

WELCOME TO THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF

ST GEORGE

IVANHOE EAST, MELBOURNE

ADVENT SUNDAY

SUNDAY 1 DECEMBER 2019

7.30am **Morning Prayer**

8.00am **Eucharist**

10.00am **Sung Eucharist**

Preacher: Fr John Sanderson

Hymns: 193, 195, 441, 200

Motet: *A tender shoot* (Goldschmitt)

Postlude: *Advent Chorale "Lob sei dem
allmachtigen Gott" and
Prelude* (Bach)

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

Tuesday 3 December

Vicar's day off

Marmingatha Episcopate
Clergy Gathering

Wednesday 4 December

10am

Holy Communion

Friday 6 December

10am

Holy Communion

Benetas - Heidelberg - The Views

Sunday 8 December

Second Sunday of Advent

Isaiah 11.1-10

Psalms 72.1-7, 18-21

Romans 15.4-13

Matthew 3.1-12

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

The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news.

MARK I.15

COLLECT

God of all peoples,
whose servant John came baptising and calling for repentance:
help us to hear his voice of judgement,
that we may also rejoice in his word of promise,
and be found pure and blameless in that glorious Day
when Christ comes to rule the earth as Prince of Peace;
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

ISAIAH 2.1-5

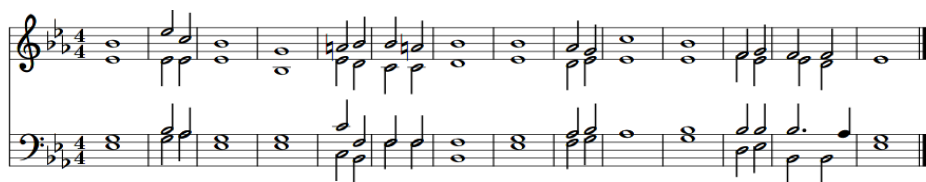
A reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah

The word that Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem. In days to come the mountain of the Lord's house shall be established as the highest of the mountains, and shall be raised above the hills; all the nations shall stream to it. Many peoples shall come and say, 'Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob; that he may teach us his ways and that we may walk in his paths.' For out of Zion shall go forth instruction, and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem. He shall judge between the nations, and shall arbitrate for many peoples; they shall beat their swords into ploughshares, and their spears into pruning-hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall

they learn war any more. O house of Jacob, come, let us walk in the light of the Lord!

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

PSALM 122



1. I was glad when they | said to | me:
‘Let us | go .to the | house .of the | Lord.’
2. **And now our | feet are | standing:
with|in your | gates .O Je|rusalem;**
3. + Jerusalem which is | built . as a | city:
where the | pilgrims | gather .in | unity.
4. **There the tribes go up the | tribes . of the | Lord:
as he commanded Israel
to give | thanks . to the | name . of the | Lord.**
5. There are set | thrones of | judgement:
the | thrones . of the | house of | David.
6. **O pray for the | peace of Je|rusalem:
may | those who | love you | prosper.**
7. Peace be with|in your | walls:
and pros|perity | in your | palaces.
8. **For the sake of my brothers | and com|panions:
I will | pray that | peace be | with you.**

9. For the sake of the house of the | Lord our | God:
I will | seek | for your | good.

SECOND READING

ROMANS 13.9-14

A reading from the Epistle of Paul to the Romans

The commandments, ‘You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet’; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, ‘Love your neighbour as yourself.’ Love does no wrong to a neighbour; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law. Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armour of light; let us live honourably as in the day, not in revelling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarrelling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

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

Show us Lord your love; and grant us your sal - va -

11

tion.

12 Congregation

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

The musical score is written on 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 'Show us Lord your love; and grant us your sal - va -'. The third staff is for the Congregation, with lyrics 'tion.'. The fourth staff is for the Congregation, with lyrics 'Al - le - lu - jah Al - le - lu - jah Al - le - lu - jah'. The score includes bar lines and musical notation such as notes and rests.

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

Glory to you, Lord *Jes-us* Christ.

‘But about that day and hour no one knows, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. For as the days of Noah were, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. For as in those days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day Noah entered the ark, and they knew nothing until the flood came and swept them all away, so too will be the coming of the Son of Man. Then two will be in the field; one will be taken and one will be left. Two women will be grinding meal together; one will be taken and one will be left. Keep awake therefore, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming. But understand this: if the owner of the house had known in what part of the night the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and would not have let his house be broken into. Therefore you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour.

This is the Gospel of the Lord,
praise to you Lord *Je-sus* Christ.

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.**

PARISH PRAYERS

Nina Fudala, Karen Derbyshire, Pat Oswald, Les Barton, Max Pearce, Rosalie Prince, Vince Cristiano, Sylbie, Stephen ‘Spud’ Murphy, Lesley Tracey, Frank Cichello, Frank McFall, Lily Kelcey, Brian Monteith, Leanne Barker, Paul Finch, Josie Cichello-Sanderson and those known to you alone.

We remember all 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 Board of Mission - Australia

God of all, bless the Anglican Board of Mission as it serves the Church in Australia and our partner churches overseas. Inspire its work and its vision that all may come to know your justice, your peace and your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

YEARS MIND

2 December	Robert HOY	1972
2 December	Margaret KITLEY	1972
3 December	Charmain FAULL	1988
4 December	Barbara GEORGES	1992
4 December	Cyril JAMES	1992
4 December	Dorothy SNOW	1990
5 December	Lillian CLARKE	1991
6 December	Philip MOSMAN	1995
6 December	Noelen KELLY	1995
7 December	Brenda HENNIN	1985
7 December	ALAN HILL	1979
7 December	Geoffrey BURKETT	1990

PARISH NOTICES

St Georges East Ivanhoe 2019 Annual Parish Meeting - Election of Officer Bearers

Vicar's Warden: Dr Meron Pitcher

Church Warden: Mrs Denise Hall

Church Warden: Mr Barry Wilkes

Parish Council: Mr Christopher
Hayward, Mrs Joan Skene and Dr

Coral Tudball.

Incumbency Committee: Mr Alan
Tracey and Mrs Linda Simpson

Saturday 7 December - Evening and Formalwear

9.30am-12pm. The Opportunity
Shop will host a special event aimed at
Year 11 & 12 girls, thinking of school
formals in 2020. Share the invitation
with friends, family and neighbours.

Monday 9 December - Opportunity Shop Christmas Lunch

A lunch, 12pm, to thank all those
who have served and supported the
Opportunity Shop in 2019 will be
held in the Evans Hall from 12noon
to 3pm. RSVP to Joan Skene or Mary
Jones.

Saturday 14 December - Parish Bring 'n' Share Dinner

Why not come and join those who
gather for a 'bring and share dinner'
on the second Saturday of each
month. This is an excellent way to
meet new people, and to deepen
existing friendships in an informal
and relaxed environment. This group
currently meet in the Parish Meeting
Room, but given the numbers now
attending we may soon need to move
to a larger room!

When: 6.30pm - 8pm

Where: Parish Meeting Room

Who: The Vicar, Fr John (0408 130 864)

Facebook

Please encourage your family friend
and neighbours to visit, like and
follow our Facebook page
[@StGeorgesEastIvanhoe](#).

A SEASON OF INVITATION

From the Feast of Michael and All Angels through to Christmas Day we will be undertaking a *Season of Invitation*, during which we will invite and welcome back those who have become lapsed in their attendance, and also invite our neighbours, families and friends and come and experience the sacredness and hospitality that is to be found here at St George's.

Our Season of Invitation will feature these key services and events.

Sunday 1 December - *First Sunday of Advent - Peace*

5pm Choral Evensong - The art of giving

Sunday 22 December - *Fourth Sunday of Advent - Love*

9pm Festival of Lessons & Carols by candlelight

Tuesday 24 December - *Christmas Eve - Light*

5pm Children's Liturgy and BBQ

11pm Midnight Mass

Wednesday 25 December - *Birth Of Our Lord - Christmas Day*

9am Choral Eucharist

Light refreshments are served after all services.

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