

WELCOME TO THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF

ST GEORGE

EAST IVANHOE, MELBOURNE

FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

SUNDAY 19 MARCH 2023

7.30am Morning Prayer

8am Holy Communion

Celebrant: Rev'd Kristen Dillon

Preacher: Rev'd Daniel Nyieth

10am Sung Eucharist

Live-streamed on YouTube & available later on Facebook

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Hymns: 376, 129, 407, 398

Introit: *Hearken O Lord, have mercy upon us*

Motet: *Haste thee O God* (Batten)

Postlude: *Herr Jesu Christ, dich zu uns wend* (Bohm)

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.

THIS WEEK

Monday 20 February	8.30am 10am	Morning Prayer Synch and Coord conference
Tuesday 21 February		<i>Vicar's Day off</i>
	11am	Ivanhoe Grammar Chapel - <i>Plenty Campus</i>
Wednesday 22 March	10am	Holy Communion with Prayers for peace in Ukraine
Thursday 23 March		<i>Assistant Curate's day off</i>
Friday 24 March	10am 4.00pm 7.30pm	Holy Communion <i>Benetas, Heidelberg, The Views</i> Ministry Team Weekly Review & Debrief Stations of the Cross. <i>St George's</i>
Saturday 25 March	9am- 2pm	Launch of Community Market
Sunday 26 March		Ezekiel 37.1-14 Psalm 130 Romans 8.6-11 John 11.1-45
<i>Fifth Sunday in Lent</i>	12.30- 1.30pm 5.30pm	Lenten group study (lunch supplied) - <i>East Kew</i> <i>Vicarage 17 Hale St Kew East</i> Jazz Vespers

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'.

INTROIT

Lenten Litany – Hearken O Lord, have mercy upon us

SENTENCE

'I am the light of the world,' says the Lord; 'those who follow me will have the light of life.'

JOHN 8.12

COLLECT

Gracious God,
in order that we children of earth
might discern good from evil
you sent your Son to be the light of the world:
As the light of Christ shines upon us,
may we learn what pleases you,
and live in truth and goodness;
Through the same Jesus Christ our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

A reading from the first book of Samuel

The Lord said to Samuel, ‘How long will you grieve over Saul? I have rejected him from being king over Israel. Fill your horn with oil and set out; I will send you to Jesse the Bethlehemite, for I have provided for myself a king among his sons.’ Samuel said, ‘How can I go? If Saul hears of it, he will kill me.’ And the Lord said, ‘Take a heifer with you, and say, “I have come to sacrifice to the Lord.” Invite Jesse to the sacrifice, and I will show you what you shall do; and you shall anoint for me the one whom I name to you.’ Samuel did what the Lord commanded, and came to Bethlehem. The elders of the city came to meet him trembling, and said, ‘Do you come peaceably?’ He said, ‘Peaceably; I have come to sacrifice to the Lord; sanctify yourselves and come with me to the sacrifice.’ And he sanctified Jesse and his sons and invited them to the sacrifice.

When they came, he looked on Eliab and thought, ‘Surely the Lord’s anointed is now before the Lord.’ But the Lord said to Samuel, ‘Do not look on his appearance or on the height of his stature, because I have rejected him; for the Lord does not see as mortals see; they look on the outward appearance, but the Lord looks on the heart.’ Then Jesse called Abinadab, and made him pass before Samuel. He said, ‘Neither has the Lord chosen this one.’ Then Jesse made Shammah pass by. And he said, ‘Neither has the Lord chosen this one.’ Jesse made seven of his sons pass before Samuel, and Samuel said to Jesse, ‘The Lord has not chosen any of these.’ Samuel said to Jesse, ‘Are all your sons here?’ And he said, ‘There remains yet the youngest, but he is keeping the sheep.’ And Samuel said to Jesse, ‘Send and bring him; for we will not sit down until he comes here.’ He sent and brought him in. Now he was ruddy, and had beautiful eyes, and was handsome. The Lord said, ‘Rise and anoint him; for this is the one.’ Then Samuel took the horn of oil, and anointed him in the presence of his brothers; and the spirit of the Lord came mightily upon David from that day forward. Samuel then set out and went to Ramah.

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

PSALM 23



1. The Lord | is my | shepherd :
therefore | can I | lack | nothing.
2. **He will make me lie down in | green | pastures :**
and | lead me • be | side still | waters.
3. He will re | fresh my | soul :
and guide me in right pathways | for his | name's | sake.
4. **Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death I will |**
fear no | evil :
for you are with me ;
your | rod • and your | staff | comfort me.
5. You spread a table before me in the face of | those
who | trouble me :
you have anointed my head with oil | and my | cup •
shall be | full.
6. **Surely your goodness and loving-kindness will**
follow me all the | days • of my | life :
and I shall dwell in the | house • of the | Lord for | ever.

SECOND READING

EPHESIANS 5.8-14

A reading from Paul's letter to the Ephesians

For once you were darkness, but now in the Lord you are light. Live as children of light— for the fruit of the light is found in all that is good and right and true. Try to find out what is pleasing to the Lord. Take no part in the unfruitful works of darkness, but instead expose them. For it is shameful even to mention what such people do secretly; but everything exposed by the light becomes visible, for everything that becomes visible is light. Therefore it says,

‘Sleeper, awake!

Rise from the dead,
and Christ will shine on you.’

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thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Congregation

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

6 Cantor

I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will

9 have the light of life.

12 Congregation

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

The musical notation consists of four staves. The first staff is for the Congregation, with lyrics 'Al - le - lu - jah Al - le - lu - jah Al - le - lu - jah'. The second staff is for the Cantor, with lyrics 'I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will'. The third staff is for the Congregation, with lyrics 'have the light of life.'. The fourth staff is for the Congregation, with lyrics 'Al - le - lu - jah Al - le - lu - jah Al - le - lu - jah'. The numbers 6, 9, and 12 are placed to the left of the second, third, and fourth staves respectively.

them, ‘Is this your son, who you say was born blind? How then does he now see?’ His parents answered, ‘We know that this is our son, and that he was born blind; but we do not know how it is that now he sees, nor do we know who opened his eyes. Ask him; he is of age. He will speak for himself.’ His parents said this because they were afraid of the Jews; for the Jews had already agreed that anyone who confessed Jesus to be the Messiah would be put out of the synagogue. Therefore his parents said, ‘He is of age; ask him.’

So for the second time they called the man who had been blind, and they said to him, ‘Give glory to God! We know that this man is a sinner.’ He answered, ‘I do not know whether he is a sinner. One thing I do know, that though I was blind, now I see.’ They said to him, ‘What did he do to you? How did he open your eyes?’ He answered them, ‘I have told you already, and you would not listen. Why do you want to hear it again? Do you also want to become his disciples?’ Then they reviled him, saying, ‘You are his disciple, but we are disciples of Moses. We know that God has spoken to Moses, but as for this man, we do not know where he comes from.’ The man answered, ‘Here is an astonishing thing! You do not know where he comes from, and yet he opened my eyes. We know that God does not listen to sinners, but he does listen to one who worships him and obeys his will. Never since the world began has it been heard that anyone opened the eyes of a person born blind. If this man were not from God, he could do nothing.’ They answered him, ‘You were born entirely in sins, and are you trying to teach us?’ And they drove him out.

Jesus heard that they had driven him out, and when he found him, he said, ‘Do you believe in the Son of Man?’ He answered, ‘And who is he, sir? Tell me, so that I may believe in him.’ Jesus said to him, ‘You have seen him, and the one speaking with you is he.’ He said, ‘Lord, I believe.’ And he worshipped him. Jesus said, ‘I came into this world for judgement so that those who do not see may see, and those who do see may become blind.’ Some of the Pharisees near him heard this and said to him, ‘Surely we are not blind, are we?’ Jesus said to them, ‘If you were blind, you would not have sin. But now that you say, “We see”, your sin remains.

Priest	Congregation	
		
This is the Gospel of the Lord	Praise to you Lord Jes - us	Christ

SURSUM CORDA

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

Haste thee O God

Adrian Batten (1591-1637)

POSTLUDE

Herr Jesu Christ, dich zu uns wend

Georg Bohm (1661- 1733)

PARISH PRAYERS

Murray Steele, Bill Pearson, Dr Helen Kouzmin, The Rt Rev'd Andrew St John, Wayne Oswald, Gabriel Pronobis, Alan Tracey, Louise Miller, Bella Saadala, David Nolte, Dorothy Maher, Anthony Schiavone, Caroline Miley, Elizabeth Appleby, Karen Derbyshire, Max Pearce, Stephen 'Spud' Murphy, Lesley Tracey, Frank McFall, Leanne Barker, Paul Finch, Colin Derbyshire, Rebecca Bowden, The Malek family, Denise Hall, Katie Pittle, Hannah, Nan McCulloch 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 pray for Father Daniel's Family in Kenya and Sudan, that they remain in full health.

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

PRAYER FOR GROWTH

God of Mission
who alone brings growth to your Church,
send your Holy Spirit to give
vision to our planning,
wisdom to our actions,
joy to our worship,
and power to our witness.
Help our church to grow in numbers,
in spiritual commitment to you,
and in service to our local community,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

PRAYER FOR MISSION PARTNER

Anglican Board of Mission Australia

This year, the Anglican Board of Mission (ABM) Lent and Good Friday appeal is in support of the inspirational work of the Anglican Diocese of Jerusalem and the Middle East, in support of the many children and young people living in extreme hardship in places such as Gaza. We pray for these children and this work. Follow the link to further details of the appeal:

<https://www.abmission.org/appeals/appeals-major/lent2023/>



YEAR'S MIND

Mar 19	Phyllis KNORR	1987
Mar 19	Ronald DWYER	1996
Mar 20	Mabel LAWLER	1982
Mar 20	Douglas MOYES	1997
Mar 21	Ruby DURANT	1989
Mar 21	Kit ALEXANDER	1996
Mar 21	Bruce SKEGGS	2013
Mar 21	Ina ENGLAND	2013
Mar 21	Maree GRIERSON	2019
Mar 22	Willie PITCHER	1953
Mar 22	Fr James NOONEY	1983
Mar 22	Anne HUMPHRIES	1980
Mar 22	Margaret McCULLOCH	1989
Mar 22	Kathleen HOWITT	1997
Mar 23	Ellen DUNLOP	1990
Mar 23	Margaret TURNER	1995
Mar 23	Lindsay HOURIGAN	1996
Mar 23	Grace PITTS	1998
Mar 25	Ada JOHNSON	1971
Mar 25	Alice FRANKLIN	1982
Mar 25	Helen DUNLOP	1990
Mar 25	Fr Dudley McGRATH	1996
Mar 25	Valerie DE RUN	2013



Please encourage your friends, family and neighbours to 'like' and 'follow' us on Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/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 initiatives.

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, online via this link:

<https://stgeorgeseastivanhoe.org/online>

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

Opportunities to serve

The call of God upon us, is to a life of love and service to Him and one another. Have you prayerfully considered how God might want you to serve at St George's? There are a variety of roles currently unfilled. Please step out in faith trusting God for his enabling and ask John how you could be serving particularly around hospitality and prayer.

Lenten Group Study (lunch supplied)

Sundays 12.30 - 1.30 at the Kew East vicarage (17 Hale st). God is on the journey, too. Chris Monaghan. Reflections and questions on God's presence amongst us. Includes images and quotes of wisdom from ancient and contemporary sources shedding light on this time of grace.

Ecumenical Stations of the Cross

Join us at 7.30pm each Friday in Lent for our ecumenical Stations of the Cross in partnership with Ivanhoe Catholic Parish. This year we will alternate between St George's and St Bernadette's Catholic Church in Ivanhoe. A relatively short, but powerful liturgy embracing contemporary materials provided by our friends and neighbours.

March 24 St. George's

March 31 St. Bernadette's (89 Bond St Ivanhoe)

Sustainable Ivanhoe presents

Urban Forest Strategy forums

Banyule has developed a draft Urban Forest Strategy and we want to know what you think! Come along to one of our forums to hear about the draft Strategy and ask key Council staff questions about this important work.

Greensborough, Tuesday 21 March 2023, 6.30pm - 7.30pm WaterMarc/
Banyule City Council offices, Level 4, 1 Flintoff Street, Greensborough

Online, Thursday 23 March, 6.30pm - 7.30pm

You can access the website here: <https://shaping.banyule.vic.gov.au/UrbanForest>

Towards Zero Waste forums

Are you interested in the future of waste at Banyule? Your voice is important to help us get this right! As the Towards Zero Waste Management Plan (TZWMP) 2018-23 expires, Council are creating the next 4-year plan to deliver Council's 10-year vision. Come to these forums to hear about our plans for waste and be involved in identifying actions to help Council reduce waste into the future.

Greensborough, Tuesday 28 March, 6pm to 7.30pm, WaterMarc/Banyule City Council offices, Level 4, 1 Flintoff Street, Greensborough Ivanhoe - Thursday 30 March, 6pm to 7.30pm Ivanhoe Learning and Cultural Hub, Wilim Ngarrgu Room 275 Upper Heidelberg Road

Transition 3081 newsletter

Have a read here: <https://mailchi.mp/2888419c8b77/grapevine-march2023-5752225?e=a4882e7e74>

LENTEN GUIDE - follow up from McKinney lecture

The Palestine Israel Ecumenical Network (PIEN) has produced a Lenten guide for 2023 with reflections on Palestine / Israel.

Andrew Telfer spent time as an Ecumenical Accompanier with the EAPPI program. Having recently returned from three months living in the West Bank, Andrew has first-hand stories to share, of the context to what is currently unfolding in the Holy Land. We have also drawn upon the excellent resources Sabeel Palestine produce, to add some personal elements that you can apply each week. Please engage with the information they produce through Kumi Now and respond to their suggested actions, along with prayers we have sourced from the Sabeel Wave of Prayer.

The information above can be found on this website: <https://www.melbcatholic.org/s/ivanhoe>

Planned Giving Envelopes

Some users have not noticed that like the old monthly sets of envelopes the new yearly sets are dated for each Sunday from Oct 2022 - 24 Sept. To assist with recording please ensure you use the envelope relating to that particular Sunday, or appropriate sundays if you are catching up. - Pam Cristiano, Parish Recorder

Save the date

26th March - Launch East Ivanhoe Community Market.

In partnership with East Ivanhoe Primary School and Diamond Valley Community Support Services.

26th March JAZZ VESPERS CHANGE OF DATE

Palm Sunday Walk for Justice for Refugees 2023

Sunday 2 April at 1:30

Guest speakers include Dr Monique Ryan MP, people with lived experience of bridging visas and Temporary Protection Visas, and faith leaders such as Ukrainian Bishop Mykola Bychok. Melbourne Anglicans will meet at 1.50pm in front of the State Library under the diocesan banner, 'Anglicans Walking Together –Justice for Refugees'. Please invite friends, church and family to stand in solidarity with refugees and people seeking asylum.

For updates on the event, see the Facebook page:<https://m.facebook.com/events/1607844152985818?mibextid=Z0UBBX>



Jazz Vespers is back in town

Jazz Vespers with a twist of Dixie!, Come along to listen, tap your feet, holler and take part in a joyous Jazz Vespers, performed by some of Melbourne's finest Jazz Musicians.

Location: St Georges East Ivanhoe
47-51 Warncliffe Road, Ivanhoe East

Time: 5.30pm to 6:45pm

Date: Sunday 26 March 2023

Tickets: No need to book tickets

Refreshments will be served afterwards

Bring your friends, family and neighbours, as always all are made welcome at St George's.

St George's Joyful Jazzmen

Peter Gaudion - Trumpet

Graeme Pender - Clarinet

Ray Lewis - Trombone

Richard Mander - Double Bass

Peter McKay - Piano



Join us for a day jam packed with: food, crafts, and fun family activities



Saturday 25 March, 9am - 1pm

 35 - 51 Warncliffe Rd,
Ivanhoe East

Stalls



Music and
entertainment



Plants, art, crafts
and more



Food stalls



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