

ST. GEORGE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH WARNCLIFFE ROAD EAST IVANHOE



20th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 22nd OCTOBER 2017



SUNDAY

8:00 am Said Eucharist 10:00 am Sung Eucharist

WEDNESDAY

10:00 am Said Eucharist

FRIDAY

10:00 am Holy Communion – Dowell Court

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SERVICE ROSTER FOR TODAY

Celebrant: Fr Stuart Gardiner
Organist: Cyril Thomas

Servers: Joan Skene, Neil Appleby, Chris Hayward

Eucharistic Assistants: Alison Smart Readers: Chris Hayward

Sidesperson:

Morning Tea:

Bob Hill, Robert Stevens

Mario Christodoulou

Flowers: Mary Hoy Hall Cleaning: Meron Pitcher

Church Cleaning Richard and Mary Hoy

SERVICE ROSTER FOR NEXT SUNDAY 29th OCTOBER

Celebrant: Fr Stuart Gardiner
Organist: Roger Brown

Servers: Joan Skene, Neil Appleby, Sandra O'Grady

Eucharistic Assistants: Server

Readers: Richard Hoy, Alison Smart

Sidesperson: Bob Hill, Ian James

Morning Tea: Volunteers – all hands on deck

Flowers: Lila Sanders Hall Cleaning: George Hall

St George Op Shop9499 5166Manager94992268Assistant Manager94590325Volunteers needed for working in the St George's Op Shop

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.

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.

SHARED DINNER

Second Saturday of the month at 6:30 pm in the Meeting Room. All welcome.

Next Week

Deuteronomy 34.1-12; Psalm 90.1-6,13-17; 1 Thessalonians 2.1-13; Matthew 22.34-46

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: O taste and see - Vaughan Williams

Hymns:

Processional 148 Love divine, all loves excelling

Gradual 56 Amazing grace
Offertory 455 Be thou my vison

Final 464 Put thou thy trust in God

Communion Motet: King of glory, King of peace

Postlude: "Hyfrydol" from "Three Preludes founded on Welsh

Hymn Tunes" by R Vaughan Williams.

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

Sentence

Give to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's.

Matthew 22.21

Collect

Almighty God, your Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

A reading from Isaiah

Isaiah 45.1-7

Thus says the Lord to his anointed, to Cyrus, whose right hand I have grasped to subdue nations before him and strip kings of their robes, to open doors before him—and the gates shall not be closed:

I will go before you

and level the mountains,

I will break in pieces the doors of bronze and cut through the bars of iron,

I will give you the treasures of darkness and riches hidden in secret places,

so that you may know that it is I, the Lord, the God of Israel, who call you by your name.

For the sake of my servant Jacob, and Israel my chosen,

I call you by your name,

I surname you, though you do not know me.

I am the Lord, and there is no other; besides me there is no god.

I arm you, though you do not know me,

so that they may know, from the rising of the sun and from the west, that there is no one besides me; I am the Lord, and there is no other.

I form light and create darkness, I make weal and create woe;

I the Lord do all these things.

For the word of the Lord Thanks be to God

Psalm 96



¹ O sing to the Lord a new song:

sing to the Lord, all the earth.

² Sing to the Lord and bless his holy name:

proclaim the good news of his salvation from day to day.

³ Declare his glory among the nations:

and his wonders among all peoples.

- ⁴ For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised:
 - he is more to be feared than all gods.
- ⁵ As for all the gods of the nations, they are mere idols:
 - it is the Lord who made the heavens.
- ⁶ Majesty and glory are before him:
 - beauty and power are in his sanctuary.
- ⁷ Render to the Lord, you families of the nations:
 - render to the Lord glory and might.
- ⁸ Render to the Lord the honour due to his name:
 - bring offerings and come into his courts.
- ⁹ O worship the Lord in the beauty of his holiness:
 - let the whole earth stand in awe of him.
- Say among the nations that the Lord is king:
 - he has made the world so firm that it can never be moved and he shall judge the peoples with equity.
- Let the heavens rejoice and let the earth be glad:
 - let the sea roar and all that fills it;
- Let the fields rejoice and everything in them:
 - then shall all the trees of the wood shout with joy before the Lord
- For he comes he comes to judge the earth:
 - he shall judge the world with righteousness, and the peoples with his truth.

A reading from the first book of Thessalonians

1 Thessalonians 1.1-5b

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, to the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace. We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labour of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; For the word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Shine like lights in the world as you hold on to the word of life.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

The Lord be with you and also with you.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

Matthew 22.15-21

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap him in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, 'Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?' But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, 'Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax.' And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, 'Whose head is this, and whose title?' They answered, 'The emperor's.' Then he said to them, 'Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's.' When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

For the Gospel of the Lord **Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ**

Prayers for those in need: (list renewed monthly): Brian Monteith, Leanne Barker, Lesley Tracey, Sarah Tracey, Paul Finch, Dino Fernando, and others known to you.

We pray for those who love and care for them.

Year's Mind

Marien GUY	22nd October	1973
Helena Mary CUTTLER	22nd October	1991
Lillian Maud GLANFIELD	25th October	1980
Robert Malcom SKEGGS	25th October	2004
Beryl May SEMMENS	25th October	1999
Wiulliam McKINNEY	27th October	1994
Hedley Duncan BUCHANAN	27th October	1987
Faye Rose JACOBSON	27th October	1973
Annie Jeanette Catherine MESLEY	28th October	1939
Louisa May VENVILLE	28th October	1980

2018 Anglican Church Calendars

Orders may be put on the list at the back of the church. Anne Hill

Sunday October 29th

A morning tea will take place after the 10.00 am service as an opportunity to thank and farewell Stuart and Gail. Parishioners and friends are welcome to attend. We wish Stuart well in his retirement.

The Reverend Canon Ray Cleary has been appointed as our Locum during the Interregnum. His first Service will be on Wednesday November 1st for the 10.00 am Communion Service.

Paul Gerhardt (1607-1676)

"Put thou thy trust in God."

It was at the zenith of the seventeenth century that the religious song of Germany found its purest and sweetest expression in the hymns of Paul Gerhardt, who may be said to be the typical poet of the Lutheran Church, as Herbert is of the English. George Herbert's poems are meant to be read and meditated upon; they constantly remind us that the writer was a man of high breeding and culture, no less than an earnest Christian; Gerhardt's are intended to be set to music and sung in church, or learnt by heart by the children at home, and as constantly reveal the homeliness and simplicity, the deeply devout and quietly courageous spirit of the Lutheran pastor.

Paul Gerhardt, the "sweet singer of Lutheranism" who lived during the religious wars of the 17th century, was born on March 12, 1607 in Gräfenhaim, near Wittenberg, Germany. He was the son of Christian Gerhardt, burgermeister of Grafenhaynichen, near Wittenberg. Trained to be a Lutheran pastor, he matriculated as a student at the University of Wittenberg January 2, 1628, where Martin Luther had taught a century before.

His death occurred on May 27, 1676 in his seventieth year, and his last words were a line from one of his own hymns-- "Us no death has power to kill.". The Lübben congregation commissioned a life sized painting of him for the church where it still hangs. Beneath it one can read the inscription, "Theologus in cribro Satanae versatus" ("A theologian sifted in Satan's sieve").

He was buried at Paul-Gerhardt-Kirche, Lübben an der Spree, Spreewald, Germany. His remains are in a crypt below the altar.

