



**ST. GEORGE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH  
WARNCLIFFE ROAD, EAST IVANHOE**

**SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT  
1<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2015**



**SUNDAY SERVICES**

8.00 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Sung Eucharist

**WEDNESDAY**

10.00 am Morning Prayer

**SECOND AND FOURTH THURSDAY**

10.00 am Holy Communion – Cleveden Terrace

**FRIDAY**

10.00 am Holy Communion – Dowell Court

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**CHURCH OFFICERS**

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Sacristan:	Lila Sanders	9842 3550
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Churchwardens	Neil Appleby	9432 5570
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	Ted Smart	9497 1450
Organist/Choir Master	Roger Brown	0419 390563
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Sunday Lunch Club	Julie Rush	9440 9069
Lunch Bookings	Rosalie Prince	9459 1554

**SERVICE ROSTER FOR TODAY**

<b>Locum:</b>	The Revd Daniel Bol Nyieth
<b>Organist:</b>	Roger Brown
<b>Servers:</b>	Neil Appleby, June Griffith, Chris Hayward
<b>Eucharistic Assistants:</b>	Chris Hayward, Neil Appleby
<b>Readers:</b>	Liz Howard, Meron Pitcher
<b>Sidespersons:</b>	Phillip Joubert, Bob Hill
<b>Flowers:</b>	NO FLOWERS IN LENT
<b>Morning Tea:</b>	Thelma Gray
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	Elizabeth and Neil Appleby
<b>Hall Cleaning:</b>	Liz and Steve Howard

**There is a place of welcome around the  
Lord's Table for all, regardless of race,  
colour, religion, gender or sexuality.**

**Approaching the altar at communion. please follow the directions of the sidespersons up the right hand aisle (*rather than the centre steps*) then proceed to the next space to the left. Return to the pews down the left hand steps.**

**Gluten-free Communion wafers are available on request**

**The Order of Service for the Eucharist commences at Page 119 of the green 'A Prayer Book for Australia.' The readings and hymn numbers for today will be found in this pew bulletin.**

**Sentence:** If you want to become a disciple of Jesus, deny yourself, take up your cross, and follow him. Mark 8.34

**Introit:** Litany for Lent - Hearken O Lord have mercy upon us

**Entry Hymn:** 320 Breathe on me breath of God

**Collect:**

God of all times and places,  
in Jesus Christ, who was lifted up on the cross,  
you opened for us the path to eternal life:  
grant that we,  
being born again of water and the Spirit,  
may joyfully serve you in newness of life  
and faithfully walk in your holy ways;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**A Reading from the first book of Moses called Genesis beginning at the 17<sup>th</sup> chapter**

When Abram was ninety-nine years old, the Lord appeared to Abram, and said to him, 'I am God Almighty; walk before me, and be blameless. And I will make my covenant between me and you, and will make you exceedingly numerous.' Then Abram fell on his face; and God said to him, 'As for me, this is my covenant with you: You shall be the ancestor of a multitude of nations. No longer shall your name be Abram, but your name shall be Abraham; for I have made you the ancestor of a multitude of nations. I will make you exceedingly fruitful; and I will make nations of you, and kings shall come from you. I will establish my covenant between me and you, and your offspring after you throughout their generations, for an everlasting covenant, to be God to you and to your offspring after you.

God said to Abraham, 'As for Sarai your wife, you shall not call her Sarai, but Sarah shall be her name. I will bless her, and moreover I will give you a son by her. I will bless her, and she shall give rise to nations; kings of peoples shall come from her.'

Genesis 17.1-7, 15-16

For the word of the Lord **thanks be to God**

**Psalm 22 V.24-32**



- 24 O praise the Lord all | you that | fear him:  
hold him in honour O seed of Jacob  
and let the seed of | Israel | stand in | awe of him.
- 25 For he has not despised nor abhorred the poor man | in his | misery:  
nor did he hide his face from him but | heard him | when he | cried.
- 26 From you springs my praise in the | great • congre|gation:  
I will pay my vows in the | sight of | all that | fear you
- 27 The meek shall eat of the sacrifice | and be | satisfied:  
and those who seek the Lord shall praise him..  
may their | hearts rejoice for | ever!
- 28 Let all the ends of the earth remember and | turn • to the | Lord:  
and let all the families of the | nations | worship • be|fore him
- 29 For the kingdom | is the | Lord's:  
and he shall be | ruler | over • the | nations.
- 30 How can those who sleep in the earth | do him | homage:  
or those that descend to the | dust bow | down be|fore him?
- 31 But he has saved my | life • for him|self:  
and | my pos|terity shall | serve him.
- 32+ This shall be told of my Lord to a future |gener|ation:

**A Reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans 4.13-25**

For the promise that he would inherit the world did not come to Abraham or to his descendants through the law but through the righteousness of faith. If it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. For the law brings wrath; but where there is no law, neither is there violation.

For this reason it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his descendants, not only to the adherents of the law but also to those who share the faith of Abraham (for he is the father of all of us, as it is written, 'I have made you the father of many nations')—in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist. Hoping against hope, he believed that he would become 'the father of many nations', according to what was said, 'So numerous shall your descendants

be.’ He did not weaken in faith when he considered his own body, which was already as good as dead (for he was about a hundred years old), or when he considered the barrenness of Sarah’s womb. No distrust made him waver concerning the promise of God, but he grew strong in his faith as he gave glory to God, being fully convinced that God was able to do what he had promised. Therefore his faith ‘was reckoned to him as righteousness.’ Now the words, ‘it was reckoned to him’, were written not for his sake alone, but for ours also. It will be reckoned to us who believe in him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead, who was handed over to death for our trespasses and was raised for our justification. Romans 4.13-25

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**Gradual:** 29 As pants the heart for cooling streams

**Gospel :**



Praise to you Lord Je - sus Christ! King of end - less Glo - ry!

The Lord be with you **and also with you.**

**A Reading from the Gospel according to Mark**

**Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ**

Then he began to teach them that the Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again. He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. But turning and looking at his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, ‘Get behind me, Satan! For you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.’

He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, ‘If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it. For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life?

Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? Those who are ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of them the Son of Man will also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels.’ Mark 8.31-38

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

**Prayers for those in need:** Jack and Esmae Pimm, Valda Murphy, Lesley Tracey, Patrick Walsh, Hazel Coad, Jo, Elizabeth, Margaret and Ian, Chris Magee, Leanne and Harley, Eileen Elliot, Paul Finch, Rosemary Hayes, Dino, Vince O’Grady, Chris and Cara and others known to you.

We pray for those who love and care for them.

**Year’s Mind:**

Rosetta Agnes GRANT	1st March	1983
Lola Evelyn FROST	1st March	1998
Frank Albert ESLER-SMITH	1st March	1991
Robert John MAGEE	2nd March	2008
Lillian Ellen KITSON	3rd March	1990
Molly McGARRY	3rd March	1993
Alberta Victoria RANDELL	4th March	1973
Hugh Charles STEPHENS	4th March	1996
Elsie May ORFORD	5th March	1963
Thelma McCully JOAQUIN	5th March	1985
Gladys Scott CLARK	5th March	1992
Geoffrey Alan LEHMAN	5th March	1988
Lawrence Pascoe MITCHELL	6th March	1987
John Michael WOODWARD	7th March	1987
Thomas Edwin FISKE	7th March	1990

**Offertory Hymn:** 438 Here, O my Lord, I see thee face to face

**Communion Motet :** Thou knowest Lord - Purcell

**Post Communion:** 189 We have a gospel to proclaim

**Organ Postlude:** Fugue, from Toccata and Fugue in D Minor BWV 538 (Dorian) - J.S. Bach

Recordings of postludes played at St. George’s are posted in the Music section of the church website <http://stgeorgeseastivanhoe.org>

**Building Maintenance EMERGENCY contacts:**

Vince Cristiano 0418 322206 Neil Appleby 9432 5570 Please write NON urgent maintenance items on the Building Maintenance List found on the table in the church.

Readings for next Sunday: **THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT**

Exodus 20.1-17; Psalm 19, 1 Corinthians 1.18-25, John 2.13-22

**Lenten Study Group** with Michael Danaher Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 7.30-8.30 pm in the Meeting Room.

### SERVICE ROSTER FOR NEXT S

#### UNDAY: 8<sup>th</sup> March 2015

<b>Locum:</b>	The Revd Daniel Bol Nyieth
<b>Organist:</b>	Roger Brown
<b>Servers:</b>	Joan Skene, Sandra O'Grady, Neil Appleby
<b>Eucharistic Assistants:</b>	Cherie Boyall, Alan Tracey
<b>Readers:</b>	Deidre Eva, Cherie Boyall
<b>Sidespersons:</b>	Ian James, Bob Hill
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<b>Hall Cleaning:</b>	Chris Hayward

#### **OP SHOP ROSTER**

**Manager-Mary Jones 94992268**

Mar 11 Mary Anver, Joan Khardiwala, Alex Mori// David Morgan /Jan Peggie

Mar 5 Bronwen Little / Alex Miori// Louise Miller / Margaret Lockhart

Mar 6 Sue Fairbairn / Madge Ellis// Phillip Jourbet / Bronwen Little

Mar 7 Joan Skene / Janice Midegs / Karen Hyde

### **A SOCIAL EVENING AT ST GEORGE'S**

**Sat. March 14<sup>th</sup> 7 for 7.30pm Evans Hall**

**Speaker:** *Rose Stephens. Rose worked as a Nursing Supervisor for Medicines Sans Frontieres. She has worked with the Ebola Crisis in Liberia, Africa. Previous assignments have been in South Sudan and China.*

**Cost:** \$40 per head (all inclusive) Payment "Up-front" –to Robert Stevens: (0412 397546)

**Raffle:** Donated items to Mary Jones.

**RSVP** Robert Stevens 0412 397546 by Sunday March 1st

**Family and friends most welcome.**

**Transport can be provided-Ian James 98529620**

### **PASTORAL CARE GROUP**

The group is keen to have details provided for those who need to be contacted or visited as part of the St George Community Care activity.

A sheet is available for entry of name, contact details and reason for contact in the Parish Prayer Book near the Chapel at the West Door. Please use this to help our group care for the St George Community, or contact Mary

### COMING SERVICES AND EVENTS

**SUN 1<sup>st</sup> MAR Second Sunday in Lent**

Said Eucharist 8.00 am

Sung Eucharist 10.00 am

**Sunday Lunch Club 12.30 pm**

**SUN 8<sup>th</sup> MAR Third Sunday in Lent**

Said Eucharist 8.00 am

Sung Eucharist 10.00 am

**Mon 9<sup>th</sup> MAR** Study Group-Michael Danaher

**Tues 10<sup>th</sup> MAR** **East Ivanhoe Uniting Church 8.00 pm**

**SUN 14<sup>th</sup> MAR** **Parish Social Evening 7.00-7.30 pm**

### **THE RICHARD MCKINNEY MEMORIAL LENTEN STUDIES**

**Speaker:** The Rev. Bruce Barber. **Theme:** Church on the attack: Retrieving three Biblical Texts for a Culture of Disbelief

**Dates** starting time 8 p.m. in each case:

**Tuesday 10 March:** East Ivanhoe Uniting Church.

**Tuesday 17 March:** St Georges' Anglican Church.

**Tuesday 24 March:** Mother Of God R. C. Church.

More information in flyer at back of Church.

### **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER**

**The Bahamas: Written by the Bahamas WDP Committee**

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March, 10.00 am.,**

**Uniting Church, Burgundy Street, Heidelberg**

### **FRANKINCENSE FROM THE EAST**

Christian Art and Calligraphy presented by Patricia Begg

10 am – noon 27 March 2015

Scots Church, 185 Burgunday St, Heidelberg

Enquiries: 9458 1984

**Conversation with the Archbishop** breakfast discussion on

Wednesday 11 March at Deakin Edge, Federation Square from 7.30am.

Archbishop Freier and local federal MPs Adam Bandt and Kelly O'Dwyer will discuss how Australia can balance the need for economic growth and jobs with a commitment to renewable energy and sustainable living.