

ST. GEORGE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH WARNCLIFFE ROAD EAST IVANHOE

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT 13th March 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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Eucharistic Assistant: Alan Tracey

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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: Litany for Lent (Hearken O Lord, have mercy upon us)

Entry Hymn: 158 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds

Sentence 'Those who go out weeping, bearing the seed for sowing, shall come home with shouts of joy, carrying their sheaves. Psalm 126.6

Collect

We thank you, heavenly Father, that you have delivered us from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of your Son: we pray that as by his death he has recalled us to life, so by his presence abiding in us he may raise us to joys eternal; through Jesus Christ your Son 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 prophet Isaiah

Isaiah 43.16-21

Thus says the Lord,

who makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters,

who brings out chariot and horse,

army and warrior;

they lie down, they cannot rise,

they are extinguished, quenched like a wick:

Do not remember the former things,

or consider the things of old.

I am about to do a new thing;

now it springs forth, do you not perceive it?

I will make a way in the wilderness

and rivers in the desert.

The wild animals will honour me,

the jackals and the ostriches;

for I give water in the wilderness,

rivers in the desert,

to give drink to my chosen people,

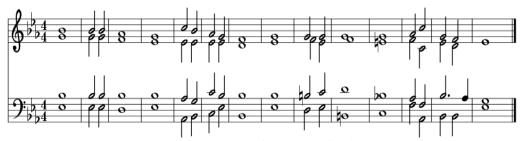
the people whom I formed for myself

so that they might declare my praise

For the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Psalm 126



- 1 When the Lord turned again the | fortunes . of | Zion:
 - then were we like | those re|stored to | life.
- Then was our mouth | filled with | laughter: and | our | tongue with | singing.
- Then said they almong the | heathen: The Lord has | done great | things for | them'.
- Truly the Lord has done great | things for | us: and | therefore | we rejoiced.
- 5 Turn again our | fortunes . O | Lord: as the streams re|turn . to the | dry | south.
- 6 Those that | sow in | tears: shall | reap with | songs of | joy.
- 7+ They who go out weeping | bearing the | seed: shall come again in gladness | bringing their | sheaves | with them.

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Philippians

Philippians 3.3-14

For it is we who are the circumcision, who worship in the Spirit of God and boast in Christ Jesus and have no confidence in the flesh— even though I, too, have reason for confidence in the flesh. If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless. Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have

suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead. Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on towards the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

For the word of the Lord Thanks be to God

Gradual: 463 Jesus priceless treasure

Gospel



Even now, says the Lord, return to me with your whole heart; for I am gracious and merciful.

The Lord be with you and also with you.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John John 12.1-8

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, 'Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?' (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) Jesus said, 'Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me.'

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

Sermon

The 'Greeting of Peace:

Offertory Hymn: 127 To the name of our salvation

Great Thanksgiving

Communion Motet: Call to remembrance - Farrant **Post Communion:** 480 Forth in your name

Postlude: Passion Chorale and Prelude "Wir danken dir, Herr Jesu Christ, Dass du fur ons gestorben bist" from Orgelbuchlein by 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, Janene McKinlay, Paul Finch, Rosemary Hayes, Dino Fernando, and others known to you. We pray for those who love and care for them.

Year's Mind:

Rita Olive WILKES	13th March	2014
Mabel Elizabeth MUTIMER	14th March	1977
Gary John MAWSON	14th March	1993
Alice PATTERSON	14th March	1995
(Evelyn) Joy ARMSTRONG	14th March	2014
Isabella Gail EVANS	15th March	1969
Florence TEAR	16th March	1989
Arthur Athol RICHARDSON - Priest	16th March	1984
Kingsley Edward Scott BETHELL	18th March	1984
Marjorie Maxine BEDGGOOD	18th March	1991
Nancy Margaret NICHOL	18th March	1970
Phyllis Elizabeth KNORR	19th March	1987
Ronald DWYER	19th March	1996

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

15	Tu	3	Bronwen Little/Alex	CLOSED	
	es		Miori/Karen Shand		
16	We	3	Alex Miori/ Mary Anver	David Morgan/ Jan	
	d			Peggie/Denise Hall	
17	Th	3	Bronwen Little/ Cathy Smith	Louise Millar/	
	urs				
18	Fri	3	Ann Farquhar/ Alex Miori	Rosemary Cotter/ Phillip	
				Joubert	
19	Sat	3	Janice Midegs/ Joan Skene	CLOSED	
			Karen Hyde		

Next Week March 20th

Isaiah 50.4-9a, PSALM 31.9-18 Philippians 2.5-11 Luke 22.14-23.56

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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 15th 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 Rosemary 9497 1017 r.surridge@bigpond.com

COMING SERVICES

SUN MAR 13th 5th SUNDAY IN LENT

Said Eucharist 8.00 am Sung Eucharist 10.00 am

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES

PALM SUNDAY MARCH 20th

8:00am Holy Eucharist

10:00am Holy Eucharist with palm procession

WEDNESDAY MARCH 23rd

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 25th

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

EASTER DAY MARCH 27th

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.