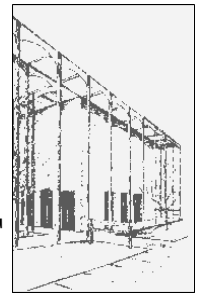
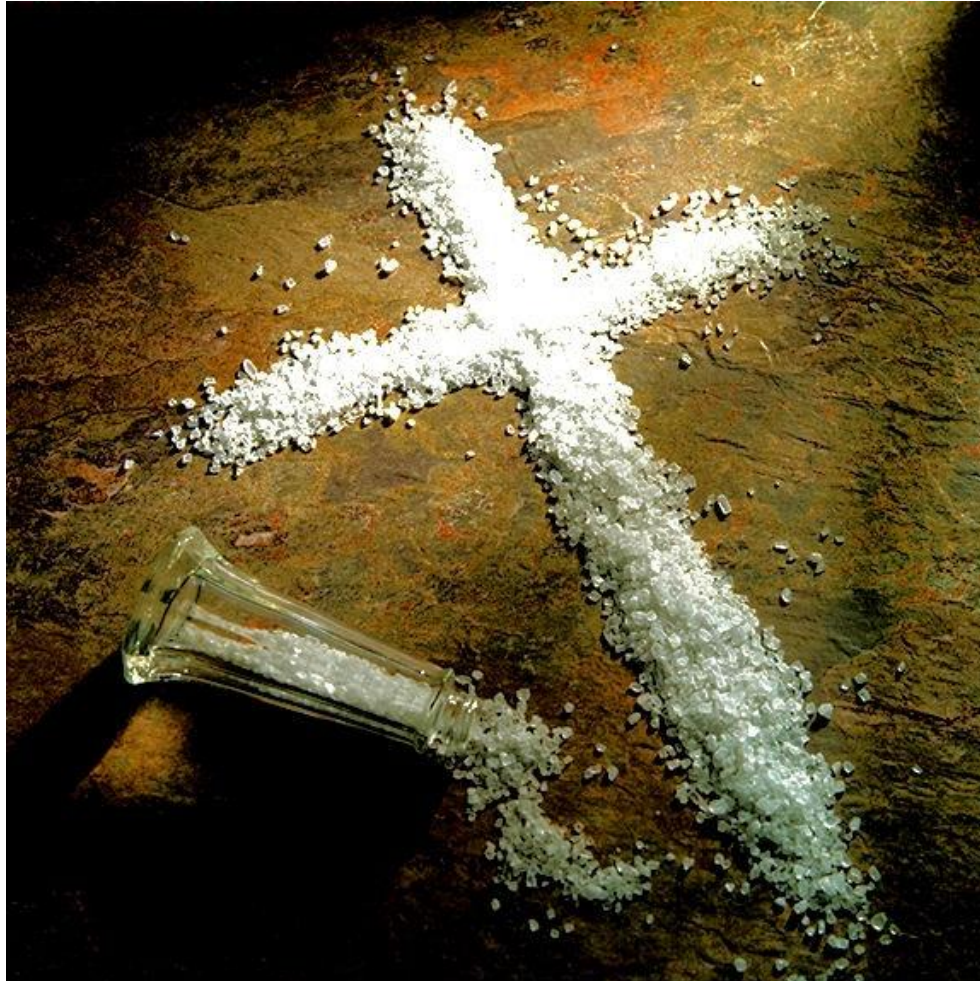


ST. GEORGE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
WARNCLIFFE ROAD, EAST IVANHOE



NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
30th SEPTEMBER 2018



SUNDAY

8:00 am Said Eucharist
 10:00 am Sung Eucharist

WEDNESDAY

10:00 am Said Eucharist

FRIDAY

10:00 am Holy Communion – Dowell Court

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SERVICE ROSTER FOR TODAY

Celebrant:	Fr Barry Fernley
Organist:	Cyril Thomas
Servers:	Chris Hayward, Sandra O'Grady, Joan Skene
Eucharistic Assistants:	Alison Smart
Readers:	Alan Tracey
Sides person:	Bob Hill, Ian James
Morning Tea:	Pat Oswald, Leanne
Flowers	Rosemary Cotter
Church Cleaning	Mary and Richard Hoy

SERVICE ROSTER FOR NEXT SUNDAY 7th OCTOBER

Celebrant:	Fr Barry Fernley
Organist:	Roger Brown
Servers:	Chris Hayward, Neil Appleby, Joan Skene
Eucharistic Assistants:	Server
Readers:	Barry Wilkes
Sides person:	Bob Hill, Rosemary Cotter
Morning Tea:	Rosemary
Flowers	Alison Smart

From our Locum

The Book of Psalms contains many of the songs that were sung in the Jewish services in the temple and synagogue. Jewish people also read them at the meal table in their homes on the various festival dates. The Psalms also reminded them of a God who was active in the story of their Jewish nation.

Psalm 124 is written to remind them of the God who acted on their behalf when they left Egypt for the Promised Land under the leadership of Moses and Joshua. One of the key words of the Book of Deuteronomy is Remember and this Psalm reminds them of His great acts in their story as the chosen People of God.

This idea of remembrance is used by Jesus in the Last Supper in the Upper Room as the disciples remembered the Jewish Festival of the Passover when He says "Do this in remembrance of me".

The human memory is a wonderful thing and from time to time it is good to remember not just the pivotal aspects of our Lord's life, death and resurrection but also the verses from the Bible and even hymns that will encourage us in our faith. There may also be quotes from great Christian writers that will also enhance the faith which is ours.

As most of you know, as part of the ministry of this parish I visit Dowell Court every Friday morning and as part of that service various hymns are sung. Of all the hymns the one that is sung most lustily is the hymn which many were taught in Sunday School:

"Jesus loves me this I know For the Bible tells me so."

Although many of the people in the service at Dowell Court find following the

service a little difficult, the singing of this hymn and others bring back memories of days gone by. The words are simple and yet have a profound message on all who sing it and as the leader of the group I am reminded of the power of human memory. God invites us all on this day to remember all He has done for us and as the Psalmist says “Our help is in the name of the Lord.”

Fr Barry

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BUILDING MAINTENANCE EMERGENCY CONTACTS:

Steve Howard 9499 6410 or 0400 890020, Alison Smart, Vince Cristiano, George Hall. Any person welcome to join, just ask anyone on the BMC. Please write NON-urgent maintenance items on the Building Maintenance List to be found on the table in the church.

Readings for Sunday October 7th

Job 1.1;2.1-10; Psalm 26; Hebrews 1.1-4;2.5-12; Mark 10.2-16

The Order of Service for the Eucharist commences at Page 119 of the green ‘A Prayer Book for Australia.’ The readings and hymn numbers for today are below.

Introit: Regina Caeli - Soriano

Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia.

For He whom you were worthy to bear, alleluia.

[Now] has risen, as He said, alleluia.

Pray for us to God, alleluia.

Processional 159 All hail the power of Jesus' name

Gradual 139 Jesu lover of my soul

Offertory 529 Son of God, eternal Saviour

Final 417 Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands

Communion Motet: Ego sum panis vivus - Palestrina

I am that bread of life.

Your fathers did eat manna in the wilderness, and are dead.

This is the bread which cometh down from heaven, that a man may eat thereof, and not die.

Postlude: “Bells” from Three Characteristic Pieces by Jean Langlais

Recordings of postludes played at St George’s are posted in the Music section of the church website: stgeorgeseastivanhoe.org

Sentence

Salt is good; but if salt has lost its saltiness, how can it be seasoned?

Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another. Mark 9.50

Collect

O God,

your Son has taught us that those who give a cup of water in his name will not lose their reward:

open our eyes to see those who are in need,
and teach us to set no store by riches and earthly rewards,
so that, in surrendering ourselves to serve you in your children,
we may labour for the treasure that endures;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Almighty God

The giver of all gifts

**By your Holy Spirit you have appointed
Various orders of ministry in your church**

**Look with mercy and favour on
all who are called**

Especially John our priest elect.

Help him to serve you faithfully in this Parish

For the glory of your name

and the benefit of your church and people

Through Jesus Christ our Lord

**Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God now and forever. Amen**

A reading from the book of Esther

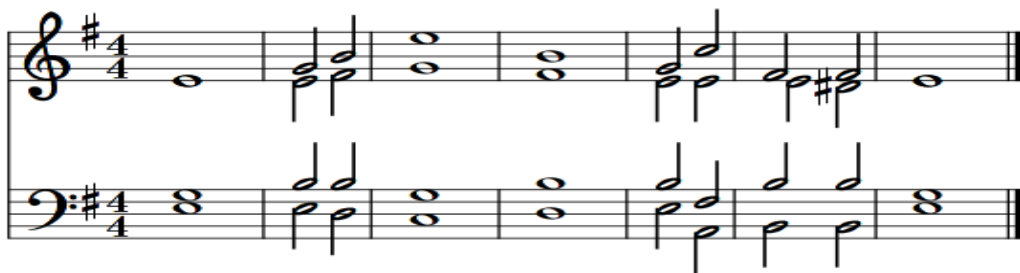
Esther 7.1-6, 9-10; 9.20-22

So the king and Haman went in to feast with Queen Esther. On the second day, as they were drinking wine, the king again said to Esther, 'What is your petition, Queen Esther? It shall be granted you. And what is your request? Even to the half of my kingdom, it shall be fulfilled.' Then Queen Esther answered, 'If I have won your favour, O king, and if it pleases the king, let my life be given me—that is my petition—and the lives of my people—that is my request. For we have been sold, I and my people, to be destroyed, to be killed, and to be annihilated. If we had been sold merely as slaves, men and women, I would have held my peace; but no enemy can compensate for this damage to the king.' Then King Ahasuerus said to Queen Esther, 'Who is he, and where is he, who has presumed to do this?' Esther said, 'A foe and enemy, this wicked Haman!' Then Haman was terrified before the king and the queen.

Then Harbona, one of the eunuchs in attendance on the king, said, ‘Look, the very gallows that Haman has prepared for Mordecai, whose word saved the king, stands at Haman’s house, fifty cubits high.’ And the king said, ‘Hang him on that.’ So they hanged Haman on the gallows that he had prepared for Mordecai. Then the anger of the king abated. Mordecai recorded these things, and sent letters to all the Jews who were in all the provinces of King Ahasuerus, both near and far, enjoining them that they should keep the fourteenth day of the month Adar and also the fifteenth day of the same month, year by year, as the days on which the Jews gained relief from their enemies, and as the month that had been turned for them from sorrow into gladness and from mourning into a holiday; that they should make them days of feasting and gladness, days for sending gifts of food to one another and presents to the poor.

For the Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

Psalm 124



- 1 If the Lord had not been on our side now may | Israel | say:
**if the Lord had not been on our side when our| enemies . rose |
up a|gainst us,**
- 2 Then they would have | swallowed us . a|live:
when their | anger . was | kindled . a|gainst us.
- 3 Then the waters would have overwhelmed us
and the | torrent . gone | over us:
the raging waters | would have | gone clean | over us.



But praised | be the | Lord:

who has not given us as a | prey | to their | teeth

5 We have escaped like a bird from the | snare . of the | fowler:

the snare is | broken . and | we have . gone | free.

6 Our help is in the | name . of the | Lord:

who has | made | heaven . and | earth.

A reading from the letter of James

James 5.12-20

Above all, my beloved, do not swear, either by heaven or by earth or by any other oath, but let your 'Yes' be yes and your 'No' be no, so that you may not fall under condemnation. Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven.

Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. Elijah was a human being like us, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain and the earth yielded its harvest. My brothers and sisters, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and is brought back by another, you should know that whoever brings back a sinner from wandering will save the sinner's soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins. For the Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Your word, O Lord, is truth;
consecrate us in the truth.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

The Lord be with you **and also with you**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

Mark 9.38-50

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

John said to him, 'Teacher, we saw someone casting out demons in your name, and we tried to stop him, because he was not following us.' But

Jesus said, 'Do not stop him; for no one who does a deed of power in my name will be able soon afterwards to speak evil of me. Whoever is not against us is for us. For truly I tell you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you bear the name of Christ will by no means lose the reward. 'If any of you put a stumbling-block before one of these little ones who believe in me, it would be better for you if a great millstone were hung around your neck and you were thrown into the sea. If your hand causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life maimed than to have two hands and to go to hell, to the unquenchable fire. And if your foot causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life lame than to have two feet and to be thrown into hell. , And if your eye causes you to stumble, tear it out; it is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and to be thrown into hell, where their worm never dies, and the fire is never quenched. 'For everyone will be salted with fire. Salt is good; but if salt has lost its saltiness, how can you season it? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another.'

For the Gospel of the Lord **Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ**

Prayers for those in need (list renewed monthly): Satya Ford, John and Betty Bibo, Brian Monteith, Leanne Barker, Lesley Tracey, Paul Finch, Louise Miller, and others known to you.

We pray for those who love and care for them.

Year's Mind

Ivy DAVEY	30th September	1983
William GOODWIN	30th September	1987
Jacquelyn Mary Westacott FARRER	30th September	1986
Raymond James MORGAN	30th September	1988
Violet Adelaide Edith HAMS	1st October	1993
Robert Clyde DEMPSTER	1st October	2006
Dione JENKINSON	3rd October	1994
David John PENMAN -Priest	3rd October	1989
Jessie May GOURLEY	3rd October	2003
Josephine Ann BAKER	3rd October	1991
Ethel Rose THOMAS	4th October	1979
James Wallace DUNN	5th October	1970

Flowers may be given in memory of a loved one or as an offering of thanksgiving. Please contact the Vicar if you would like to contribute.

COMING EVENTS AND SERVICES

Sun 30 th September	Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Sun 7 th October	Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
Sun 7 th October	<i>Morning Tea in Church after 10.00 service followed by visit to the refurbished Vicarage</i>
Sun 14 th October	Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost
Sun 21 st October	Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost
Sat 27 th October	<i>Movie and dinner at Streeton Park</i>
Sun 28 th October	Simon and Jude, Apostles and Martyrs Evensong

MOVIE AND DINNER VICTORIA AND ALBERT

Saturday October 27th 3.00 pm at Streeton Park, 9 Vine Street, Heidelberg
Dinner \$35.00 for 2 courses incl. wine. Limit of 30. (Dinner only – 6.00 pm)
Bookings and payment essential. Robert Stevens 0412397546

ROBERT STEVENS 'CONVICT ART' AFTERNOON.

Robert's talk on his interesting art collection raised \$1010. The Parish Council agreed that the proceeds would go assist people affected in a specific parish in the area affected by the devastating drought in NSW. After some investigation it was decided that it be sent to an area in Bathurst Diocese ministered to by the Companions of the Order of the Good Shepherd.

The Diocese of Bathurst covers a third of NSW stretching from the Blue Mountains to the Qld border and to the far west of NSW.

The Brotherhood of the Good Shepherd was formed in 1903 with its headquarters based at Brotherhood House within the grounds of Holy Trinity Dubbo.

The Company of the Good Shepherd, continues to minister to those living throughout the remote areas north west of NSW including: Bourke, Brewarrina, Cobar, Nyngan, Narromine/Trangie, Tottenham, Condobolin, Warren, Coonamble, Coonabarabran, Gilgandra, Dubbo, Wellington, and everything in between. All are within the area severely affected by the current drought.

The disbursement of the donation will be at the discretion of the Principal of the CGS, Archdeacon Grahame Yager, who has expressed his appreciation of our efforts.