



# Collects

**Collect:** Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; 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.

**Post Communion:** Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life, ever giving himself that the world may live: may we so receive within ourselves the power of his death and passion that, in his saving cup, we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

**Additional Collect:** Generous God, you give us gifts and make them grow: though our faith is small as mustard seed, make it grow to your glory and the flourishing of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## News and forthcoming events

### **Concert: The Juliet Consort**

The Juliet Consort are a local vocal quintet of professional musicians who sing Renaissance masterpieces and who performed at St Mary de Castro over the Jubilee weekend. They will be giving a concert on Saturday 20 August at 7.30pm in All Saints'. Tickets available online at

<https://www.fienta.com/the-juliet-consort> for £12 or from Ann Scrine.



### **Dates in the Autumn**

We will be celebrating Harvest on Sunday 25 September, coinciding as usual with Newtown Linford's Scarecrow Festival. A Harvest lunch will be organised.

On Sunday 30 October we will celebrate All Saints' Day. A children's choir, which begins rehearsals in September, will perform at that service.

Remembrance Sunday is 13 November.

## **Giving**

If you would like to give to support All Saints', please use our online donation page, <https://bit.ly/asnl-donate>. A basket and the contactless giving system are available at the back of church. If you would like to give regularly, please speak to Michael Upstone or Phil Baker about the Parish Giving Scheme.

## **Jolly Tots**

We're hoping to restart this group in the autumn. We still need several volunteers willing to help set up, serve refreshments, potentially read a story or lead some songs, and then clear away and clean up. Do contact Richard or Ann Scrine if you would be interested or know someone who might.

## **Journey in Faith**

JIF is a 3 term course to help people to grow in knowledge of the Christian faith, deepen their relationship with God and explore how to live out faith in the whole of life. It's open to anyone – there is some reading to do between sessions but you don't need to have done any studying before. It costs £40 per term to cover venue hire and materials but don't let that be a barrier, speak to Richard if it's a problem. The initial session is on Saturday 24 September 10am-12 noon, then there are sessions in Coalville on Tuesdays or Leicester on Wednesdays. For more information or to register contact Liz Rawlings ([liz.rawlings@leicestercofe.org](mailto:liz.rawlings@leicestercofe.org)).

## **Collection for Ukraine**

Thank you to everyone who has donated items to help people who have come as refugees to Leicestershire or to be sent over to Ukraine to support those still there. The collection was taken to the Ukrainian Club in Leicester on Friday night.

## **Midweek Holy Communion**

There will be a Holy Communion service this coming Thursday, 4 August, at 10.15am at All Saints'.

## Shaped by God Together: Journey to Minster Communities

To prepare for the changes which will eventually affect every parish, we can:

- Pray for the renewal of God's church.
- Partner with neighbouring churches.
- Promote vocations – please pray and consider: is there someone you know who you think should explore this?
- Prioritise school links.

### Covid measures

**Ventilation:** we continue to have windows and a door open whenever we meet.

**Masks:** some are available in the porch. While these are optional at all points, we encourage everyone to consider others as well as their own preferences.

**Space:** pick up a card to place next to you to indicate you wish increased space.

**Hygiene:** sanitizer is provided in key locations – at the entrance, where books can be collected and where communion is distributed.

Communion is distributed with the bread dipped in the wine.

You should not attend services if you have COVID-19 symptoms or have tested positive.

It is possible to call a local number to hear a Sunday service at any time.



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