

WELCOME TO THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF

# ST GEORGE

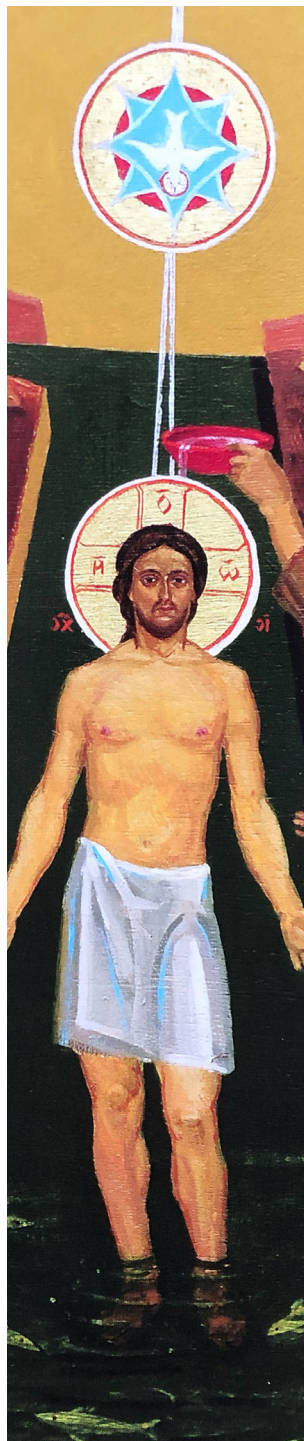
EAST IVANHOE, MELBOURNE

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## THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD

SUNDAY 12 JANUARY 2019

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**7.30am**      **Morning Prayer**

**8.00am**      **Eucharist**

**10.00am**    **Sung Eucharist**

Preacher: Mother Linda Fiske

Hymns: 331, 216, 61, 328

Postlude: *Allegro Vivace* (Handel)

Organist: Cyril Thomas

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MORNING SERVICE SHEET - PLEASE TAKE HOME

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## WELCOME

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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.

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## THIS WEEK

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*Fr John deployed to Victorian Bus Fires*

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<b>Wednesday 15 January</b>	10am	Holy Communion
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<b>Friday 17 January</b>	10am	Holy Communion <i>Benetas - Heidelberg - The Views</i>
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<b>Sunday 19 January</b>		Isaiah 49.1-7
<i>Second Sunday After Epiphany</i>		Psalm 40.1-14
		1 Corinthians 1.1-9
		John 1.29-42

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## 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.*

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## SENTENCE

Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you.

ISAIAH 60.1

## COLLECT

Eternal God,  
who by a star led Magi to the worship of your Son:  
guide the nations of the earth by your light,  
that the whole world may see your glory;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## FIRST READING

ISAIAH 42.1-9

*A reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah*

Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; I have put my spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations. He will not cry or lift up his voice, or make it heard in the street; a bruised reed he will not break, and a dimly burning wick he will not quench; he will faithfully bring forth justice. He will not grow faint or be crushed until he has established justice in the earth; and the coastlands wait for his teaching. Thus says God, the Lord, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread out the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people upon it and spirit to those who walk in it: I am the Lord, I have called you in righteousness, I have taken you by the hand and kept you; I have given you as a covenant to the people, a light to the nations, to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness. I am the Lord, that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to idols. See, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth, I tell you of them.

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

## PSALM 29

1. Ascribe to the Lord, you powers of heaven:  
ascribe to the Lord glory and might.
2. **Ascribe to the Lord the honour due to his name:  
O worship the Lord in the beauty of his holiness.**
3. The voice of the Lord is upon the waters:  
the God of glory thunders,  
the Lord upon the great waters.
4. **The voice of the Lord is mighty in operation:  
the voice of the Lord is a glorious voice.**
5. The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar-trees:  
the Lord breaks in pieces the cedars of Lebanon.

- 6. He makes them skip like a calf:  
Lebanon and Sirion like a young wild ox.**
7. The voice of the Lord divides the lightning-flash:  
the voice of the Lord whirls the sands of the desert,  
the Lord whirls the desert of Kadesh.
- 8. The voice of the Lord rends the terebinth trees,  
and strips bare the forests:  
in his temple all cry ‘Glory.’**
9. The Lord sits enthroned above the water-flood:  
the Lord sits enthroned as a king for ever.
- 10. The Lord will give strength to his people:  
the Lord will give to his people the blessing of peace.**

Glory to God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit:  
**as in the beginning, so now, and for ever. Amen.**

## SECOND READING

ACTS 10.34-43

*A reading from the Acts of the Apostles*

Then Peter began to speak to them: ‘I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead.

He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.’

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

## **GOSPEL**

MATTHEW 3.13-17

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

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

Then Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan, to be baptized by him. John would have prevented him, saying, ‘I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?’ But Jesus answered him, ‘Let it be so now; for it is proper for us in this way to fulfil all righteousness.’ Then he consented. And when Jesus had been baptized, just as he came up from the water, suddenly the heavens were opened to him and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him. And a voice from heaven said, ‘This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.’

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

# SURSUM CORDA

The image shows a musical score for the hymn 'SURSUM CORDA'. It consists of six staves of music, each with a vocal line and lyrics. The key signature is three sharps (F#, C#, G#) and the time signature is common time (C). The lyrics are: 'The Lord be with you', 'And Al - so with you', 'Lift up your hearts', 'We lift them to the Lord', 'Let us give thanks to the Lord our God', and 'It is right to give our thanks and praise'. The parts alternate between 'Priest' and 'Congregation'.

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.**

## **PARISH PRAYERS**

Rebecca Bowden, Thelma Gray, Neil Grierson, Janice Midegs, Margaret Syle, Emily York, Mike Katz, and Ross Scorer and family. Henri-Felix Carolane, Karen Derbyshire, Pat Oswald, Max Pearce, 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, particularly those who have died in our bush fire emergency.

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

## **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.



## YEARS MIND

Jan 12	Edwin BROWN	1962
Jan 12	Charles GUMMEY	1965
Jan 12	Harry ACKEROYD	1978
Jan 12	Tony ENDREY	1999
Jan 12	Alice ENGLISH	1993
Jan 13	Jessie RYAN	1993
Jan 14	Margaret NEALE	1991
Jan 14	Mabel BANNISTER	1953
Jan 14	Amy TUTTON	1994
Jan 14	Glenne LEMERIS	2014
Jan 15	Jillian THORBURN	1971
Jan 15	Arden LAIBROOY	2009
Jan 16	Jean KLEEMAN	2014
Jan 16	Lucy HENDERSON	1996
Jan 18	Clara HALL-BENTICK	1974
Jan 18	Percy CLARK	1981
Jan 18	Mabel REDDROP	1988
Jan 18	Robert WHITAKER	2003

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## PARISH NOTICES

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### **Victorian Bush Fires**

On Saturday 4th January last I was recalled to full-time duty with the Australian Army as part of the call of the Army Reserve authorised by the Governor General. I am currently responsible for coordinating the use of all ADF Chaplains across the State of Victoria. I do not know as yet when this duty will cease or reduce. Thank you to the Wardens, Mother Linda and all your support at this challenging time.

### **Saturday 1 February 2020 – Working Bee Evans Hall**

If you have a little bit of time available could you please consider supporting our Working Bee to clean and refurbish the kitchen and storeroom in the Evans Hall, starting at 10.30am.

Contact: Denise Hall 0413-428-594 for further details.

### **Choir and Director of Music in Recess**

As is the usual practice, Roger and the choir will take leave in January.

### **Prayer List Update**

The prayer list will be updated by Fr John over the next two weeks. Please make contact with John to add or remove any names.

### **28 April - 9 May 2020 - Journey to Israel with Holy Trinity Port Melbourne**

Led by local identity and Priest, Fr Noel Whale, a pilgrimage to the Holy Land brings the Bible to life. Contact Noel on 0412-196-127 and see the flyer at the back of church. Follow this link for a brochure: <http://1f27oh30s46u13stz75ogyd8.wpengine.netdna-cdn.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/Holy-Trinity-Anglican-Church-Port-Melb-to-Israel-April-2020.pdf>

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