



WELCOME TO THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF

ST GEORGE

EAST IVANHOE, MELBOURNE

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

Third Sunday Before Advent

SUNDAY 8 NOVEMBER 2020

7.30am Morning Prayer

8am Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr John Sanderson

10.00am Eucharist

*Live streamed on Facebook & available
later on YouTube*

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr John Sanderson

Hymns: 547, 46, 437, 568

Postlude: *Praeludium in E BuxWV
141* (D. 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

Tuesday 10 November		<i>Vicar's Day Off</i>
	11.30am- 1pm	EPiC Training
Wednesday 11 November	10am	Holy Communion
		<i>Remembrance Day</i>
Thursday 12 November	3pm	Clergy Team Meeting, by Zoom
	8pm	Choir Meeting, by Zoom
Friday 13 November	10.30am	Morning Worship, by Zoom <i>Benetas - Heidelberg - The Views</i>
Saturday 14 November	6.30pm	Bring 'n' Share Dinner, by Zoom or in person
Sunday 15 November		Judges 4.1-10
		Psalm 123
<i>Second Sunday Before Advent</i>		1 Thessalonians 5.1-11 Matthew 25.14-30

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

Watch and be ready, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming.

MATTHEW 24.42-44

COLLECT

Eternal God,
you have taught us that the night is far spent
and the day is at hand:
keep us awake and alert, watching for your kingdom,
so that when Christ, the bridegroom, comes
we may go out joyfully to meet him,
and with him enter into the marriage feast
that you have prepared for all who truly love you;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

JOSHUA 24.1-3A, 14-25

A reading from the Book of Joshua

Then Joshua gathered all the tribes of Israel to Shechem, and summoned the elders, the heads, the judges, and the officers of Israel; and they presented themselves before God. And Joshua said to all the people, "Thus says the Lord, the God of Israel: Long ago your ancestors—Terah and his sons Abraham and Nahor—lived beyond the Euphrates and served other gods. Then I took your father Abraham from beyond the River and led him through all the land of Canaan and made his offspring many. I gave him Isaac;

'Now therefore revere the Lord, and serve him in sincerity and in faithfulness; put away the gods that your ancestors served beyond the River and in Egypt,

and serve the Lord. Now if you are unwilling to serve the Lord, choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served in the region beyond the River or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you are living; but as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.’ Then the people answered, ‘Far be it from us that we should forsake the Lord to serve other gods; for it is the Lord our God who brought us and our ancestors up from the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, and who did those great signs in our sight. He protected us along all the way that we went, and among all the peoples through whom we passed; and the Lord drove out before us all the peoples, the Amorites who lived in the land. Therefore we also will serve the Lord, for he is our God.’ But Joshua said to the people, ‘You cannot serve the Lord, for he is a holy God. He is a jealous God; he will not forgive your transgressions or your sins. If you forsake the Lord and serve foreign gods, then he will turn and do you harm, and consume you, after having done you good.’ And the people said to Joshua, ‘No, we will serve the Lord!’ Then Joshua said to the people, ‘You are witnesses against yourselves that you have chosen the Lord, to serve him.’ And they said, ‘We are witnesses.’ He said, ‘Then put away the foreign gods that are among you, and incline your hearts to the Lord, the God of Israel.’ The people said to Joshua, ‘The Lord our God we will serve, and him we will obey.’ So Joshua made a covenant with the people that day, and made statutes and ordinances for them at Shechem.

Hear the word of the Lord,

thanks be to God.

PSALM 78.1-7



1. Give head to my teaching| O my| people:
incline your |ears . to the |words . of my| mouth;
2. **For I will open my |mouth . in a |parable:
and expound the |mysteries . of|former| times.**
3. What we have |heard and|known:
what |our fore|bears have| told us,
4. **We will not hide from their children >
but declare to a generations |yet to |come:
the praiseworthy acts of the Lord,
his |mighty and |wonder.ful |works.**
5. He established a law in Jacob and made .a de |cree in| Israel:
which he commanded our |ancestors . to |teach their| children,
6. **That future generations might know and those |yet un|born:
that they in turn might |teach it| to their| children;**
7. + So that they might up their |confidence . in |God:
and not forget his |works but |keep . his com|mandments,

SECOND READING

I THESSALONIANS 4.9-18

A reading from the Paul's First Letter to the Thessalonians

Now concerning love of the brothers and sisters, you do not need to have anyone write to you, for you yourselves have been taught by God to love one another; and indeed you do love all the brothers and sisters throughout Macedonia. But we urge you, beloved, to do so more and more, to aspire to live quietly, to mind your own affairs, and to work with your hands, as we directed you, so that you may behave properly towards outsiders and be dependent on no one. But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about those who have died, so that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died. For this we declare to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will by no means precede those who have died.

For the Lord himself, with a cry of command, with the archangel's call and with the sound of God's trumpet, will descend from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up in the clouds together with them to meet the Lord in the air; and so we will be with the Lord for ever. Therefore encourage one another with these words.

Hear the word of the Lord,

thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Congregation

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

Cantor

Stay a - wake and be ready! for you do not know on what day your Lord will

come.

Congregation

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

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 25.1-13

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Matthew.

Glory to you, Lord *Jes-us* Christ.

‘Then the kingdom of heaven will be like this. Ten bridesmaids took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish, and five were wise. When the foolish took their lamps, they took no oil with them; but the wise took flasks of oil with their lamps. As the bridegroom was delayed, all of them became drowsy and slept. But at midnight there was a shout, “Look! Here is the bridegroom! Come out to meet him.” Then all those bridesmaids got up and trimmed their lamps. The foolish said to the wise, “Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.” But the wise replied, “No! there will

not be enough for you and for us; you had better go to the dealers and buy some for yourselves.” And while they went to buy it, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went with him into the wedding banquet; and the door was shut. Later the other bridesmaids came also, saying, “Lord, lord, open to us.” But he replied, “Truly I tell you, I do not know you.” Keep awake therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour.

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

SURSUM CORDA

Priest

1 The Lord be with you

3 Congregation

5 And Al - so with you

7 Priest

9 Lift up your hearts

11 Congregation

13 We lift them to the Lord

15 Priest

17 Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

19 Congregation

21 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

Brian Monteith, David Nolte, Dorothy Maher, Andy Rogers, Connor, Anthony Schiavone and Frank Cichello; Pat Oswald, Mary Hoy, Caroline Miley; Eddie Jager, Kathleen Robinson, Alan Tracey; Elizabeth Appleby, Jenny Edbrooke, Neil Grier-son, Karen Derbyshire, Max Pearce, Vince Cristiano, Stephen 'Spud' Murphy, Lesley Tracey, Frank McFall, Brian Monteith, Leanne Barker, Paul Finch, Colin Derbyshire, Rebecca Bowd-en, 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. Amen.

YEARS MIND

9 November	Nellie DAVIES	1969
9 November	Dulcie CAMPBELL	1933
9 November	Daisy DAVIES	1976
9 November	Reginald STEPHENS	1987
9 November	Robert WHITINGHAM	1990
9 November	Jack DAVID	2002
9 November	Hilda WHITE	2014
10 November	Nancy La GERCHE	1991
10 November	Una SNOW	1991
10 November	Edith PITCHER	2009
11 November	Stella REED	1994
11 November	Sydney COVENTRY	1976
11 November	Howard HOOK	2007
11 November	Alive GRIFFITH	1967
11 November	Kenneth SUMMERBELL	1989
11 November	Edward O'GRADY	1992
14 November	Ronald MILL	1985

PARISH NOTICES



Please encourage your friends, family and neighbours to 'like' and 'follow' us on Facebook (@StGeorgesEastIvanhoe) and to subscribe to our YouTube channel (St George Peace Memorial Church East Ivanhoe).

BRING 'N' SHARE DINNER

6.30pm, Saturday 14 November
via **Zoom or in person**
(if restrictions permit)

Meeting ID: 882 6963 2881
Password: 747619



Appointment of Fr John as Canon to the Archbishop of Melbourne

The Wardens and Parish Council congratulate Fr John on his appointment to the role of Canon advising the Archbishop on matters of Church revitalisation. We thank the Archbishop for the provision of an Executive Assistant to assist Fr John and thank Archbishop-in-Council for the provision of funds to support this new position. Fr John will not take a Stipend for this role but will use the funds made available to employ an assistant.

Proposed Co-operative Arrangement with St Paul's East Kew

Bishop Genieve has asked St Georges East Ivanhoe to consider entering into a co-operative arrangement with St Paul's East Kew (STPEK). The intent of the arrangement is to enable STPEK to return to employing a full-time Priest, who would be appointed by Fr John in consultation with their Wardens. The draft co-operative arrangement will be presented to the 2020 Annual Parish Meeting scheduled for 29 November 2020. Fr John will hold two Q&A sessions by Zoom at 1pm on Sunday 8 and Sunday 15 November. Meeting ID: 823 4242 3907, Passcode: 716384.

Public Worship - COVID-19 Restrictions

Thank you to those who joined us in person and online for our first full week of public worship. We will continue with our usual program of services. Please text or telephone Fr John if you would like to attend. We will continue with our live streaming of the 10am Sunday Eucharist with organist, cantor, hymns, sermon and postlude. From 8 November 2020, the restrictions for Melbourne will most likely match regional Victoria. The Archbishop is still scheduled to attend Choral Evensong on Advent Sunday, 29 November 2020.

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

Annual Meeting

The Parish Annual Meeting will take place on Sunday 29 November 2020. Please see the formal notice and nomination forms in this pew bulletin.

Annual Meeting Reports

Please submit your reports to Fr John by 15 November 2020.

The Lighthouse Foundation

Our friends at Lighthouse Foundation will be holding an information session in the last week of November, restrictions pending. The event will be hosted here at St George's and will include details on the organisation, its history of care and how you or someone you may know can become a long-term Foster Parent in our community. Followed by a Q&A session. Children in urgent need right now are aged 7-18, sometimes younger.

Our area is their main focus as they have already established a Hub home here in Ivanhoe. More details to follow in next week's newsletter or please feel free to email Kirsty Buchanan - kirstyb@lighthousefoundation.org.au.

<https://lighthousefoundation.org.au> or 1800 542 273.

Remembrance Sunday Flowers

The flowers for Remembrance Sunday are given in loving memory of Edith Pitcher.

The Climate Emergency: Our Shared Moral Challenge

Thursday 26 November, 7.30pm-8.45pm

An online Zoom session sponsored by Mary Mother of the Church Parish Climate Action Group. The session will feature two speakers addressing the current climate and ecological emergency and how they have responded in their own lives to this crisis. There will be a question and discussion time.

Register your attendance by emailing: ivanhoe@cam.org.au

Tell us the number attending. A Zoom link will be emailed to you.

Mark Delaney is the author of 'Low Carbon and Loving It' (with his son, Tom) and is a Christian climate activist who has been featured in the media for his work, including ABC's Compass programme, 'For the Love of Creation', 5 April 2020.

Alice Carwardine experienced her ecological conversion after reading Pope Francis' encyclical letter Laudato Si. After giving up 40 things in Lent 2018, she now leads a zero-waste sustainable lifestyle. She runs workshops for Catholic parishes and schools to help them on their own ecological journey.



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2020 ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of St George Peace Memorial Church, East Ivanhoe will take place at 11am on Sunday 29 November 2020, immediately following divine worship.

The meeting will take place in church and by Zoom.

Schedule 1, The *Parish Governance Act* 2013

Election of Office Holders

Nominations for Church Warden, Parish Council and the Incumbency Committee are to be received by the vicar on the proscribed form by 10am on Sunday 22 November 2020.

The proscribed form, '*Parish Office Bearers Nomination for Election Form Oct 2020*' may be found at the back of the church, and is also available from Fr John.

Revision of the Parish Electoral Roll

In accordance with The *Parish Governance Act* 2013 the Parish Electoral Committee (Fr John, Meron and Mr Christopher Hayward) will revise the roll. The roll will open for revision on 1 November and will close on 15 November, 2020.

The proscribed form '*Application For Enrolment On Parish Electoral Roll*' may be found at the back of the church, and is also available from Fr John.

A notice of an annual meeting must state the time and date by which nominations for election are to be received by the vicar. The time and date fixed for the receipt of nominations must be at least 96 hours before the time fixed for the commencement of the annual meeting; and before the time of the first service held on the Sunday immediately preceding the meeting.

Parish Governance Act 2013, Schedule 1-Rule 3.2.



PARISH: ST GEORGES EAST IVANHOE PEACE MEMORIAL CHURCH	
Nomination Form: CHURCHWARDEN / PARISH COUNCIL MEMBER / INCUMBENCY COMMITTEE <i>(delete as required)</i>	
Nominating for:	
Surname:	
Full Christian Name:	
Residential Address:	
<i>Each nomination must be signed by at least two electors.</i>	
We, the undersigned, nominate this candidate to the office of: CHURCHWARDEN / PARISH COUNCIL MEMBER / INCUMBENCY COMMITTEE <i>(delete as required)</i>	
Print name:	Signature:
Print name:	Signature:
Assent of Person Nominated I hereby assent to be nominated. <i>(Signature required)</i>	

Please provide this Nomination form to the Incumbent in time for the Incumbent to cause notice of the nomination to be exhibited at or near the principal door of the church building.

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