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This week at the **Church of
St James the Greater**
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10th NOVEMBER 2024
3rd SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT
REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

Prayer for the Week

Almighty Father,
whose will is to restore all things
in your beloved Son, the King of all:
govern the hearts and minds of those in authority,
and bring the families of the nations,
divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin,
to be subject to his just and gentle rule;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

Our Prayers are asked for:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering
Marilyn Dorum : Anne Sylvester : Nina French : Anthony Green :
Gillian Boorne : Josephine Chizema : Ann Blanchard
and all those currently unable to attend services.

Those who are unwell and who are recovering
Rex Woolhouse : Penny Judge : Mark Sadler : Nicola Shilton : Mandy Stephensen :
Mollie Drake : Revd Jane Sharp : Michael Molloy : Chris Jones (Phil's father) :
Revd David Clark

Welcome to St James the Greater

08:30

Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel

Common Worship Order I (Traditional)

President: The Reverend Philip Norwood

Assisted by: Feby John

Churchwarden: Paul Jenkins

A card reader donation machine is available.

10.45

Service of Remembrance

See order of service

Officiant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar

Churchwarden: April Rule

Sidesperson: Margaret Clarke

Servers: Michael Bull, Lucy Hutchinson and Tony Chizema

Sidespeople: Vacant

Everyone is invited for refreshments after the service.

A card reader donation machine is available at the back of church.

18.30

Sung Eucharist

Following the Book of Common Prayer

see order of service

President: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar

Assisted by David Kibert and Angela Jagger, Reader

Churchwarden: April Rule

Servers: David Kibert, Charles Samuel and William Woolley

Sidesperson: Julia Warner

Setting: St. James Chanted Service

stand

HYMN 641(i) Glorious things of thee are spoken

kneel

THE LORD'S PRAYER & COLLECT FOR PURITY

COMMANDMENTS (abbreviated)

After which is sung Lord have mercy upon us ...

COLLECTS FOR THE KING AND OF THE DAY

sit

READING Hebrews 9.24-28

read by Julia Warner

For Christ did not enter a sanctuary made by human hands, a mere copy of the true one, but he entered into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. ²⁵Nor was it to offer himself again and again, as the high priest enters the Holy Place year after year with blood that is not his own; ²⁶for then he would have had to suffer again and again since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the age to remove sin by the sacrifice of himself. ²⁷And just as it is appointed for mortals to die once, and after that the judgement, ²⁸so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin, but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.

HYMN 140

All ye who seek for sure relief

stand

THE GOSPEL Mark 1.14-20

When it is announced **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, ¹⁵and saying, 'The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news.'

¹⁶As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the lake—for they were fishermen. ¹⁷And Jesus said to them, 'Follow me and I will make you fish for people.' ¹⁸And immediately they left their nets and followed him. ¹⁹As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. ²⁰Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

Response at the end

Praise be to thee, O Christ.

THE CREED

SERMON

Angela Jagger, Reader

stand

HYMN 621

Dear Lord and Father of mankind

kneel

BIDDINGS & PRAYERS

INVITATION TO CONFESS

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

COMFORTABLE WORDS

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING
during which is sung THE SANCTUS
PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS
PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

ANTHEM Bread of the world - Bullard

HYMN 439 Dearest Jesu, we are here

kneel

THE LORD'S PRAYER

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

stand to sing

GLORIA

BLESSING

HYMN 324 ii Jesus calls us: o'er the tumult

The Vicar Writes If those who forget their history are destined to repeat it, it seems our duty of remembering is more pressing than ever. To remember fully, the honourable and the shameful, is a demanding task, but it is one we must not shirk. We remember with gratitude, perhaps with awe, and praying earnestly for peace in the present time.



The Week Ahead

Wednesday 13th

21:00 **Compline** via Zoom. To join, please use the link

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/75984858232?pwd=sXKl93zlo5Vj4WApP0aKUmTjrXEX0O.l>

Meeting ID: 759 8485 8232 Passcode: L6WRmc

Thursday 14th

10:30 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order 1 (traditional)

President: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar

11:00 **Coffee Drop-In**

Friday 15th

16.30 Junior Choir. 18.15 Chorister Training. 18.45 Full Choir Rehearsal.

Saturday 16th

19.00 **City of Leicester Singers Concert**

Sunday 17th November 2nd Sunday before Advent

08:30 Holy Communion	President: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar
10:30 Sung Eucharist	President: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar Readings: Hebrews 10.11-25 and Mark 13.1-8
18.30 Choral Evensong	Officiant: Sheila Roberts, Associate Minister Readings: Daniel 3.13-30 and Matthew 13.24-30, 36-43

THANK YOU Unfortunately with a lot of thought and sadness – owing to mobility difficulties, I am now stepping down from all my church duties. Catch up with me in the next edition of the 'Shell'. Janet Burton

TOY SALE On Saturday 7th December, whilst we hold our monthly coffee morning, we will also be holding a tabletop toy sale, aiming to provide toys at low prices for local people at a time when living costs are high. Christmas cards will also be on sale. If you have any children's toys, board games etc at home which are no longer in use, we would be very grateful for donations. Please leave any toys in the box next to the food bank donation crate.

CONCERT DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

Saturday 16 th November	7.00 pm	City of Leicester Singers
Sunday 17 th November	3.00 pm	Juliet Consort
Saturday 30 th November	7.30 pm	Leicester Bach Choir
Saturday 7 th December	7.00 pm	Ex Cathedra
Sunday 8 th December	3.00 pm	Organ Recital with Guy Steed
Saturday 14 th December	7.30 pm	Ratby Band/Fosse Singers Concert
Sunday 15 th December	7.00 pm	Community Carol Service
Thursday 19 th December	7.30 pm	Leicester Philharmonic Choir
Saturday 21 st December	7.00 pm	City of Leicester Singers

RECITALS AT ST JAMES We are starting monthly concerts on Sundays at 3.00 pm. These are free with a retiring collection. On Sunday 17th November, we have the Juliet Consort (vocal quintet and lute) and on Sunday 8th December, Guy Steed will give an organ recital.

THURSDAY HOLY COMMUNION From December we will be moving the time of this service from 10.30 to 12.30. If you haven't experienced our midweek worship perhaps this is the time to try it - the service lasts about 30 minutes and should fit conveniently into a lunch time break.

ANNIVERSARY COMMUNITY CAROL SERVICE As last year, we are hosting a Community Carol Service in collaboration with Dave Andrews DL and in the presence of the Lord-Lieutenant of Leicestershire, the Lord Mayor of Leicester, the Chairman of Leicestershire County Council and the High Sheriff of Leicestershire. With choirs, organ, brass band, soloists and celebrity readers, we will be telling the Christmas story through the theme of local and national anniversaries. There's something for everyone with a variety of styles of music and well known carols to sing along with, so invite your family, friends and neighbours! This year, it is **Sunday 15th December 2024** from 7.00pm-8.30pm. Our chosen charity this year is LOROS and there will be festive refreshments after the service. Free tickets are available from: trybooking.com/uk/DVGO You can scan the QR code on your smart phone to find this page, or call the church office.



STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPES Named boxes of envelopes for planned giving from December 2024 to November 2025 are on the table at the back of church for collection by those using this scheme. If you would like to join the scheme, please see Vicky Roe, who can arrange for you to have your own box of envelopes.

STEWARDS FOR CONCERTS Help is needed with providing stewards for forthcoming concerts in November and December, to ensure the safety of those attending.

PLEASE SIGN UP ON THE FORM AT THE BACK OF CHURCH – THANK YOU



Resources for Home Worship

Broadcast Media

Daily Service Monday – Friday at 9.45am Radio 4 Extra on DAB
Freeview 708, Freesat 708, Sky 0126, Virgin Media 910 and online at

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b006wzfs>

Sunday Worship	Sunday at 8.10 am	Radio 4
Songs of Praise	Sunday at 1.15 pm	BBC 1
Choral Evensong	Sunday and Wednesday at 3 pm	Radio 3
Compline	Sunday	Radio 3

Online at www.churchofengland.org and www.leicestercathedral.org

DAILY HOPE TELEPHONE SERVICE - Freephone 0800 804 8044

Funded by the charity 'Faith in Later Life', which welcomes donations for the service at: www.faithinlaterlife.org.uk/donate

The options available from a telephone keypad are:

It is helpful to have the telephone on speakerphone to avoid having to hold the handset.

1. Hymns we love – reflections on favourite hymns
2. How to support Daily Hope
3. One-minute sermon from J. John
4. Morning and Evening Prayers
5. Weekly Church of England Service
6. Sleep Well with Daily Hope
7. The Military Secret by Jane Ellis



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