

### Prayer Intentions This Week:

#### Today 20th February - Sexagesima

- The benefice including Winshill and Bretby
- ◊ Episcopal Church in Jerusalem & The Middle East
- ✦ William Wheeler, Bishop

#### Monday 21st February

- Fairtrade Fortnight
- ◊ Kentucky - The Episcopal Church
- ✦ Ian Roberts

#### Tuesday 22nd February

- The benefice including Brimington
- ◊ Mount Kenya Central - Anglican Church of Kenya
- ✦ John Hallam; Gwenneth Griffiths

#### Wednesday 23rd February - Polycarp

- The benefice including Buxton, Burbage and King Sterndale.
- ◊ Mount Kenya South - Anglican Church of Kenya
- ✦ Sydney Bartle

#### Thursday 24th February

- The benefice including Calow and Sutton-Cum-Duckmanton
- ◊ Mount Kenya West - Anglican Church of Kenya
- ✦ Elsie Blackburn

#### Friday 25th February

- The benefice including Carsington
- ◊ East Kerala - The (united) Church of South India
- ✦ Joseph Poole; Harold Franklin

#### Saturday 26th February

- ◊ Readers gathering for annual licensing and celebration of ministry service
- ◊ South Kerala - The (united) Church of South India
- ✦ Frank Marrian

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

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### Our prayers have been asked for:

John Robinson; Sheila Laverick; Teddy; June Frankland; Michael Catton; Patricia Mitchell; Sue Hastings; Jean Madin; Jane Jackson; Robin Glasson; Kenneth Hughes; Jane Stretton; Paul Taylor; Margaret; Ray Hearn; Tom Pierce; the Wolf-Kidd family; Valerie Alice Seeney; Christopher Browne; Sandra Jones; Tony Ragan; Richard Harrison; Baby Thea; Liz Parker; Julie Weeks; Becky Laird; Barry Fletcher; Pamela Fletcher; Van; Colin Hutson; Andrea Sutcliffe; Alice Martin; Richard Andrews; John Grubb; David Staves; Susan Horsfield; Elaine Dutoit; Orla; Mat Mawson; the McDermott family

✦ Ethel Kirby, RIP

### Guest Choir

We are delighted to welcome the Leicester University Chamber Choir, who will be with us at Choral Evensong on Saturday 26th February and again at Choral Mass on Sunday 27th February.

### Lent 2022

The Lent Booklet giving information about Lent activities and reading is now available.

### Palm Crosses

Palm crosses from previous years can be handed in to the Sacristy or the Gift Shop (no later than Sunday 27th February, please) ready for producing the ash for Ash Wednesday.

### Church Electoral Roll

Application forms will be available shortly from the Sacristy, Gift Shop or Jackie Turner.

### Gift Shop

You can follow 'Gift Shop at the Crooked Spire' at: [www.facebook.com/groups/1275624696252905](https://www.facebook.com/groups/1275624696252905)

### Saint Leonard's

The safety work on the ceiling is complete, and decoration and additional work is also required, so there will be a slight delay in returning the building to public use.

### Next Sunday - 27th February - Quinquagesima

- 08.30 Holy Communion (1662)
- 10.30 Choral Mass  
Readings: 2 Corinthians 3.12-4.2  
Luke 9.28-36
- 18.30 Sung Compline

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## Chesterfield Parish Church Saint Mary & All Saints

### Where is Your Faith?

There remains much discouragement around in the Church as people get the sense that their hard work has not paid off in increases of attendance and finance, or because post-COVID things may look (and actually be) a bit different.

It's too easy to leave our faith behind when the Service is over, and then just to rely on our own work, however committed.

Over the next months and years we are going to face even more severe challenges, and we will need to face them cheerfully and with the hope of success.

Hard work and faith in equal measure are the recipe for success in God's Kingdom, and if we are to continue that work we must not be afraid to work really hard with a genuine faith that God will bring the results.



Today is a day for new beginnings.

## SEXAGESIMA (20th February 2022)

- 08.30 Holy Communion (1662)
- 10.30 Choral Mass
- 18.30 Choral Evensong

### ALSO THIS WEEK:

#### Monday 21st February

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 12.15 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

#### Tuesday 22nd February

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer
- 17.30 Reception of Ethel Kirby & Requiem Mass

#### Wednesday 23rd February

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Holy Communion (BCP)
- 13.15 Funeral of Ethel Kirby
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

#### Thursday 24th February

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 17.00 Evening Prayer
- 17.30 Mass

#### Friday 25th February

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 12.15 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

#### Saturday 26th February

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Mass
- 16.30 Evensong (sung by the Leicester University Chamber Choir)

## SEXGESXIMA - CHORAL MASS

Processional Hymn: 338  
Setting: Grayston Ives

### Collect Prayer

Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth and made us in your own image: teach us to discern your hand in all your works and your likeness in all your children; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things, now and for ever. **Amen**

### A reading from the Book of Revelation **Revelation 4**

After this I looked, and there in heaven a door stood open! And the first voice, which I had heard speaking to me like a trumpet, said, 'Come up here, and I will show you what must take place after this.' At once I was in the spirit, and there in heaven stood a throne, with one seated on the throne! And the one seated there looks like jasper and cornelian, and around the throne is a rainbow that looks like an emerald. Around the throne are twenty-four thrones, and seated on the thrones are twenty-four elders, dressed in white robes, with golden crowns on their heads. Coming from the throne are flashes of lightning, and rumblings and peals of thunder, and in front of the throne burn seven flaming torches, which are the seven spirits of God; and in front of the throne there is something like a sea of glass, like crystal.

Around the throne, and on each side of the throne, are four living creatures, full of eyes in front and behind: the first living creature like a lion, the second living creature like an ox, the third living creature with a face like a human face, and the fourth living creature like a flying eagle. And the four living creatures, each of them with six wings, are full of eyes all around and inside. Day and night without ceasing they sing, 'Holy, holy, holy, the Lord God the Almighty, who was and is and is to come.'

And whenever the living creatures give glory and honour and thanks to the one who is seated on the throne, who lives for ever and ever, the twenty-four elders fall before the one who is seated on the throne and worship the one who lives for ever and ever; they cast their crowns before the throne, singing,

'You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honour and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created.'

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

Gradual Hymn: 360

### Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Saint Luke

### Glory to you, O Lord **Luke 8.22-25**

One day Jesus got into a boat with his disciples, and he said to them, 'Let us go across to the other side of the lake.' So they put out, and while they were sailing he fell asleep. A gale swept down on the lake, and the boat was filling with water, and they were in danger. They went to him and woke him up, shouting, 'Master, Master, we are perishing!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and the raging waves; they ceased, and there was a calm. He said to them, 'Where is your faith?' They were afraid and amazed, and said to one another, 'Who then is this, that he commands even the winds and the water, and they obey him?'

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

Homily, Creed, Intercessions & Peace

Offertory Hymn: 307  
Communion Motet: Ave Verum (*Edward Elgar*)  
Post-Communion Hymn: 372  
Voluntary: Marche (*Alexandre Guilmant*)

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## CHORAL EVENSONG

Responses: Stewart  
Psalm(s): 147  
First Lesson: Genesis 1.1-2.3  
Office Hymn: 426  
Canticles: Brewer in D  
Second Lesson: Matthew 6.25-end  
Anthem: Blest are the pure in heart (*Walford Davies*)  
Hymn: 248  
Voluntary: Chaconne in F minor (*Johann Pachelbel*)