

WELCOME TO THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF

ST GEORGE

EAST IVANHOE, MELBOURNE

SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SUNDAY 19 JULY 2020

7.30am Morning Prayer

8.00am Eucharist 10.00am Eucharist

Live streamed on Facebook & available later on You Tube

Preacher: Fr John Sanderson

Hymns: 191

Motet: AHB 402

Postlude: Paean (Charles Hutchings)

Organist: Cyril Thomas

2.00pm Parish Council - by Zoom



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.

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Public Worship is in	Recess		
Tuesday 21 July	10am	EPiC Training, by Zoom	
	5pm	Diocesan Meeting, by Zoom	
	7pm	End of COVID-19 Planning Meeting, by Zoom	
Wednesday 22 July	Mary Magdalene		
Friday 23 July	10am	Morning Worship Benetas - Heidelberg - The Views, by Zoom	
Saturday 25 July	James, Apo	ostle & Martyr	
Sunday 26 July		Genesis 29.15-28	
Eighth Sunday		Psalm 105.1-11	
After Pentecost		Romans 8.26-39	
		Matthew 13.44-58	

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

You, O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness.

PSALM 86.15

COLLECT

Saving God, in Jesus Christ you opened for us a new and living way into your presence:

give us pure hearts and constant wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the

Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

GENESIS 28.10-19A

A reading from the Book Genesis

Jacob left Beer-sheba and went towards Haran. He came to a certain place and stayed there for the night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place. And he dreamed that there was a ladder set up

on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven; and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it. And the Lord stood beside him and said, 'I am the Lord, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring; and your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south; and all the families of the earth shall be blessed in you and in your offspring. Know that I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land; for I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you.' Then Jacob woke from his sleep and said, 'Surely the Lord is in this place—and I did not know it!' And he was afraid, and said, 'How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.' So Jacob rose early in the morning, and he took the stone that he had put under his head and set it up for a pillar and poured oil on the top of it.

He called that place Bethel; but the name of the city was Luz at the first.

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

PSALM 139.1-11, 23-24



- 1. O Lord you have searched me | out and | known me: you know when I sit or when I stand you comprehend my | thoughts | long be|fore.
- 2. You discern my path and the places | where I | rest: you are ac|quainted . with | all my | ways.
- For there is not a | word . on my | tongue:
 but you Lord | know it | altogether.
- 4. You have encompassed me be | hind . and be | fore: and have | laid your | hand up | on me.

- 5. + Such knowledge is too | wonder-ful | for me: so | high . that I | cannot .en|dure it.
- 6. Where shall I | go . from your | spirit: or where shall I | flee | from your | presence?
- If I ascend into heaven | you are | there:
 if I make my bed in the grave | you are | there | also.
- 8. If I spread out my wings to wards the morning: or dwell in the utter-most parts of the sea,

- 9. Even there your | hand shall | lead me:
 and | your right | hand shall | hold me.
- 10. If I say 'Surely the | darkness . will | cover me: and the | night | will enc|lose me',
- 11. The darkness is no darkness with you but the night is as | clear . as the | day: the darkness and the | light are | both a|like.
- 23. Search me out O God and |
 know my | heart:
 put me to the | proof and |
 know my | thoughts.
- 24. Look well lest there be any way of | wicked-ness | in me: and lead me in the | way . that is | everlasting.

SECOND READING

ROMANS 8.12-25

A reading from Paul's letter to the Romans

So then, brothers and sisters, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh— for if you live according to the flesh, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will

live. For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, 'Abba! Father!' it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ—if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him. I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory about to be revealed to us. For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the children of God; for the creation was subjected to futility, not of its own will but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and will obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labour pains until now; and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen?

But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

Hear the word of the Lord,

thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



GOSPEL

MATTHEW 13.24-30, 36-43 Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according *to* Matthew.

Glory to you, Lord Jes-us Christ.

He put before them another parable: 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to someone who sowed good seed in his field; but while everybody was asleep, an enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat, and then went away. So when the plants came up and bore grain, then

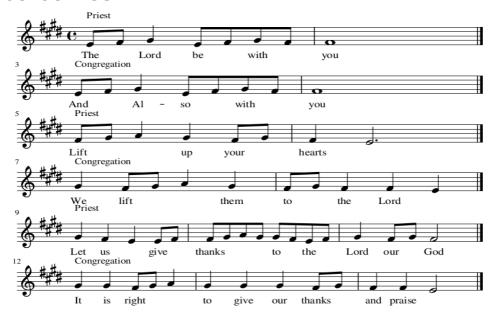
the weeds appeared as well. And the slaves of the householder came and said to him, "Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where, then, did these weeds come from?" He answered, "An enemy has done this." The slaves said to him, "Then do you want us to go and gather them?" But he replied, "No; for in gathering the weeds you would uproot the wheat along with them. Let both of them grow together until the harvest; and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, Collect the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather

the wheat into my barn." Then he left the crowds and went into the house. And his disciples approached him, saying, 'Explain to us the parable of the weeds of the field.' He answered, 'The one who sows the good seed is the Son of Man; the field is the world, and the good seed are the children of the kingdom; the weeds are the children of the evil one, and the enemy who sowed them is the devil; the harvest is the end of the age, and the reapers are angels. Just as the weeds are collected and burned

up with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. The Son of Man will send his angels, and they will collect out of his kingdom all causes of sin and all evildoers, and they will throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Let anyone with ears listen!

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

SURSUM CORDA



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

Eddie Jager, 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, 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. The prayer list is due to be updated. If you have a friend or family member on the list please let Fr John know by the 26 July if you wish them to be retained.

PRAYER FOR MISSION PARTNER

Anglican Overseas Aid

Bountiful God bless Anglican Overseas Aid as it creates and strengthens partnerships in developing countries. Strengthen their work to overcome poverty and injustice and to relieve in disasters. May we inspire others to be compassionate, involved and responsible global citizens. Amen.

YEARS MIND

19 July	Edward HAYTHORPE	1971
19 July	Peter EVANS	1985
19 July	Judith ANDERSON	2012
19 July	Robena HUNT	1969
19 July	William HAYWARD	1998

20 July	George NICHOLSON	1993
20 July	Doris DRAPER	2002
20 July	Lucie HAIGH	2005
23 July	Nancy HAY	1991
23 July	Reginald EASTMAN	1982
23 July	Pauline SUMMERBELL	1995
24 July	Dante FELICETTI	1992
24 July	Carita HALL	1974
24 July	Phillip COOKE	2003
24 July	Sydney HARRIS	1997

PARISH NOTICES

Public Worship is in Recess

At 11.59 pm on Wednesday 8 July 2020 Stage 3 Restrictions were reimposed on metropolitan Melbourne, and as a consequence public worship will go into recess once more. Public worship is most likely to resume on Sunday 23 August 2020. However, we will continue with our live streaming of a 10am Sunday Service of Holy Communion, complete with organ accompaniment and possibly a cantor for the Psalm and responses. As a consequence of the restrictions placed on public worship our Choral Evensong scheduled for July is cancelled. We will look to see what else we might be able to achieve.

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.

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. The next meeting will take place at 7pm on Tuesday 21 July 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.

Donations to the Whale Restoration Appeal

If you would like tot 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

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