



ST. GEORGE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
WARNCLIFFE ROAD
EAST IVANHOE

7th SUNDAY OF EASTER
8th MAY 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 FOR TODAY

Priest: Father Stuart Gardiner
Organist: Roger Brown
Servers: Chris Hayward, Neil Appleby, Joan Skene
Eucharistic Assistants: Neil Appleby
Readers: Liz Howard, Brian Monteith
Sidespersons: Ian James, Bob Hill
Morning Tea: Elizabeth Appleby, Rosemary Cotter
Hall Cleaning: Steve and Liz Howard
Flowers: Mary 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: 0 Rex Glorae - Marenzio
*O King of glory, Lord of all power,
 Who ascended to heaven on this day triumphant over all;
 Do not leave us as orphans,
 But send us the Father's promise,
 The spirit of truth.
 Alleluia.*

Entry Hymn: 301 The head that once

Sentence ' Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved.
 Acts 16.31

Collect
 O God,
 you withdraw from our sight
 that you may be known by our love:
 help us to enter the cloud where you are hidden,
 and to surrender all our certainty
 to the darkness of faith
 in Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Acts 16.16-34

One day, as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave-girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, 'These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation.' She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, 'I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her.' And it came out that very hour. But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the market-place before the authorities. When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, 'These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe.' The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks. About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. But Paul shouted in a loud voice, 'Do not harm yourself, for we are all here.' The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. Then he brought them outside and said, 'Sirs, what must I do to be saved?' They answered, 'Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household.' They spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house. At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay. He brought them up into the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.

For the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Psalm 97



- 1 The Lord is king let the | earth re|joice:
let the | multitude . of | islands be | glad.
- 2 Clouds and darkness are | round a|bout him:
righteousness and justice are the found|ation | of his | throne,
- 3 Fire | goes be|fore him:
and burns up his | enemies .on | every | side.
- 4 His lightnings | light the | world:
the | earth | sees it . and | quakes.
- 5 The mountains melt like wax be|fore his | face:
from before the face of the | Lord of | all the | earth.
- 6 The heavens have pro|claimed his | righteousness:
and all | peoples have | seen his | glory.
- 7 They are ashamed
all those who serve idols and glory in | mere | nothings:
all | gods bow | down be|fore him.
- 8 Zion heard and was glad * and the daughters of | Judah .
re|joiced:
be|cause of . your | judgements . O | God.
- 9 For you Lord are most high over | all the | earth:
you are exalted | far a .bove | all | gods.
- 10 The Lord loves | those that . hate | evil:
**the Lord guards the life of the faithful
and delivers them from the | hand of | the un|godly.**
- 11 Light | dawns . for the | righteous:
and |joy . for the | true of | heart.
- 12 Rejoice in the | Lord you | righteous:
and give | thanks to his | holy | name.

A reading from the Revelation of St John

Revelation 22:12-22

‘See, I am coming soon; my reward is with me, to repay according to everyone’s work.

I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.’

Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they will have the right to the tree of life and may enter the city by the gates.

Outside are the dogs and sorcerers and fornicators and murderers and idolaters, and everyone who loves and practises falsehood.

‘It is I, Jesus, who sent my angel to you with this testimony for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star.’

The Spirit and the bride say, ‘Come.’

And let everyone who hears say, ‘Come.’

And let everyone who is thirsty come.

Let anyone who wishes take the water of life as a gift.

I warn everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: if anyone adds to them, God will add to that person the plagues described in this book;

if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God will take away that person’s share in the tree of life and in the holy city, which are described in this book.

The one who testifies to these things says, ‘Surely I am coming soon.’ Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!

The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all the saints. Amen.

.For the word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

Gradual: 159 All hail the power of Jesus name

Gospel

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

I will not leave you orphans, says the Lord.

I will come back to you, and your hearts will rejoice.

R. **Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

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

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

John 17.20-26

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

‘I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, that they may all be one.

As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. The glory

that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, I in them and you in me, that they may

become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me.

Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world.

‘Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. I made your name known

to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.’

Sermon

The ‘Greeting of Peace:

Offertory Hymn: 439 Hallelujah! Sing to Jesus

Great Thanksgiving

Communion Motet: O Sacrum convivium – Croce

O sacred banquet, wherein Christ is received;

the memorial of his passion is renewed;

the soul is filled with grace;

and a pledge of future glory is given to us.

(Alleluia)

Post Communion: 163 Crown him

Postlude: Valet will ich dir geben BWV 736 - 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): Pat Oswald Margaret Wilkes, Peg Boorer, Leane Barker, Lesley Tracey, Janene McKinlay, Paul Finch, Dino Fernando, and others known to you.

We pray for those who love and care for them.

Year's Mind:

Thomas John PETERS	10th May	1980
Edith SANDERSON	10th May	1973
Ethel Florence Lidia WALKER	13th May	1981
John Alfred HUDSON	13th May	1988
Richard APPLETON	14th May	1944
Amy Annie Maria JACOBSON	14th May	1980

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

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SOCIAL AND EVENTS COMMITTEE

If anyone would to join this committee please contact Robert Stevens on 0412397546

Next Week May 15th

Acts 2:1-21, PSALM 104:26-36 Romans 8:14-17 John 14:8-17



MAY 29TH PINK RIBBON LIGHT LUNCHEON AFTER THE SERVICE -11.30 TO 12 00 IN SUPPORT OF THE NATIONAL BREAST CANCER FOUNDATION.

MAKE UP A TABLE WITH FRIENDS

Please contact Robert 0412397546 or Vince 0418322206

Donations for the Raffle to Mary Jones, please. 9499 2268

COMING SERVICES AND EVENTS

SUN MAY 8 7th SUNDAY OF EASTER

Said Eucharist 8.00 am

Sung Eucharist 10.00 am

SUN MAY 15 DAY OF PENTECOST

Said Eucharist 8.00 am

Sung Eucharist 10.00 am

SUN MAY 22 TRINITY SUNDAY

Said Eucharist 8.00 am

Sung Eucharist 10.00 am

SUN MAY 29 2nd SUNDAY OF PENTECOST

Said Eucharist 8.00 am

Sung Eucharist 10.00 am

SUN MAY 29 PINK RIBBON LIGHT LUNCHEON

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

All are welcome to follow the Way of the Cross at any time that the Church is open. A booklet is available as a guide to your meditation.