

Chesterfield Parish Church Saint Mary & All Saints

Who is in
Control?

I have seen
notices on
people's walls
stating boldly

***Jesus is in
control.***

Yet I wonder if
the Jesus of the Gospels would
recognise this. His devils come to him
in the wilderness and offer him all the
usual means of controlling people and
the world, and he turns them all
down.

The reality is that God has a
completely different agenda in Jesus.
God makes it possible for Jesus - and
for us in our turn - to bring good out
of evil.

***In fact, Jesus shows us a way that
goes beyond being in control, that
trumps the human need to be in
charge. God's love transforms us
and the world around us, taking
away any need or temptation for us
to dominate God's world or God's
people.***



Lent I (10th March 2019)

- 08.30 Said Mass (BCP)
- 09.30 Matins (St Leonard's, Spital)
- 10.30 Choral Mass
- 18.30 Choral Evensong & Lent Address

ALSO THIS WEEK:

Monday 11th March

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 12.15 Mass
- 13.00 Stations (St Leonard's)
- 16.00 Evening Prayer
- 19.30 Bell Ringing Practice

Tuesday 12th March

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

Wednesday 13th March

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Holy Communion (1662)
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

Thursday 14th March

- 09.30 Morning Prayer
- 17.00 Evening Prayer
- 17.30 Mass

Friday 15th March

- 09.30 Morning Prayer
- 12.15 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer
- 19.00 Stations of the Cross

Saturday 16th March

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Mass
- 10.30 Refreshing Pastoral Care
Session 4, Saints
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

Please remember to respect those who wish to prepare for Mass in quiet prayer; also those who wish to listen to the closing Organ Voluntary.

All are invited to share refreshments after Mass in the Saints Parish Centre across the churchyard.

LENT I - CHORAL MASS

Processional Hymn 333

Setting *Plainsong Missa Alme Pater*

Collect Prayer

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ fasted forty days in the wilderness, and was tempted as we are, yet without sin: give us grace to discipline ourselves in obedience to your Spirit; and, as you know our weakness, so may we know your power to save; 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**

A reading from the Book of Deuteronomy

Deut 26.1-11

When you have come into the land that the Lord your God is giving you as an inheritance to possess, and you possess it, and settle in it, you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from the land that the Lord your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket and go to the place that the Lord your God will choose as a dwelling for his name. You shall go to the priest who is in office at that time, and say to him, 'Today I declare to the Lord your God that I have come into the land that the Lord swore to our ancestors to give us.' When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the Lord your God, you shall make this response before the Lord your God: 'A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labour on us, we cried to the Lord, the God of our ancestors; the Lord heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. The Lord brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O Lord, have given me.' You shall set it down before the Lord your God and bow down before the Lord your God. Then you, together with the Levites and the aliens who reside among you, shall celebrate with all the bounty that the Lord your God has given to you and to your house.

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

Gradual Hymn

67



Hear the Gospel Christ according to St Luke

Glory to you, O Lord

Luke 4.1-13

Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished.

The devil said to him, 'If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread.' Jesus answered him, 'It is written, "One does not live by bread alone." '

Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. And the devil said to him, 'To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours.' Jesus answered him, 'It is written, "Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him." '

Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, 'If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, for it is written, "He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you", and "On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone." '

Jesus answered him, 'It is said, "Do not put the Lord your God to the test." ' When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ**

Homily, Creed, Intercessions & Peace

Offertory Hymn **AM 715 (*see separate sheet*)**

Communion Motet **Agnus Dei (*Thomas Morley*)**

Postcommunion **376**

Voluntary **Erbarm dich mein, O Herre Gott, BWV 721**
(*J S Bach*)

CHORAL EVENSONG & LENT ADDRESS

Lent Prose **507**

Responses **Rose (3-part)**

Hymn **63**

Psalm **119.73-88**

First Lesson **Jonah 3**

Office Hymn **60**

Antiphon **Descendit hic**

Canticles **Plainsong**

Second Lesson **Luke 18.9-14**

Anthem **Si iniquitates (*Samuel Wesley*)**

Hymn **445**

Offertory Hymn **250**

Voluntary **Partita: Herzlich tut mich verlangen**
(*Johann Pachelbel*)

Prayer Intentions This Week:

Today 10th March - Lent I

- The Diocesan Sub-Wardens for Readers
- ◊ Province of the Anglican Church of the Congo
- ✦ Lily Bradford
- ✦ John Thomas Thacker
- ✦ Frank Andrews

Monday 11th March

- The Diocesan Finance Team
- ◊ Maridi (Uganda); Ughelli (Nigeria); Ho (W Africa)

Tuesday 12th March

- The Diocesan Property Team
- ◊ Marsabit (Kenya); Ukhahlamba (Southern Africa)
- ✦ Joseph Gascoyne
- ✦ Shirley Band
- ✦ Eileen Elizabeth Locke

Wednesday 13th March

- Matlock, St Giles
- ◊ Maryland (USA); Ukwa (Nigeria); Umuahia (Nigeria)
- ✦ Dora Renshaw

Thursday 14th March

- Lea and Holloway, Christ Church
- ◊ Masasi (Tanzania); Upper Shire (Central Africa)
- ✦ Mabel Annie Pain

Friday 15th March

- Dethick, St John the Baptist
- ◊ Maseno East (Kenya); Upper South Carolina (USA); Hokkaido (Japan)

Saturday 16th March

- Those preparing for Baptism or Confirmation
- ◊ Maseno North (Kenya); Uta (USA); Honduras

- Diocesan Cycle of Prayer
- ◊ Anglican Worldwide Cycle of Prayer
- ✦ Year's Mind

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Our prayers have been asked for:

Jane Hoskin; Charlese Cain; Carol Miles;
John Robinson; Margaret Mallory; Sheila
Laverick; David Bailey; Carol Kingham;
Joan Lydgate; Teddy; Margaret Drew;
June Frankland; Felicity Stephens; Greta;
John Herring; Michael Catton; Patricia
Mitchell; Deborah King; Sue Hastings;
Beverley Vickers; Jean Madin; Nigel
Birket; David Channon; Betty Wall; Jane
Jackson

Stations of the Cross

Devotions this year will take place at
7pm on Fridays 8th, 15th, 22nd & 29th
March, 5th & 12th April (Parish Church)
and 1pm on Mondays 11th, 18th, 25th
March, 1st April (St Leonard's).

Refreshing Pastoral Care

The last session is on Saturday 23rd
March, 10.30am. Contact Rev'd Julie.

Electoral Roll

Not yet on the Electoral Roll? Forms are
available in the Sacristy or the Gift Shop,
or from Jackie Turner.

Next Sunday - 17th March - Lent II

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| 08.30 | Said Mass (CW) |
| 09.30 | Matins (St Leonard's, Spital) |
| 10.30 | Choral Mass (BCP) Readings: Genesis 15.1-12, 17-18 Luke 13.31-end |
| 18.30 | Choral Evensong with Lent Address Readings: Psalm 135 Jeremiah 22.1-9, 13-17 Luke 14.27-33 |

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