

# ST. GEORGE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH WARNCLIFFE ROAD EAST IVANHOE

# SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT 21st February 2016

#### SUNDAY

8.00 am Holy Communion 10.00 am Sung Eucharist

### WEDNESDAY

10.00 am Holy Communion

### **FRIDAY**

10.00 am Holy Communion - Dowell Court

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SERVICE ROSTER

**Priest:** The Revd Stuart Gardiner

**Organist:** Roger Brown

**Servers:** Joan Skene, Chris Hayward, Neil Appleby

Eucharistic Assistants:Chris Hayward, Neil ApplebyReaders:Ann Farquhar Barry WilkesSidespersons:Rosemary Cotter, Bob HillMorning Tea:Denise and George Hall

**Hall Cleaning**: Meron Pitcher

**Church Cleaning:** Mary and Richard Hoy

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.

**Introit:** Hide not though thy face – Farrant

Entry Hymn: 390 How good Lord to be here

**Sentence** Our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ. Philippians 3.20

### Collect

Remember, O Lord, what you have wrought in us and not what we deserve, and, as you have called us to your service, make us worthy of our calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## **A reading from Genesis** (15.1-12, 17-18)

After these things the word of the Lord came to Abram in a vision, 'Do not be afraid, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great.' But Abram said, 'O Lord God, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?' 3 And Abram said, 'You have given me no offspring, and so a slave born in my house is to be my heir.' But the word of the Lord came to him, 'This man shall not be your heir; no one but your very own issue shall be your heir.' He brought him outside and said, 'Look towards heaven and count the stars, if you are able to count them.' Then he said to him, 'So shall your descendants be.' And he believed the Lord; and the Lord reckoned it to him as righteousness. Then he said to him, 'I am the Lord who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans, to give you this land to possess.' But he said, 'O Lord God, how am I to know that I shall possess it?' He said to him, 'Bring me a heifer three years old, a female goat three years old, a ram three years old, a turtle-dove, and a young pigeon.' He brought him all these and cut them in two, laying each half over against the other; but he did not cut the birds in two. And when birds of prey came down on the carcasses, Abram drove them away. As the sun was going down, a deep sleep fell upon Abram, and a deep and terrifying darkness descended upon him. When the sun had gone down and it was dark, a smoking fire-pot and a flaming torch passed between these pieces. On that day the Lord made a covenant with Abram, saying, 'To your descendants I give this land, from the river of Egypt to

the great river, the river Euphrates, For the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

### Psalm 27



- 1 The Lord is my light and my salvation whom then | shall I | fear:
  - the Lord is the stronghold of my life of whom | shall I | be a|fraid?
- When the wicked even my enemies and my foes come upon me | to de|vour me:
  - they shall | stumble | and | fall.
- 3 If an army encamp against me my heart shall | not . be a|fraid: and if war should rise a|gainst me | yet . will I | trust.
- 4 One thing I have asked from the Lord which I  $\mid$  will re|quire: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord  $\mid$  all the  $\mid$  days . of my  $\mid$  life,
- 5 To see the fair | beauty . of the | Lord: and to | seek his | will . in his | temple.
- 6 For he will hide me under his shelter in the | day of | trouble: and conceal me in the shadow of his tent and set me | high uplon a | rock.
- 7 And now he will lift | up my | head: above my | ene-mies | round a|bout me.
- 8 And I will offer sacrifices in his sanctuary with | exul|tation: I will sing | I will sing | praises | to the | Lord.
- 9 O Lord hear my | voice when I| cry: have | mercy up|on me and | answer me.
- 10 My heart has said of you | 'Seek his | face': your | face Lord | I will | seek.
- 11 Do not | hide your | face from me: or thrust your | servant a|side . in dis|pleasure;
- 12 For you have | been my | helper: do not cast me away or forsake me O | God of | my sal|vation.

- 13 Though my father and my | mother for sake me: the | Lord will | take me | up.
- 14 Teach me your | way O | Lord: and lead me in an even path | for they | lie in | wait for me.
- 15 Do not give me over to the | will of . my | enemies: for false witnesses have risen against me and | those who | breathe out | violence.
- 16 But I believe that I shall surely see the | goodness . of the | Lord: in the | land | of the | living.
- 17 O wait for the Lord stand firm and he will |strengthen . your| heart; and |wait I |say . for the| Lord.

# A reading from Philippians (3.17 - 4.1)

Brothers and sisters, join in imitating me, and observe those who live according to the example you have in us. For many live as enemies of the cross of Christ; I have often told you of them, and now I tell you even with tears. Their end is destruction; their god is the belly; and their glory is in their shame; their minds are set on earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ. He will transform the body of our humiliation so that it may be conformed to the body of his glory, by the power that also enables him to make all things subject to himself. Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

For the word of the Lord Thanks be to God

Gradual: 140 Christ, whose glory fills the skies

# Gospel



From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard: This is my beloved Son, hear him..

The Lord be with you and also with you.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke 9.28-36

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, 'Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah'—not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!' When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

For the Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

#### Sermon

The 'Greeting of Peace'

Offertory Hymn: 419 The Lamb's high banquet

**Great Thanksgiving** 

**Communion Motet:** Psalm 130 (Purcell/Rimbault)

**Post Communion:** 423 God, you are clothed with light

**Postlude:** Sonata 3 in D Minor (2nd Movt) BWV 527 – J.S. Bach

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

**Prayers for those in need: (list renewed monthly):** Marion White, Leane Barker, Lesley Tracey, Jack Pimm, Paul Finch, Rosemary Hayes, Dino Fernando, and others known to you.

We pray for those who love and care for them.

### Year's Mind:

Ivo Sydney DUFFEL	21st February	1986
Dudley Anstead ENGLISH	22nd February	1937
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Florence Muriel PHILLIPS	22nd February	1982
Rick ROWAN	22nd February	1990
Leila LEES	22nd February	1993
Robin HOCKING	23rd February	1981
Vera Isabel MOONEY	23rd February	1982
Heather Joyce NORMAN	24th February	2006
Vida Lillian MASTERTON	24th February	1987
Jack Statton MESLEY	24th February	1987
Ethel May PYBURNE	25th February	1984
Doreen DEMPSTER	26th February	1977
Ivo Gulpin HEAP	26th February	1981
Gloria CICHELLO	26th February	1997
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## **Building Maintenance EMERGENCY contacts:**

Steve Howard 9499 6410 or 0400 890020 Alison Smart, Vince Cristiano, George Hall. Any person welcome to join, just ask anyone on the BMC. Please write NON urgent maintenance items on the Building Maintenance List found on the table in the church.

# OP SHOP Manager-Mary Jones 9499 2268 Assistant Manager Joan Skene 9459 0325

Next Week February 28th

Isaiah 55.1-9, PSALM 63.1-9 1 Corinthians 10.1-13 Luke 13.31-35

## SERVICE ROSTER FOR NEXT SUNDAY: 28th February 2016

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Hall Cleaning: George Hall

COMING SERVICES			
SUN FEB 21st 2nd SUNDAY IN LENT			
	Said Eucharist	8.00 am	
	Sung Eucharist	10.00 am	
SUN FEB 28th 3rd SUNDAY IN LENT			
	Said Eucharist	8.00 am	
	Sung Eucharist	10.00 am	
SUN MAR 6th 4th SUNDAY IN LENT			
	Said Eucharist	8.00 am	
	Sung Eucharist	10.00 am	
SUN MAR 13th 5th SUNDAY IN LENT			
	Said Eucharist	8.00 am	
	Sung Eucharist	10.00 am	
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# 2016 Richard McKinney Memorial Ecumenical Lenten Lectures "LOVE, LOVE LOVE"

Michelle presents a vision for love as the transformative life-force that is the divine presence built into all that is.

# SPEAKER: Rev'd Dr. Michelle Trebilock

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> March** 8.00 pm East Ivanhoe Uniting Church Corner Lwr Heidelberg Rd & Maltravers Roads, East Ivanhoe **LOVE IS LIFE** 

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> March** 8.00 pm at St George's Anglican Church 46 Warncliffe Rd. East Ivanhoe

## **GOD IS LOVE**

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> March** 8.00 pm Mother of God Catholic Church 63 Wilfred Road, East Ivanhoe

# LOVING GOD AND NEIGHBOUR AS SELF

Supper & fellowship eachevening at 9.15 pm.

**Gold coin donation** 

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### HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES

## PALM SUNDAY MARCH 20<sup>th</sup>

8:00am Holy Eucharist

10:00am Holy Eucharist with palm procession

## WEDNESDAY MARCH 23<sup>rd</sup>

10:00am Holy Eucharist

# MAUNDY THURSDAY MARCH 24th

7:30pm Holy Eucharist with washing of the feet and stripping of the altar

### GOOD FRIDAY MARCH 25<sup>th</sup>

10:00am Service of the Cross 11:30am Walk of Witness

## EASTER DAY MARCH 27<sup>th</sup>

10:00am Holy Eucharist with lighting of the Paschal Candle and renewal of Baptismal vows

Please note that there will not be an 8:00am service on Easter Day so that the whole community can be present for the lighting of the Paschal Candle and renewal of Baptismal vows, being the most important liturgy of the Parish year.