



ST GEORGE'S EAST IVANHOE

The church at the heart of the village

Third Sunday After Pentecost

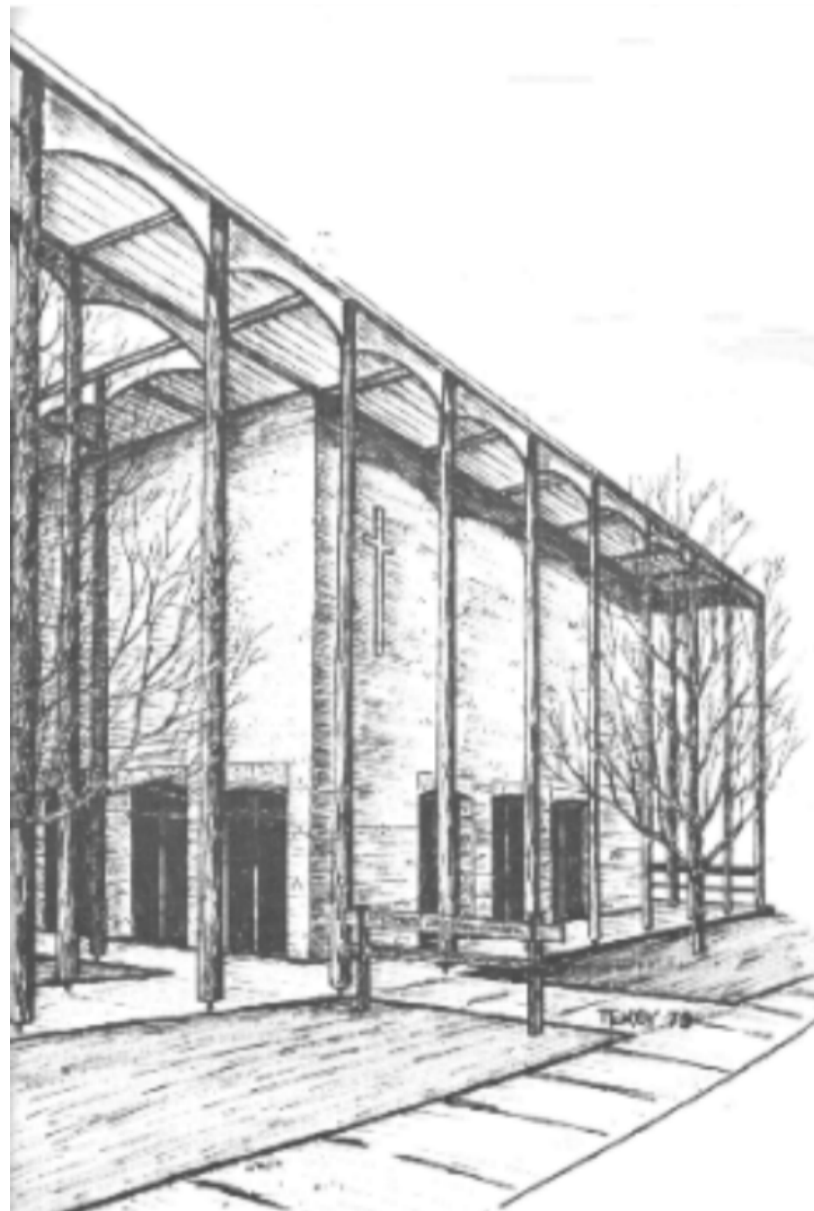
Holy Communion and Choral Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: Reverend Chaplain Soma

Gathering in God's Name

Sunday 14th June 2026

8am & 10am



All are welcome in this sacred space.

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 believe in God - the beauty of transcendent holiness, present in our connectedness; and in caring for all in need.

Our Giving

St Georges provides an Offertory Box located at the back right pew for your giving.

We do not pass collection plates during regular services.

You may give via bank transfer at any time, please use:

St George East Ivanhoe

BSB: 633 000 Account Number: 122088198

*Please reference as "Giving."

St Georges is totally self-funded and gives to a number of varied and worthy beneficiaries.

Significant giving goes to our nominated Mission Partners to uplift lives, nurture hope, and foster positive change both locally and

Across the globe

MUSIC FOR THE SERVICE

Introit:

R V Williams – O taste and see

Hymns:

80 - Immortal Invisible

447 - Thee we praise

362 – What shall we offer

271 - Lift High the Cross

Communion Motet:

C Franck – Panis angelicus

Psalm: 116.1-2, 11-18

Postlude : J G Walther – Gott des Himmels und der Erden

Organist: Cyril Thomas

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 (APBA).'

INTROIT: R V Williams – O taste and see

HYMN

80 - Immortal Invisible

SENTENCE

We have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand.

Romans 5.1–2

COLLECT

All powerful God,

In Jesus Christ you turned death into life,

and defeat into victory:

increase our faith and trust in him,

that we may triumph over evil,

in the strength of the same Jesus Christ our Lord,

who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

one God, for ever and ever. Amen

FIRST READING:

Genesis 18.1-15

¹ The Lord appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day.

² He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them, and bowed down to the ground.

³ He said, ‘My lord, if I find favour with you, do not pass by your servant.

⁴ Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree.

⁵ Let me bring a little bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant.’ So they said, ‘Do as you have said.’

⁶ And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah, and said, ‘Make ready quickly three measures of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes.’

⁷ Abraham ran to the herd, and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it.

⁸ Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them; and he stood by them under the tree while they ate.

⁹ They said to him, ‘Where is your wife Sarah?’ And he said, ‘There, in the tent.’

¹⁰ Then one said, ‘I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son.’ And Sarah was listening at the tent entrance behind him.

¹¹ Now Abraham and Sarah were old, advanced in age; it had ceased to be with Sarah after the manner of women.

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¹² So Sarah laughed to herself, saying, ‘After I have grown old, and my husband is old, shall I have pleasure?’

¹³ The Lord said to Abraham, ‘Why did Sarah laugh, and say, “Shall I indeed bear a child, now that I am old?”’

¹⁴ Is anything too wonderful for the Lord ? At the set time I will return to you, in due season, and Sarah shall have a son.’

¹⁵ But Sarah denied, saying, ‘I did not laugh’; for she was afraid. He said, ‘Oh yes, you did laugh.’

Hear the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Psalm 116.1-2, 11-18

¹ I love the Lord, because he heard my voice:
the voice of my supplication;

² **Because he inclined his ear to me:
in the day that I called to him.**

¹¹ How shall I repay the Lord:
for all his benefits to me?

¹² **I will take up the cup of salvation:
and call upon the name of the Lord.**

¹³ I will pay my vows to the Lord:
in the presence of all his people.

¹⁴ **Grievous in the sight of the Lord:
is the death of his faithful ones.**

¹⁵ O Lord, I am your servant,
your servant and the child of your handmaid:
you have unloosed my bonds.

¹⁶ **I will offer you a sacrifice of thanksgiving:
and call upon the name of the Lord.**

¹⁷ I will pay my vows to the Lord:
in the presence of all his people,

¹⁸ **In the courts of the house of the Lord:
even in your midst, O Jerusalem. Praise the Lord.**

SECOND READING

Romans 5.1-11

- ¹ Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,
- ² through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God.
- ³ And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance,
- ⁴ and endurance produces character, and character produces hope,
- ⁵ and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.
- ⁶ For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly.
- ⁷ Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die.
- ⁸ But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.
- ⁹ Much more surely then, now that we have been justified by his blood, will we be saved through him from the wrath of God.
- ¹⁰ For if while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of his Son, much more surely, having been reconciled, will we be saved by his life.
- ¹¹ But more than that, we even boast in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

GRADUAL HYMN: 447 - Thee we praise

GOSPEL:

Matthew 9.35-10.8

³⁵ Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness.

³⁶ When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. ³⁷ Then he said to his disciples, ‘The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; ³⁸ therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.’

¹ Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness.

² These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John;

³ Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax-collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus;

⁴ Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

⁵ These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: ‘Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans,

⁶ but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.

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⁷ As you go, proclaim the good news, “The kingdom of heaven has come near.”

⁸ Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

ORDER OF SERVICE 10AM

THE HOMILY APBA P122

THE CREED APBA P123

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE APBA P124

INVITATION TO CONFESSION APBA P126

God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy,
welcoming sinners and inviting them to the lord's table.

Silence may be kept

Let us therefore bring our sins before the one true God,
in penitence and faith.

THE GREETING OF PEACE APBA P127

HYMN: 362 – What shall we offer

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING 3 APBA P133

PLEASE COME FORWARD FOR COMMUNION

PARISH NOTICES/ANNOUNCEMENTS

FINAL HYMN:

271 – Lift High the Cross

PARISH PRAYERS

Mary and Richard Hoy, Peter McKay, Pam Hill, Lynda Baddock, Scott Elias, Julian Grigg, Noel, Paul Finch, Murray Steel, Pat, Fay Norton-Old, Carmen, Margaret Windisch, Bob and Anne Hill, Syrus and Brigitte, David Nolte, Anne Farquhar and Mandy

We pray for all those who mourn. As we remember those who have died in recent days, we also recall with love and affection those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time.

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.



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**

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YEARS MIND

Jun 15	Dr Michael ROBERTS	2023
Jun 15	Nelle SATCHELL	1982
Jun 15	Loris YATES	1977
Jun 16	Beverly COLLIER	1994
Jun 16	Kylie STEVENS	1982
Jun 16	Walter DOWELL	1985
Jun 17	Rose VOISEY	1986
Jun 18	Beatrice GILBERT	1983
Jun 18	John MORGAN	1994
Jun 19	Reginald BOND	1988
Jun 20	Mrs Lila SANDERS	2019
Jun 20	Norma POTTER	2016
Jun 21	Natasha HOLMES	1988

PARISH NOTICES

We Welcome the Visiting South Sudanese Equatoria Choir

The South Sudanese Equatoria Choir will be singing during the 10:00 am church service on the 21st June 2026.

Following the service, the choir will briefly continue their musical presentation in the Evans Hall. Everyone is warmly invited to join us for this special occasion

Friends of St George's Garden Working Bee

Saturday 20th June 9 AM START.

Weeding, Rose Pruning, & Cutting Back.

Gardeners Welcome anytime

See Alison or phone 0408 032 089

Parish Prayers

Please advise Rev Chaplain of anybody you wish to be included in Sunday Parish Prayers by no later than Wednesday 17th June.

Thank you.

Pew Bulletin

Hi everyone, please note that any inclusions/changes you want to make to the weekly Pew Bulletin are to be emailed to Paul Smith

Upcoming Events

Sunday 28th-June: Jazz Vespers 5.30pm


Saturday 11th July 2026 -Bring & Share Supper -
6.15pm for 6.30pm start in Evans Hall

LIVE-STREAMING OF SERVICES

We live-stream our 10am service and other events via our YouTube channel, (St George's 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.

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THE WEEK AHEAD

Day	Time(s)	Event
Monday 15 June		Vicars' day off
Tuesday 16 June		
Wednesday 17 June	9.30am midday	Rev Chaplain available in church
Thursday 18 June	9.30am- midday8pm	Rev Chaplain available in church Choir practice in Meeting room
Friday 19 June	10am	Communion service at Benetas, with Rev. Chaplain
Saturday 20 June		
Sunday 21 June	8am 10am	Holy Communion Choral Eucharist
<i>Fourth Sunday after Pentecost</i>		Genesis 21.8-21 Psalm 86.1-10, 16-17 Romans 6.1-11 Mathews 10.24-39

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READERS ROSTER

SUNDAY	READER
14 th June Third Sunday after Pentecost	David Morgan
21 st June Fourth Sunday after Pentecost	Reg Steele
28 th June Fifth Sunday after Pentecost	Marea Howse
5 th July Sixth Sunday after Pentecost	Barry Wilkes

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10 AM SUNDAY MORNING TEA ROSTER

June 14 th	Marita & Cheryl
June 21 st	Denise & George
June 28 th	Ros
July 5 th	Alison

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ST GEORGES is LOOKING for ADMINISTRATIVE HELP

Job Description

Initially, the person will produce our weekly church bulletins in Microsoft Word. The position may then grow into handling correspondence maintaining records and maybe some bookkeeping duties later. This person is a first point of contact for church members and visitors so will have a welcoming and organised nature.

Key Responsibilities

- Produce bulletins and other printed material.
- Maintain records for membership, finances, and church operations
- Help to coordinate church calendars, meetings, and events

Qualifications & Skills

- Organisational and communication skills
- Proficiency with Microsoft Word
- Ability to work independently, prioritise tasks, and meet deadlines

The person will be remunerated,

This position can be a great addition to your Career CV

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