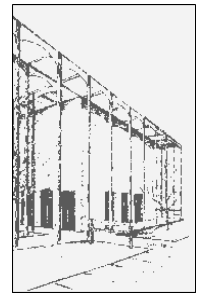


**ST. GEORGE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
WARNCLIFFE ROAD EAST IVANHOE**



**SERVICES FOR
DECEMBER 31st 2017
AND JANUARY 2018
7TH JANUARY FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY
PLEASE LEAVE AT THE
BACK OF THE CHURCH**

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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Lila Sanders		
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SUNDAY DECEMBER 31ST - CHRISTMAS 1
HYMNS

216 Earth has many a noble city,
218, Unto us a boy is born
229, Let heaven and earth combine
546 Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy

PSALM 148

READINGS

Isaiah 61.10-62.3

Galatians 4.4-7

Luke 2.22-40

POSTLUDE Trumpet Voluntary by John Stanley

7TH JANUARY - FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY
HYMNS

382 Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness
390 How good, Lord, to be here
432 My God, and is thy table spread?
13 Let all the world in every corner sing

PSALM 72, 1-7, 10-14

READINGS

Isaiah 60.1-6

Ephesians 3.1-12

Matthew 2.1-12

POSTLUDE Postlude in D by Healey Willan

14TH JANUARY- EPIPHANY 2

HYMNS

455 Be thou my vision
504 In heavenly love abiding
77 For the beauty of the earth
58 Praise the Lord, ye heavens adore him

PSALM 139,1-5,12-18

READINGS

1 Corinthians 6.12-20

John 1.41-51

POSTLUDE Solemn Prelude by Alec Rowley

21ST JANUARY – EPIPHANY 3

HYMNS

6 O love how deep, how broad, how high
496 “Take up your cross,” the Saviour said
374 Glorious things of you are spoken
148 Love divine, all love excelling

PSALM 62, 1-12

READINGS

1 Corinthians 7.29-31

Mark 1.14-20

POSTLUDE Allegro Vivace by G F Handel

28TH JANUARY – EPIPHANY 4

HYMNS

389 Your hand, O God, has guided
571 A new commandment I give unto you
158 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds
92 God has spoken by his prophets

PSALM 111

READINGS

1 Corinthians 8.1-13

Mark 1.21-28

POSTLUDE

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

We pray for those who love and care for them.

YEARS MIND

Thomas Edward WEAVER	1st January	1971
Margaret MOSS	1st January	1972
Ivan George MANKEY	1st January	1982
Mary Aspinall GUMMEY	1st January	1985
Clarence Otto WALGERS	2nd January	1977
Ernest William TYERS	2nd January	1980
Henry Joseph STOREY	2nd January	1983
Gladys Eva MAWSON	2nd January	1996
Donald William HARDY - Priest	3rd January	1987
Pam WADDINGTON	3rd January	1995
Ed McARTHUR	3rd January	1995
Ernest Alfred WATTS	4th January	1979
Frances (Fanny) SPELDEWIND	4th January	1991

William Henry Arthur HARRISON	5th January	1975
Arthur MESLEY	6th January	1958
Enid Jean GRATIAEN	6th January	1984
Thomas James McWILLIAMS	7th January	1984
Frederick Charles HENDERSON	8th January	1978
Edward Dalton FOERS	9th January	1979
Gertrude Mary BETHEL	9th January	1987
Kevin CURNOW - Priest	9th January	1987
Alvina Ethel EMMETT	10th January	1971
Charles Victor John Du RIEU	10th January	1973
Sydney Archb0ld SYMONS	10th January	1976
Norman Reginald TUTTON	10th January	1978
Edwin Arthur BROWN	12th January	1962
Charles Henry GUMMEY	12th January	1965
Harry ACKEROYD	12th January	1978
Tony ENDREY	12th January	1999
Alice ENGLISH	12th January	1993
Jessie Gwladys RYAN	13th January	1993
Margaret Mary NEALE	14th January	1991
Mabel Ruth BANNISTER	14th January	1953
Amy Elliott TUTTON	14th January	1994
(Beverlie) Glenne LEMERIS	14th January	2014
Jillian Esmae THORBURN	15th January	1971
(Eustace) Arden LAIBROOY	15th January	2009
Jean Lorraine KLEEMAN	16th January	2014
Lucy Emma HENDERSON	16th January	1996
Clara Celina HALL-BENTICK	18th January	1974
Percy James Ross CLARK	18th January	1981
Mabel Lilian REDDROP	18th January	1988
Robert James WHITAKER	18th January	2003
Gilbert ANDERSON	19th January	1968
Madge LONGNEY	20th January	1996
Roy Clarence REAY	21st January	1988

Athalie MEREDITH	23rd January	1987
Benjamin Thomas TAYLOR	24th January	1988
Margaret Winifred STEVENS	24th January	2011
Charlotte Victoria BLOCH	25th January	1984
Ronald William FARQUHAR	26th January	2005
Cecilia SCOTT	26th January	1963
Gladys Josephine GROVES	27th January	1988
John Robert GADEN - Priest	27th January	1990
Norma Winfred SWAIN	28th January	1974
Ella BARNES	28th January	1969
Errol WHITECHURCH	28th January	1997
Jane Margaret (Peg) BOYALL	29th January	1997
Lou BUTTERFIELD	29th January	2015
Sylvia May DAVIES	30th January	1974
Muriel ATKINS	30th January	1981
Doris (Dolce) FERGUSON	30th January	1994
Jean McLaren WEST	30th January	2011
Emily DORNAN	31st January	1970
 Nellie Frances GRAVES	 31st January	 1979

Locum letter.

I hope you all had a very happy Christmas and continue to enjoy the holiday season that follows. On Boxing Day our son Tim, his wife Loubna and grand daughter Sarah arrived for three weeks from London. This is the first time the three grandchildren have been together, and they have each been watching and engaging with each other in different and friendly ways. In our Australian context with warm and hot weather at this time of the year, the holiday season provides

families and friends with opportunities to get together and enjoy each other's company. It is a time for reflection and preparation for the coming year and the making of new year resolutions.

In today's Gospel the parents of the infant Jesus bring him to Jerusalem to fulfil the ritual according to the law of Moses of purification. Simeon and Anna model faithful Israelites who through their faith journey recognize the Child as the fulfilment of God's promise. They give witness to Zechariah, Elizabeth, Mary and the Shepherds in recognising the salvation promised is at hand.

On Wednesday we observed the Feast of the Holy Innocents remembering the slaughter of innocent children by Herod following the birth of Jesus. He was threatened and acted to eliminate any challenge to his power.

Today children across the world are murdered, threatened and abused because of the actions of evil regimes and power-hungry governments and individuals.

I urge you to recognise the plight of children and commit yourself to safety of children and to preserve for them a healthy and prosperous future.

Shalom

Ray