

WELCOME TO THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF

ST GEORGE

EAST IVANHOE, MELBOURNE

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SUNDAY 5 SEPTEMBER 2021

Due to lockdown, there is no 7.30am Morning Prayer or 8am Holy Communion.

10am Choral Eucharist

Live streamed on YouTube & available later on Facebook

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr John Sanderson

Hymns: 93, 379, 421, 28

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 7 September

Vicar's Day Off

No Service at Benetas - COVID Restrictions

National Conference, MtSA

Wednesday 8 September

No Service - COVID Restrictions

National Conference, MtSA

Thursday 9 September

National Conference, MtSA

Saturday 11 September

Bring 'n' Share Supper - Cancelled due to COVID Restrictions

Sunday 12 September

*Sixteenth Sunday
After Pentecost*

Proverbs 1.20-33

Psalm 19

James 2.18-26

Mark 8.27-38

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

So speak and so act as those who are to be judged by the law of liberty.

JAMES 2.13

COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God,
increase our faith, hope, and love,
and, that we may receive all you promise,
make us love what you command;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

PROVERBS 22.1-2, 8-9, 22-23

A reading from the Book of Proverbs

A good name is to be chosen rather than great riches, and favour is better than silver or gold. The rich and the poor have this in common: the Lord is the maker of them all. Whoever sows injustice will reap calamity, and the rod of anger will fail. Those who are generous are blessed, for they share their bread with the poor. Do not rob the poor because they are poor, or crush the afflicted at the gate; for the Lord pleads their cause and despoils of life those who despoil them.

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

PSALM 125



1. Those who put their trust in the Lord[^]
shall | be as • Mount | Zion:
which cannot be | shaken • but en|dures for | ever.
2. **As the mountains stand about Jerusalem**
so stands the Lord a|bout his | people:
from this time | forward • for | ever|more.
3. For the sceptre of wickedness shall have no sway[^]
over the land apporioned | to the | righteous:
lest the righteous | set their | hands to • do | evil.
4. **Do good O Lord to | those • who are | good:**
to | those • that are | upright • in | heart.
5. + As for those who turn aside to crooked ways
let the Lord lead them away with the | evil|doers:
and in | Israel | let there • be | peace.

SECOND READING

JAMES 2.1-10 (11-13) 14-17

A reading from Paul's Letter to James


My brothers and sisters, do you with your acts of favouritism really believe in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ? For if a person with gold rings and in fine clothes comes into your assembly, and if a poor person in dirty clothes also comes in, and if you take notice of the one wearing the fine clothes and say, 'Have a seat here, please', while to the one who is poor you say, 'Stand there', or, 'Sit at my feet', have you not made distinctions among yourselves, and become judges with evil thoughts? Listen, my beloved brothers and sisters. Has not God chosen the poor in the world to be rich in faith and to be heirs of the kingdom that he has promised to those who love him? But you have dishonoured the poor. Is it not the rich who oppress you? Is it not they who drag you into court? Is it not they who blaspheme the excellent name that was invoked over you? You do well if you really fulfil the royal law according to the scripture, 'You shall love your neighbour as yourself.' But if you show partiality, you commit sin and are convicted by the law as transgressors. For whoever keeps the whole law but fails in one point has become accountable for all of it. For the one who said, 'You shall not commit adultery', also said, 'You shall not murder.' Now if you do not commit adultery but if you murder, you have become a transgressor of the law. So speak and so act as those who are to be judged by the law of liberty. For judgement will be without mercy to anyone who has shown no mercy; mercy triumphs over judgement. What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if you say you have faith but do not have works? Can faith save you? If a brother or sister is naked and lacks daily food, and one of you says to them, 'Go in peace; keep warm and eat your fill', and yet you do not supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that? So faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead.

Hear the word of the Lord,

thanks be to God.

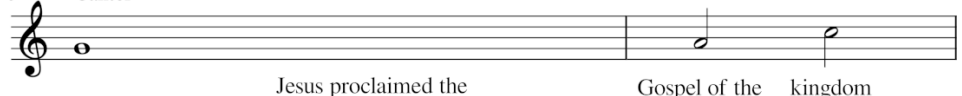
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Congregation




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

6 Cantor




Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom

8



and cured every di - sease a - mong the people.

12 Congregation



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

GOSPEL

MARK 7.24-37

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

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

From there he set out and went away to the region of Tyre. He entered a house and did not want anyone to know he was there. Yet he could not escape notice, but a woman whose little daughter had an unclean spirit immediately heard about him, and she came and bowed down at his feet. Now the woman was a Gentile, of Syrophenician origin. She begged him to cast the demon out of her daughter. He said to her, 'Let the children be fed first, for it is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs.' But she answered him, 'Sir, even the dogs under the table eat the children's crumbs.' Then he said to her, 'For saying that, you may go—the demon has left your daughter.' So she went home, found the child lying on the bed, and the demon gone. Then he returned from the region of Tyre, and went by way of Sidon towards the Sea of Galilee, in the region of the Decapolis. They brought to him a deaf man who had an impediment in his speech; and they begged him to lay his hand on him. He took him aside in private, away from the crowd, and put his fingers into his ears, and he spat and touched his tongue. Then looking

up to heaven, he sighed and said to him, ‘Ephphatha’, that is, ‘Be opened.’ And immediately his ears were opened, his tongue was released, and he spoke plainly. Then Jesus ordered them to tell no one; but the more he ordered them, the more zealously they proclaimed it. They were astounded beyond measure, saying, ‘He has done everything well; he even makes the deaf to hear and the mute to speak.’

This is the Gospel of the Lord,
praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

SURSUM CORDA

The musical score is written in treble clef with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#) and a common time signature (C). It consists of six staves, alternating between Priest and Congregation parts. The lyrics are as follows:

1 Priest
 The Lord be with you

3 Congregation
 And Al - so with you

5 Priest
 Lift up your hearts

7 Congregation
 We lift them to the Lord

9 Priest
 Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

12 Congregation
 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.**

COMMUNION MOTET

Panis Angelicus

César Franck (1822-90)

POSTLUDE

Toccata, from Toccata and Fugue in D Minor (Dorian) BWV 538

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

PARISH PRAYERS

Wayne Oswald, John Bibo, Gabriel Pronobis, Bob Hill, Peg Boorer, Alan Tracey, Thelma Gray, Louise Miller, Bella Saadala, David Nolte, Dorothy Maher, and Anthony Schiavone, Caroline Miley; Kathleen Robinson; Elizabeth Appleby, Jenny Edbrooke, Neil Grierson, Karen Derbyshire, Max Pearce, Vince Cristiano, Stephen 'Spud' Murphy, Lesley Tracey, Frank McFall, Leanne Barker, Paul Finch, Colin Derbyshire, Rebecca Bowden, 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 those 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

Sorted Youth Church – Bradford

Lord our God bless the Sorted Community as they build relationships with young people and empower them to help form new Christian communities. May participants find friendship and an opportunity to explore faith. Amen.

YEARS MIND

5 September	Jean WOODS	1995
6 September	Gwendoline LOW	1997
7 September	Alan RANK	1994
7 September	Elizabeth WESCOTT	1976
7 September	Margaret MAHER	1989
8 September	Mary CLOUGH	1977
8 September	Joan SMITH	1995
9 September	Ian LAMBERT	2017
9 September	Lucy GLASCOTT	1983
9 September	Frederick ROBERTSON	1985
9 September	Glen COWANS	1987
9 September	Freda MARTIN	2000
10 September	Florence GRAY	1984
10 September	Annie HANSON	1987
11 September	Lesley GRANT	2008
11 September	Sophia CUMMINS	1954
11 September	Albert MIDDLEDITCH	1991
12 September	<i>Infant</i> McVEIGH	1994
12 September	Gwenda EASTMAN	1999
12 September	Roma WISE	2006
12 September	Evelyn SKEGGS	2011
12 September	Janet SUMNER	1991

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).

Live Streaming of Services - YouTube

We live stream our services and events via our YouTube channel, (St George Peace Memorial Church East Ivanhoe).

You may access our services via this link:

<https://stgeorgeseastivanhoe.org/online>.

If you subscribe to our channel you will receive automatic alerts when we go live.

Donations to the Rev'd Noel 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

Evensong to Mark 50th Anniversary of the Ordination to the Priesthood of the Rev'd Noel Whale

At 5pm on Sunday 26 September 2021 we will host a special Choral Evensong to mark the 50th anniversary of the Ordination to the Priesthood of our former Vicar and friend, the Rev'd Noel Whale. Noel will preach at this service and the Archbishop and Mrs Freier will also be in attendance. Assistance is required with invitations, publicity and catering.

Please speak with Meron Pitcher or Anne Hill if you are able to assist.

Annual Fire Drill

The annual parish fire drill will be conducted on a Sunday in September. Please follow the directions of the Fire Wardens when you hear “Fire, Fire, Fire” and the handbell being rung and evacuate the building by the nearest exit and assemble in the vicinity of the entrance to the Evans Hall.

Re-imagining the Future

‘Re-imagining the future’ is an initiative of the Anglican Diocese of Melbourne, developed by the Anglican Diocese of Melbourne as a resource to enable the local church (parishes), clergy, Wardens and Parish Council to consider the question of our future by discussing a range of scenarios that are possible and perhaps likely.

Our Parish Council met on Saturday 28 August 2021 to journey through the process of 're-imagining the future'. A report will be shared by email in the pew bulletin over the next few weeks.

Mission Giving – Parish Partnerships

The meeting of Parish Council of 15 August 2021 resolved to continue to support our extant prayer and partners in mission. They are:

1. The Sorted youth community in Bradford, UK
2. The Anglican Board of Mission – Australia
3. Anglican Overseas Aid
4. The Mission to Seafarers – Victoria
5. Open House Christian Involvement Centre – Macleod

We are also exploring ways in which we can seek to deepen our connections with our mission partners, so that we might have the opportunity to impact our collective spirituality.

A reminder also that through our Opportunity Shop we support around 23-25 local not-for-profit non-government organisations in our local area.

Mission Giving – Parish Partnerships – Montmorency Community Group

In July 2020 we partnered with the Montmorency Community Group to access funding from the State Government of Victoria's Pick a project program. This funding enabled us to install phase 1 of 2 of our urban solar farm projects. To date the savings from our solar panels have been significant. As part of our partnership with Montmorency Community Group we committed to donating 10% of the original project cost (phase 1) to them so that they may continue to install solar panels on other local community buildings so that they too may benefit in the way that we have. I'm pleased to report that our contribution to Montmorency Community Group in 2021 will assist with the installation of solar panels on a community HUB in Montmorency and at "3081 Angels" at Olympic Village. Interestingly, we also support "3081 Angels" through our Opportunity Shop. The quantum of this overall project is significant in that "88 kw panels have now been installed, generating over 100, 000 Kwh a year. This corresponds to the power requirements of 30 homes. Over the next 10 years, they will double the amount of solar panels installed via the project."

2021 EVENSONG PROGRAM

26 September 2021

Theme: Celebration of the 50th anniversary in 1971 of the ordination of the Revd Noel Whale, a former incumbent of St George's. Fr Noel will preach the sermon. The Archbishop of Melbourne, the Most Reverend Dr Philip Freier, will be in attendance.

31 October 2021

Theme: HRH Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, b. 10 June, 1921. Speaker: Professor David Flint AM, national convener of Australians for Constitutional Monarchy.

28 November 2021 - Advent

Theme: Michael Praetorius (Renaissance composer) b.1571. Presentation of music of Praetorius and commentary on his life and influence by Peter Bandy, renowned musicologist and commentator, currently director (among other musical ensembles) of the Heidelberg Choral Society. *St Cecilia (patron saint of Music), whose commemorative day is 22 November, will be recognised in music.*

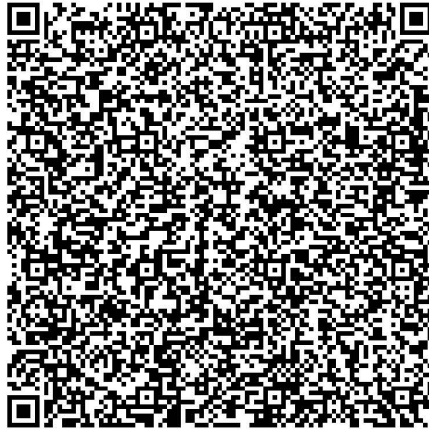
31 July 2022

Theme: Robin Boyd (architect) d.1971. A presentation of the architectural history of the church by Tony Lee, former executive director of the Robin Boyd Foundation.




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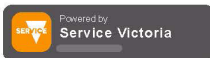
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