

WELCOME TO THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF

ST GEORGE

EAST IVANHOE, MELBOURNE

THE EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD

SUNDAY 2 JANUARY 2022

7.30am Morning Prayer

8am Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: Rev'd Heidin Kunoo

10am Choral Eucharist

Live streamed on YouTube & available later on Facebook

Celebrant & Preacher: Rev'd Heidin Kunoo

Hymn: 239, 391, 382, 230 Organist: Cyril Thomas



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.

Monday 3 January	Vicar's Day Off (in-lieu)
Tuesday 4 January	Vicar's Day Off
Wednesday 5 January	Vicar's Day Off (in-lieu)
Thursday 6 January	Vicar's Day Off (in-lieu)
Friday 7 January	Vicar's Day Off (in-lieu)
Saturday 8 January	Vicar's Day Off (in-lieu)
	No January Bring 'n' Share Supper
Sunday 9 January	Isaiah 43.1-7
The Baptism of our Lord	Psalm 29
	Acts 8.14-17
	Luke 3.15-22

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

Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you.

ISAIAH 60.1

COLLECT

Eternal God, who brought the nations to your light and kings to the brightness of your rising: fill the world with your glory, and show yourself to all the nations; through him who is the true light and the bright morning star, Jesus Christ your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Isaiah 60.1-6

A reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah

Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. For darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the Lord will arise upon you, and his glory will appear over you. Nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawn. Lift up your eyes and look around; they all gather together, they come to you; your sons shall come from far away, and your daughters shall be carried on their nurses' arms. Then you shall see and be radiant; your heart shall thrill and rejoice, because the abundance of the sea shall be brought to you, the wealth of the nations shall come to you. A multitude of camels shall cover you, the young camels of Midian and Ephah; all those from Sheba shall come. They shall bring gold and frankincense, and shall proclaim the praise of the Lord.

Hear the word of the Lord,

thanks be to God.

PSALM 72.1-7, 10-14

- 1. Give the king your judgement, O God: and your righteousness to the son of a king,
- 2. That he may judge your people rightly: and the poor of the land with equity.
- 3. Let the mountains be laden with peace because of his righteousness: and the hills also with prosperity for his people.
- 4. May he give justice to the poor among the people: and rescue the children of the needy, and crush the oppressor.
- 5. May he live while the sun endures: and while the moon gives light, throughout all generations.
- 6. May he come down like rain upon the new-mown fields: and as showers that water the earth.
- 7. In his time shall righteousness flourish: and abundance of peace, till the moon shall be no more.
- 10. The kings of Tarshish and of the isles shall bring tribute: the kings of Sheba and Seba shall offer gifts.
- 11. All kings shall fall down before him: and all nations do him service.
- 12. He will deliver the needy when they cry: and the poor that have no helper.
- 13. He will pity the helpless and the needy: and save the lives of the poor.
- 14. He will redeem them from oppression and violence: and their blood shall be precious in his sight.

A reading from Paul's Letter to the Ephesians

This is the reason that I Paul am a prisoner for Christ Jesus for the sake of you Gentiles— for surely you have already heard of the commission of God's grace that was given to me for you, and how the mystery was made known to me by revelation, as I wrote above in a few words, a reading of which will enable you to perceive my understanding of the mystery of Christ. In former generations this mystery was not made known to humankind, as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit: that is, the Gentiles have become fellow-heirs, members of the same body, and sharers in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel. Of this gospel I have become a servant according to the gift of God's grace that was given to me by the working of his power. Although I am the very least of all the saints, this grace was given to me to bring to the Gentiles the news of the boundless riches of Christ, and to make everyone see what is the plan of the mystery hidden for ages in God who created all things; so that through the church the wisdom of God in its rich variety might now be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly places. This was in accordance with the eternal purpose that he has carried out in Christ Jesus our Lord, in whom we have access to God in boldness and confidence through faith in him.

Hear the word of the Lord,

thanks be to God.

GOSPEL MATTHEW 2.1-12

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

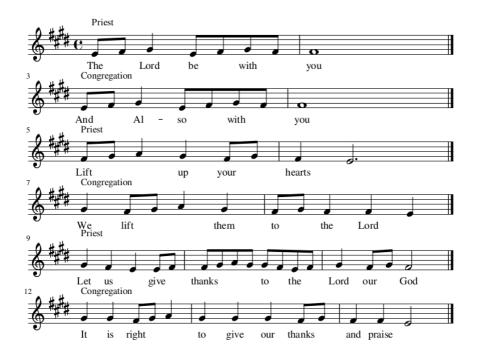
Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, asking, 'Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage.' When King Herod heard this, he was frightened, and all Jerusalem with him; and calling together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. They told him, 'In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it has been written by the prophet: "And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least

among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel." Then Herod secretly called for the wise men and learned from them the exact time when the star had appeared. Then he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, 'Go and search diligently for the child; and when you have found him, bring me word so that I may also go and pay him homage.' When they had heard the king, they set out; and there, ahead of them, went the star that they had seen at its rising, until it stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure-chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country by another road.

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

POSTLUDE

Solemn Prelude

Alec Rowley (1892-1958)

PARISH PRAYERS

David Morgan, Dr Helen Kouzmin, The Rt Rev'd Andrew St John, Sally, Eddie, Frankie, Wayne Oswald, John Bibo, Gabriel Pronobis, Alan Tracey, Thelma Gray, Louise Miller, Bella Saadala, David Nolte, Dorothy Maher, and Anthony Schiavone, Caroline Miley; Kathleen Robinson; Elizabeth Appleby, Neil Grierson, Karen Derbyshire, Max Pearce, 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

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.

YEAR'S MIND

2 January	Clarence WALGERS	1977
2 January	Ernest TYERS	1980
2 January	Henry STOREY	1983
2 January	Gladys MAWSON	1996
3 January	Donald HARDY	1987
3 January	Pam WADDINGTON	1995
3 January	Ed McARTHUR	1995
4 January	Laurence TURNER	2004
4 January	Ernest WATTS	1979
4 January	Frances SPELDWIND	1991
5 January	William HARRISON	1975
6 January	Dara ANDREWS	2017
6 January	Arthur MESLEY	1958
6 January	Enid GRATIAEN	1984
7 January	Thomas McWILLIAMS	1984

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). Please take the time to 'like' and 'follow' our new Facebook presence @HeartEdgeMelbourne (https://www.facebook.com/HeartEdgeMelbourne) where you might find news of our HeartEdge initatives.

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.

The live streaming of services in January may not occur as Beth takes leave and will be subject to the availability of Vince and Rosemary.

2021 National Church Life Survey - Focused on the Future

The NCLS will now be conducted in late January and early February 2022.

Choir in Recess

Roger and the choir will be in recess until Sunday 6 February 2022 (Fifth Sunday After Epiphany).

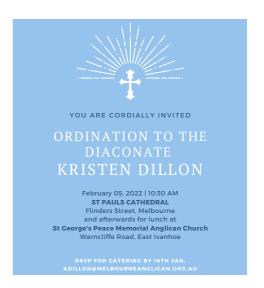
Thank You

Thank you to all those who have assisted with music, hospitality and live streaming of our Advent and Christmas services. Your generosity and giftedness are appreciated.

Vicar's Leave

The Vicar has not had leave or generally a Tuesday day off since

late January 2021. Therefore, John will take time in-lieu from Monday 27 December 2021 until 8 January 2022, then leave away from the parish, 9-14 January, and a combination of time in-lieu, 15-26 January inclusive. The Rev'd Heidin Kunoo will be the celebrant at all services on Sunday 2 January and the Rev'd Walter McEntee will celebrate all serviecs as normal on Sundays 9, 16 & 23 January. During this period there will be no Wednesday midweek service of Holy Communion. For pastoral emergencies in this period please contact Meron or Barry on their mobile telephone numbers, which are listed on the Parish Directory on the back of the pew bulletin.



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READING GROUP

A Future That's Bigger Than the Past: Towards the Renewal of the Church by Samuel Wells

What do you dream for the future of the church? Join us in reading the groundbreaking book by Sam Wells, Vicar of St Martin in the Fields, as he articulates a vision for the renewal and revitalisation of the church.

There will be eight sessions:

Location: Online (Zoom)
Time: 6pm-7.30pm

Topics:

• Wednesday 19 January 2022 - Chapter 3: Minding God's Business: Becoming a Parable

• Wednesday 2 February 2022 - Chapter 4: Entertaining Angels Unawares: it is More Blessed to Receive

• Wednesday 16 February 2022 - Chapter 5: Making our Hearts Sing: Let All the People Praise Thee

Wednesday 2 March 2022 - Chapter 6:
 Realizing God's Presence: On Earth as it is in Heaven

• Wednesday 16 March 2022 - Where to next?





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