

WELCOME TO THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF
ST GEORGE
EAST IVANHOE, MELBOURNE

FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT
SUNDAY 26 MARCH 2023

7.30am Morning Prayer

8am Holy Communion

Celebrant: Rev'd Daniel Nyieth

Preacher: The Vicar

10am Choral Eucharist

Live-streamed on YouTube & available later on Facebook

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Hymns: 320, 165(ii), 463, 141(ii)

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

Motet: *See how the righteous one perisheth* (plainchant)

Postlude: *O Lamm Gottes, unschuldig* (Bach)

Organist: Roger Brown

12.30pm Lenten Study at St Paul's vicarage

**4.00pm Mothers Union service at St Paul's
cathedral**

5.30pm Jazz Vespers



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 27	8.30am	Morning Prayer
February	10am	Synch and Coord conference
Tuesday 28		<i>Vicars Day Off</i>
February	11am	Year 10 chapel service Plenty campus Ivanhoe Grammar School
	12-2pm	Whitehorse Deanery meeting at <i>Holy Trinity Doncaster</i>
Wednesday 29 March	10am	Holy Communion with Prayers for peace in Ukraine
Thursday 30 March		<i>Assistant Curate's day off</i>
	3pm	Meeting at St Georges Banyule Churches together
Friday 31 March	10am	Holy Communion <i>Benetas, Heidelberg, The Views</i>
	4.00pm	Ministry Team Weekly Review & Debrief
	7.30pm	Stations of the Cross. <i>St Bernadette's</i>
Saturday 1 April		
Sunday 2 April		Isaiah 50.4-9a Psalm 31.9-18 Phillipians 2.5-11 Matthew 26.14-27.66
<i>Sixth Sunday in Lent</i>		
<i>Sunday of the Passion</i>	12.30-1.30pm	Lenten group study (lunch supplied) - <i>East Kew vicarage 17 Hale St, Kew East</i>
	1.30pm	Palm Sunday Walk for Justice for Refugees

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 resurrection and the life,' says the Lord; 'whoever lives and believes in me shall never die.'

JOHN 11.25-26

COLLECT

Life-giving God,

your Son came into the world

to free us all from sin and death:

breathe upon us with the power of your Spirit,

that we may be raised to new life in Christ,

and serve you in holiness and righteousness all our days;

through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord,

who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

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

A reading from the prophecy of Ezekiel

The hand of the Lord came upon me, and he brought me out by the spirit of the Lord and set me down in the middle of a valley; it was full of bones. He led me all round them; there were very many lying in the valley, and they were very dry. He said to me, 'Mortal, can these bones live?' I answered, 'O Lord God, you know.' Then he said to me, 'Prophesy to these bones, and say to them: O dry bones, hear the word of the Lord. Thus says the Lord God to these bones: I will cause breath to enter you, and you shall live. I will lay sinews on you, and will cause flesh to come upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and you shall live; and you shall know that I am the Lord.'

So I prophesied as I had been commanded; and as I prophesied, suddenly there was a noise, a rattling, and the bones came together, bone to its bone. I looked, and there were sinews on them, and flesh had come upon them, and skin had covered them; but there was no breath in them. Then he said to me, 'Prophesy to the breath, prophesy, mortal, and say to the breath: Thus says the Lord God: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live.' I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived, and stood on their feet, a vast multitude.

Then he said to me, 'Mortal, these bones are the whole house of Israel. They say, "Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are cut off completely." Therefore prophesy, and say to them, Thus says the Lord God: I am going to open your graves, and bring you up from your graves, O my people; and I will bring you back to the land of Israel. And you shall know that I am the Lord, when I open your graves, and bring you up from your graves, O my people. I will put my spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you on your own soil; then you shall know that I, the Lord, have spoken and will act, says the Lord.'

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

PSALM 130



- 1 Out of the depths have I called to | you O | Lord:
Lord | hear | my | voice;
- 2 **O let your ears con|sider | well:
the | voice . of my | supplication.**
- 3 If you Lord should note what | we do | wrong:
who | then O | Lord could | stand?
- 4 **But there is for|giveness .with | you:
so that | you | shall be | feared.**
- 5 I wait for the Lord * my | soul | waits for him:
and | in his | word . is my | hope.
- 6 **My soul | looks . for the | Lord:
more than watchmen for the morning
more I say than | watchmen | for the | morning.**



- 7 O Israel trust in the Lord
for with the | Lord • . there is | mercy:
and with | him is | ample .re|demption.
- 8 **He will redeem | Israel:
from the | multi-tude | of his | sins.**

SECOND READING

ROMANS 8.6-11

A reading from Paul's letter to the Romans

To set the mind on the flesh is death, but to set the mind on the Spirit is life and peace. For this reason the mind that is set on the flesh is hostile to God; it does not submit to God's law—indeed it cannot, and those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

But you are not in the flesh; you are in the Spirit, since the Spirit of God dwells in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him. But if Christ is in you, though the body is dead because of sin, the Spirit is life because of righteousness. If the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, he who raised Christ from the dead will give life to your mortal bodies also through his Spirit that dwells in you.

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

I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord;

8 whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will ne - ver die.

12 Congregation

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

The musical notation consists of four staves of music in a single system. The first staff is for the Congregation and contains three measures of music with the lyrics 'Al - le - lu - jah'. The second staff is for the Cantor and contains two measures of music with the lyrics 'I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord;'. The third staff is for the Congregation and contains three measures of music with the lyrics 'whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will ne - ver die.'. The fourth staff is for the Congregation and contains three measures of music with the lyrics 'Al - le - lu - jah'. The music is written in a simple, melodic style with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat.

GOSPEL

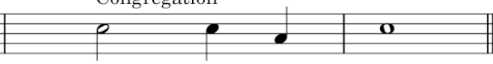
JOHN 11.1-45

The Lord be with you,
and also with you.



Hear the Gospel of the Lord according to - Glory to you Lord Jes - us Christ
Now a certain man was ill, Lazarus of Bethany, the village of Mary and her sister Martha. Mary was the one who anointed the Lord with perfume and wiped his feet with her hair; her brother Lazarus was ill. So the sisters sent a message to Jesus, 'Lord, he whom you love is ill.' But when Jesus heard it, he said, 'This illness does not lead to death; rather it is for God's glory, so that the Son of God may be glorified through it.' Accordingly, though Jesus loved Martha and her sister and Lazarus, after having heard that Lazarus was ill, he stayed two days longer in the place where he was. Then after this he said to the disciples, 'Let us go to Judea again.' The disciples said to him, 'Rabbi, the Jews were just now trying to stone you, and are you going there again?' Jesus answered, 'Are there not twelve hours of daylight? Those who walk during the day do not stumble, because they see the light of this world. But those who walk at night stumble, because the light is not in them.' After saying this, he told them, 'Our friend Lazarus has fallen asleep, but I am going there to awaken him.' The disciples said to him, 'Lord, if he has fallen asleep, he will be all right.' Jesus, however, had been speaking about his death, but they thought that he was referring merely to sleep. Then Jesus told them plainly, 'Lazarus is dead. For your sake I am glad I was not there, so that you may believe. But let us go to him.' Thomas, who was called the Twin, said to his fellow-disciples, 'Let us also go, that we may die with him.' When Jesus arrived, he found that Lazarus had already been in the tomb for four days. Now Bethany was near Jerusalem, some two miles away, and many of the Jews had come to Martha and Mary to console them about their brother. When Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she went and met him, while Mary stayed at home. Martha said to Jesus, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died. But even now I know that God will give you whatever you ask of him.' Jesus said to her, 'Your brother will rise again.' Martha said

to him, 'I know that he will rise again in the resurrection on the last day.' Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?' She said to him, 'Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one coming into the world.' When she had said this, she went back and called her sister Mary, and told her privately, 'The Teacher is here and is calling for you.' And when she heard it, she got up quickly and went to him. Now Jesus had not yet come to the village, but was still at the place where Martha had met him. The Jews who were with her in the house, consoling her, saw Mary get up quickly and go out. They followed her because they thought that she was going to the tomb to weep there. When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.' When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, 'Where have you laid him?' They said to him, 'Lord, come and see.' Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, 'See how he loved him!' But some of them said, 'Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?' Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, 'Take away the stone.' Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, 'Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead for four days.' Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?' So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upwards and said, 'Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.' When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, 'Lazarus, come out!' The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, 'Unbind him, and let him go.' Many of the Jews therefore, who had come with Mary and had seen what Jesus did, believed in him.

<p>Priest</p> 	<p>Congregation</p> 
<p>This is the Gospel of the Lord</p>	<p>Praise to you Lord Jes - us Christ</p>

SURSUM CORDA

Priest

3 The Lord be with you
Congregation

5 And Al - so with you
Priest

7 Lift up your hearts
Congregation

9 We lift them to the Lord
Priest

12 Let us give thanks to the Lord our God
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

See how the righteous one perisheth

Plainchant

POSTLUDE

O Lamm Gottes, unschuldig BWV 618

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

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, Colin Summerbell 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 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

Mar 26	William HOWITT	1960
Mar 26	Elizabeth MCCULLOCH	1998
Mar 26	Mick HULL	1995
Mar 27	Henry DAY	1979
Mar 27	Eric MORRISON	1981
Mar 27	Charles LONGNEY	1986
Mar 28	Eunice WALTON	2005
Mar 28	Herbert WATTS	1989
Mar 28	Joan PHILLIPS	2019
Mar 29	Lindsay ATKINS	1941
Mar 29	Eva SHOVELTON	1976
Mar 29	Angus CARMICHAEL	1995
Mar 30	Agnes CLEVERDON	1984
Apr 1	Mrs Margaret MEE	2020
Apr 1	Alice PHILLIPS	1970
Apr 1	Jackie COOKE	2008
Apr 1	Fay FRASER	2008
Apr 1	Hank LEMEREIS	2014



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 Street). 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.

Mothers' Union Annual Lady Day Service

4pm 26 March at St Paul's cathedral.

You are warmly invited to attend the Festival Choral Eucharist for The Mothers' Union. Bishop Kate Prowd will preach, and the Dean will preside. All welcome! For further information, contact the Precentor, Heather Patacca: precentor@stpaulscathedral.org.au

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

Sustainable Ivanhoe presents

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

Renew Australia online presentations.

These presentations range from exploring modular homes, solar energy to lowering your energy bills.

Detailed information can be found via the link below:

<https://mailchi.mp/renew/shd-program-1032318?e=8d30dbc233>

Transition 3081 newsletter

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

East Ivanhoe Village Project

As part of the project, community members are being asked to select a preferred option for Burton Crescent.

Visit - <https://shaping.banyule.vic.gov.au/eastivanhoe> to view the plans and complete the survey.

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

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>

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS APRIL 2

7th April Banyule churches Good Friday Walk of witness 12pm - 1.30pm

23rd April – Choral Evensong for St George



BUCKINGHAM PALACE

24th February, 2023

To: The Parishioners of St George East Ivanhoe

The King has asked me to thank you for your kind letter of 15th September. I apologise for the delay in our reply; as I am sure you will appreciate, His Majesty has received a large volume of post in recent months.

The King is most grateful to you for taking the trouble to write as you did; he was particularly touched by your kind words of support and has asked me to send you his warmest thanks and very best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Correspondence Secretary

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