

Mission for the Month St C'S Scouts

Looking ahead 2019 with the Scout Group (Roger Burdett)

I finished our scout report to the church for the year.....

So please pray for direction and help, that our Cubs, Scouts and Explorers will be special spaces for our young people of whatever background, for our Leadership in giving them life skills and being concerned with the individual, and for those of us witnessing to who makes a difference in our lives.

How things work, how successful they are is all about people, their ownership of the task, their willingness to be proactive, their willingness and how easy it is to work as a team and their empathy for other people.

Recently one of our section assistant leaders asked me about something he could and should have decided for himself, when I pointed this out he said 'but it's your Group'. I admit to having contributed to this attitude because I am not the world's best delegator, however the idea seems to be reinforced by many who when referring to the Scout Group say 'Roger's doing such and such'. Little Angels too is personalized 'Rita's doing such and such'. I twitch when this happens the personalization seems to absolve everyone else of responsibility and devalue the hard work of the other people who do contribute directly.

In danger of being contentious... as a church we should all own everything we do in the community, Craft Café, Little Angels, Tea and Toast, Cubs, Scouts, Explorers, whatever, certainly in prayer but as practically as we are able, and if we can be directly involved, even better.

How things work, how successful they are is in the gift of God....*unless the Lord builds the house then those who build it labour in vain. So come in and let Him in.... work for the Lord always, work without limit, since you know that in the Lord your labour cannot be lost. Psalm 127 and 1 Corinthians.*

Leicester @ the Cross 2019 Friday 19 April

From 10:00am

Join the procession between three different locations in the city centre as actors, choirs and contributors from across the county retell Christ's journey to the cross.

10am: Act One

Leicester Cathedral Gardens with Leicester Cathedral Choir

10.25am: Act Two

Market Square with SoundCafe Choir

10.45am: Act Three

Humberstone Gate with live band and gospel singers

St Christopher's Church

**Trenant Road
Saffron Lane
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Memory Verse

'For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through Him.'

John 3: 17

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