called Hymn Line offers callers a small selection of hymns, updated daily. An option entitled 'Hymns We Love', provides a hymn and reflection and is based on an initiative by the Connections group.

The options are detailed below:

1. Hymns we love - one each day with a spoken reflection based on it
2. Hymn line - favourite hymns on a repeating loop
3. Prayer line - prayers for the coronavirus crisis
4. Access to more options (5-7)
5. Weekly service from C of E
6. Morning and Evening Prayer from Common Worship
7. Latest Government advice on Coronavirus

Pressing 0 returns you to the top menu (1-4) and * gives access to the full text of the Archbishop of Canterbury's introduction.

It is helpful to have the telephone on speakerphone to avoid having to hold the handset for a long time.

Vicky Roe

Pastoral Assistant

CONTACTING THE TEAM Andrew can be contacted by email revdaquigley@gmail.com or 0116 254 4113. The Church Office can be contacted by email office@stjamesthegreater.org.uk or 0116 254 2111. Please don't hesitate to get in touch, further details are on our website www.stjamesthegreater.org.uk

GIVING TO ST JAMES We are most grateful to all those who have already pledged to continue their giving through this difficult time. *If you normally give through gift aid envelopes, stewardship envelopes or cash on the plate, please contact the Church Office if you are able to switch to a standing order, we also can accept cheques through the post.*