



WELCOME TO THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF

ST GEORGE

EAST IVANHOE, MELBOURNE

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SUNDAY 14 JUNE 2020

7.30am **Morning Prayer**

8.00am **Eucharist**

10.00am **Eucharist**

*Live streamed on Facebook &
available later on YouTube*

Preacher: Fr John Sanderson

Hymns: 69, 480

Postlude: *Prelude Fugue and Chaconne
in C* (Buxtehude)

Organist: Roger Brown



MORNING SERVICE SHEET - PLEASE TAKE HOME

WELCOME

St George's is a community committed to making and sustaining connections: with God, with one another, with the local and wider community, and with the environment. We value liturgical worship, encouraging fellowship and community service. We believe in God - the beauty of transcendent holiness, present in our connectedness; and in caring passionately for all in need. All are welcome in this sacred space.

THIS WEEK

Wednesday 17 June	10am	Holy Communion
Friday 19 June	10am	Pastoral Visiting <i>Benetas - The Views - Heidelberg</i>
Sunday 21 June <i>Third Sunday after Pentecost</i>		Genesis 21.8-21 Psalm 86.1-10, 16-17 Romans 6.1-11 Matthew 10.24-39

MASS READINGS

Please use these readings in conjunction with the Order of Service for the Eucharist, commencing at page 119 of the green 'A Prayer Book for Australia.'

SENTENCE

We have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand.

ROMANS 5.1-2

COLLECT

All-powerful God,
in Jesus Christ you turned death into life,
and defeat into victory:
increase our faith and trust in him,
that we may triumph over evil,
in the strength of the same Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

GENESIS 18.1-15

A reading from the Book Genesis

The Lord appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day. He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them, and bowed down to the ground. He said, 'My lord, if I find favour with you, do not pass by your servant. Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree. Let me bring a little bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant.' So they said, 'Do as you have said.' And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah, and said, 'Make ready quickly three measures of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes.' Abraham ran to the herd, and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. Then he took curds and milk and the calf

that he had prepared, and set it before them; and he stood by them under the tree while they ate. They said to him, ‘Where is your wife Sarah?’ And he said, ‘There, in the tent.’ Then one said, ‘I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son.’ And Sarah was listening at the tent entrance behind him. Now Abraham and Sarah were old, advanced in age; it had ceased to be with Sarah after the manner of women. So Sarah laughed to herself, saying, ‘After I have grown old, and my husband is old, shall I have pleasure?’ The Lord said to Abraham, ‘Why did Sarah laugh, and say, “Shall I indeed bear a child, now that I am old?” Is anything too wonderful for the Lord? At the set time I will return to you, in due season, and Sarah shall have a son.’ But Sarah denied, saying, ‘I did not laugh’; for she was afraid. He said, ‘Oh yes, you did laugh.’

Hear the word of the Lord,
thanks be to God.

PSALM 116. 1-2, 11-18



1. I love the Lord because he | heard my | voice:
the | voice of . my | supplication;
2. **Because he in|clined his | ear to me:
in the | day | that I| called to him.**
11. How shall I re|pay the | Lord:
for | all his | benefits | to me?
12. **I will take up the | cup of . sal|vation:
and | call up.on the | name . of the | Lord.**
13. I will pay my | vows . to the | Lord:
in the | presence . of | all his | people.

**14. Grievous in the | sight . of the | Lord:
is the | death | of his | faithful ones.**

15. O Lord I am your servant
your servant and the | child of . your | handmaid:
you | have un|loosed my | bonds.

**16. I will offer you a sacrifice of | thanks|giving:
and | call up.on the | name . of the | Lord.**

17. I will pay my | vows . to the | Lord:
in the | presence . of | all his | people,

**18. In the courts of the | house . of the | Lord:
even in your midst O Jerusalem | Praise |- the | Lord.**

SECOND READING

ROMANS 5.1-II

A reading from Paul's letter to the Romans

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us. Much more surely then, now that we have been justified by his blood, will we be saved through him from the wrath of God. For if while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of his Son, much more surely, having been reconciled, will we be saved by his life. But more than that, we even boast in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

Hear the word of the Lord,
thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Congregation

Al - le - lu - jah Al - le - lu - jah Al - le - lu - jah

6 Cantor

I am the living bread that came down from heaven;

8

whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my

9

12 flesh for the life of the world.

Congregation

Al - le - lu - jah Al - le - lu - jah Al - le - lu - jah

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 9.35-10.8

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according *to* Matthew.
 Glory to you, Lord Jes-*us* Christ.

Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, ‘The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.’ Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax-collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: ‘Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, “The kingdom of heaven has come near.” Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.

This is the Gospel of the Lord,
praise to you Lord Je-sus Christ.

SURSUM CORDA

Priest

3 The Lord be with you

5 And Al - so with you

7 Lift up your hearts

9 We lift them to the Lord

12 Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

It is right to give our thanks and praise

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Jesus is the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world.

Happy are those who are called to his supper.

**Lord I am not worthy to receive you,
but only say the word, and I shall be healed.**

PARISH PRAYERS

David Nolte, Kathleen Robinson, Alan Tracey, Pat Oswald, Frank Cichello; Elizabeth Appleby, Jenny Edbrooke, Rebecca Bowden, Thelma Gray, Neil Grierson, Margaret Syle, Karen Derbyshire, Pat Oswald, Max Pearce, Vince Cristiano, Stephen ‘Spud’ Murphy, Lesley Tracey, Frank McFall, Lily Kelcey, Brian Monteith, Leanne Barker, Paul Finch, Josie Cichello-Sanderson, the Malek family and those known to you alone.

We pray for Fr John’s ministry to Ivanhoe Grammar School as the School Chaplain, and for our involvement with that community.

We remember all who have died in recent days.

We also remember with love and affection those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time.

PRAYER FOR MISSION PARTNER

Open House Christian Involvement Centre - Macleod

Loving God, thank-you for the work of Open House. May the staff and volunteers show wisdom and compassion, and be a positive influence in the lives of their participants. May we learn how best to collaborate with them to support the vulnerable in our local community.

YEARS MIND

14 June	Thomas BARNES	1967
14 June	Edgar GROVES	1965
14 June	Leslie REED	1972
15 June	William DORNAN	1972
15 June	Nelle SATCHELL	1982
16 June	Loris YATES	1977
16 June	Beverly COLLIER	1994
16 June	Kylie STEVENS	1982
17 June	Walter DOWELL	1985
18 June	Rose VOISEY	1986
19 June	Beatrice	1983
19 June	John MORGAN	1994
19 June	Reginald BOND	1988
20 June	Lila SANDERS	2019
20 June	Norma POTTER	2016

PARISH NOTICES

Facebook

Please 'like' and 'follow' our Facebook page, @StGeorgeEastIvanhoe where you will find services, hymns, postludes, interesting articles, prayers and reflections, and some fun news of what is happening in the parish. Please send your contributions to: fr.john@stgeorgeeastivanhoe.org.

YouTube

We now have our own YouTube channel. Please encourage your friends, family and neighbours to subscribe to St George Peace Memorial Church East Ivanhoe for services, music and hymns.

Streaming Services

With the resumption of public worship we will continue to live stream our 10am Sunday Holy Communion to meet the needs of a new audience. We will also explore ways in which we might enhance how we undertake live streaming and connect with this new audience.

Letters of Appreciation

We have received emailed letters of appreciation from the families of the late Merv Pizzey and Bruce Draper for the conduct of their respective funerals. In the context of the restrictions placed on funerals by Covid-19 both families not only appreciated the liturgy and our care of them, but also the live streaming of the services to their family and friends around the world.

End of Covid-19 Community Street Party

When Federal and State Government regulations permit we are planning to hold an 'End of Covid-19 Community Street Party' at St Georges. An initial planning conversation took place on Tuesday 26 May 2020. If you would like to be part of this group please call, text or email Fr John. You do not need to have Zoom to be able to assist with the planning as we can accommodate you in other ways.

Choral Evensong - Rev'd Noel Whale - 50 years of Service

The Feast of SS Michael and All Angels, 2020 will mark the 50th anniversary of our friend and former Vicar, Noel Whale's 50th anniversary to the Diaconate in the Church of God. This is a significant anniversary for Noel, and he will explain why on the night. It is hoped that social-distancing restrictions will have eased by then to the degree that we will be able to welcome quite a crowd to St Georges to celebrate a Choral Evensong in Noel's honour. Please place the date, Sunday 27 September, 2020 in your diary and if you would like to assist with the planning and preparations for this service please call, text or email Fr. John.

Restoration Appeal to Celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Ordination to the Diaconate of the Rev'd Noel Whale

There are many aspects to the life and ministry of our former Vicar and friend Noel Whale; his love and compassion, sense of humour and generous hospitality, but also his ability to nudge us to 'give' in many different ways. During his tenure here at St George's his leadership led to the purchase and installation of our fine organ. He loved and still loves this church, as we all do, maybe we can make donations to restore and refurbish the fine wood furniture (pews and pulpit) that were donated by those who went before us, and some who thank goodness are still with us, as a tribute to his leadership and service. Thank you for your suggestions that some of you might like to sponsor the restoration of an item of furniture. If you would like to do so please contact Fr. John. For your prayerful consideration.

Donations to the Whale Restoration Appeal

If you would like to donate to the restoration appeal in honour of Noel then the banking details are as follows:

Bank: Bendigo Bank East Ivanhoe

Account Name: St Georges East Ivanhoe

BSB: 633 000

Account Number: 122088198

Reference: Your Surname - Whale Restoration

Solar Power comes to St George's

We are grateful to Councillor Peter Castaldo for introducing us to the Montmorency Community Group and their Victorian State Government funded project to install solar panels on not-for-profit community buildings. Installation of 26kw of flat solar panels (70-80) on our roof (primarily the office building) will begin on or about 23 June 2020 for 4-5 days. It is estimated that we will use 20% of the power generated and supply the remainder to the grid. The sustainable impact of this project would see savings of 192% of CO₂, SO_x & NO_x and 33 tons of CO₂ emissions avoided per year. Over the system lifetime it is estimated that 981,158 car km will be avoided, which is the equivalent of planting 6,308 trees and avoiding 702 long haul flights.

We will enter into an agreement with the Montmorency Community Group to repay 10% of the project cost per annum for ten years, subject to our achieving the projected savings. This will enable other community (not-for-profit) groups to be the beneficiary of similar projects in the years ahead. We have assessed that we will be cash-flow positive from this project in FY 2020-21.

This is an exciting project and I am grateful to the Wardens and Vince for their ability to make themselves available at short notice for meetings, site meetings and decision making over a short time.

Furnitue - Church Layout

It is said among clergy of a particular vintage that you (the priest) should never move the times of the services, move the music or move the furniture. I have undertaken the latter, as an experiment, which means that furniture can be moved back or to other positions. The layout of the church now resembles the 1964 positions, which of themselves represent the traditional layout of a church with the pulpit on the left (Gospel) side of the church and the celebrant and lectern being on the right (Epistle) side of the church with the servers (as sanctuary servers) being sat on the left of the sanctuary. As I said an experiment.

H.M. The Queen's Birthday Honours

Congratulations to Mr Noel Griffith our former Organist and Director of Music who was awarded an Order of an Australia Medal (OAM) for services to music and music in Her Majesty The Queen's Birthday Honours. This is a wonderful tribute to Noel and his long record of service here at St Georges and elsewhere. Well done Noel and Pat.

GOOD NEWS - PUBLIC WORSHIP OUT OF RECESS

All services and activities in and on the site of St Georges are held and conducted in accordance with the Federal Government's '3 step framework', State Government regulations and the direction and advice of the Anglican Archbishop of Melbourne.

All are welcome to attend church should they wish to, but I understand that some may wish to wait a little longer before they do so. We may have 20 in the congregation from 1 June 2020.

If you intend to attend church please call, text or email Fr John who will attend to any issues re numbers.

The flower, serving, reading, and morning tea rosters will resumed on Trinity Sunday (7 June 2020).

FROM PARISH COUNCIL AND WARDENS

Thank you to you all for your support of one another in this time of pandemic. We are a strong and loving community, which we believe, as Fr John has articulated on a number of occasions, will grow even stronger and closer in the weeks ahead. A number of people have spoken with John over the last week about how they might maintain their financial support of the parish in this time ahead. The finances of the parish are in good order, but it is the responsibility of the Wardens and Council to look at ways in which we ensure that we remain in good order. Please contact Vince, as our Chief Financial Officer, or the Wardens (listed in the directory) if you would like to discuss how you may support the parish (envelopes, direct debit, EFT donation). Thank you for your generosity and sacrificial giving in these challenging times.

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