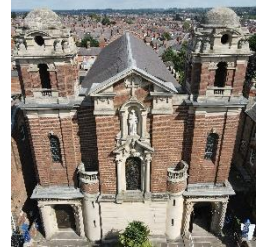


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This week at the Church of
St James the Greater
Leicester

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2nd APRIL 2023
PALM SUNDAY

Prayer for the Week

Almighty and everlasting God,
who in your tender love towards the human race
sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ
to take upon him our flesh
and to suffer death upon the cross:
grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility,
and also be made partakers of his resurrection;
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.

Our Prayers are asked for:

All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering

Gwen Leather : Marilyn Dorum :
Margaret Norman : Mollie Drake : Anne Sylvester
and all those currently unable to attend services.

Those who are unwell and who are recovering

Mark Sadler : Ann Blanchard : Anthony Green :
Josephine Chizema : Kath Higginson : Gillian Boorne :
Peter Relph : Nina French : Sara King : Jean Warren

Rest in Peace

Pam Howe (80) (former Reader at St. James)
Funeral on Wednesday 12th April at 11 am in St. Mary Magdalen, Knighton
Renee Lewis

Welcome to St James the Greater

08.30

Holy Communion

Book of Common Prayer

President: The Reverend Andrew Quigley

Assisted by: Mike Rule

Churchwarden: Paul Jenkins

10.20

Palm Sunday Procession

Starting off together in the Large Hall

10.30

Sung Eucharist

See order of service

President: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar

Assisted by: Michael Bull

Churchwardens: April Rule and Janet Burton

Sidesperson: David Pugh

Servers: Michael Bull, William Woolley and Charles Samuel

Setting: Darke in E

THE PASSION NARRATIVE MARK 14.32 – 15.41

Post Communion Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ,

you humbled yourself in taking the form of a servant,
and in obedience died on the cross for our salvation:
give us the mind to follow you
and to proclaim you as Lord and King,
to the glory of God the Father.

ORGAN VOLUNTARY – Buxtehude Ciacona in E

Please be aware of those remaining to listen.

Everyone is invited for refreshments at the back of church after the service.

The Vicar Writes

In this week we are invited to follow events from the jubilation of Jesus entry into Jerusalem, to the suffering of the cross, and the sorrow of the tomb. By following this path through the special services of the season we are able to enter into the story, and celebrate all the more joyfully when Easter dawns.



18.30

The Crucifixion

***A meditation on the
Sacred Passion of the Holy Redeemer***

Music by John Stainer

The Choir of St James the Greater

Conducted by Emma Trounson

Organist Mike Rule

Officiant: Sheila Roberts

Churchwardens: Simon Edwards and April Rule

Please see Order of Service for full details.

Collection baskets for donations are on the back tables in church.

The Week Ahead

Tuesday - Friday

08.00 Morning Prayer in church

Monday – Wednesday

18.30 Said Compline in Church

Tuesday

19.00 Lent course online

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88180511464?pwd=Q2ZNRDYrNkoxTjZhdjhdVW43VIRqUT09>

Meeting ID: 881 8051 1464 Passcode: 445752

Maundy Thursday

11.00 **Diocesan Chrism Eucharist** at St. James followed by lunch in the Hall.

Booking required via [Chrism Eucharist on Maundy Thursday Tickets, Thu 6 Apr](#)

[2023 at 11:00 | Eventbrite](#)

Watch on St. James YouTube channel <https://youtu.be/B35xvEUdXIs>

19.30 Maundy Thursday Eucharist: Liturgy of the Last Supper and Vigil until 10 pm

Good Friday

11.00 Good Friday at the Clock Tower; Witness, hymn singing and prayers.

14.00 'Stabat Mater' by Pergolesi, with meditations led by Rev. Andrew Quigley.

19.30 Service of Tenebrae

Sunday Next – Easter Day

06.00 **Dawn Service &
Holy Communion**

President: The Reverend Andrew Quigley

10.30 **Family Eucharist**

President: The Reverend Andrew Quigley

Readings: Acts 10. 34-43 and Matthew 28. 1-10

18.30 **Festal Evensong**

Officiant & Preacher: Angela Jagger

MAUNDY THURSDAY FOOT WASHING There is a list at the back of church to sign up if you are willing to have a foot washed by the Vicar during the Maundy Thursday evening service. We need twelve volunteers before the day.

EASTER FLOWERS

The Flower Guild invites you to donate towards the cost of Easter Flowers. Yellow envelopes marked specially for the donations are on the back table. Please place the envelope in the brown baskets marked Easter Flowers. If you are able to Gift Aid your donation, it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

PAGE 83 GIRL The current edition of 'Main Line', the magazine of Friends of the Great Central Main Line, contains a profile of engineer Philomenah Holladay who sings in our choir when in Leicester.

COMMON CUP Please **place a red token** into a small basket, which is on the large table at the back of church **before taking your seat**, if you wish to receive the wine, so appropriate quantities can be consecrated.

OFFERTORY We have returned to blessing the offertory as part of our services. **Please place any envelopes or loose collection into the baskets at the back of the church before** taking your seat, so that it can be taken to the high altar and blessed during the service.

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 8.10 am	Radio 4
Songs of Praise	Sunday at 13.15 pm	BBC 1

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

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