

WELCOME TO THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF

ST GEORGE

EAST IVANHOE, MELBOURNE

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

SUNDAY 26 APRIL 2020

10.00am **Eucharist**

*Live streamed on Facebook &
available later on YouTube*

Preacher: Fr John Sanderson

Hymns: AHB 294

Postlude: *Prelude in E Flat BWV 552*
(J. S. Bach)

Organist: Roger Brown



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

Public Worship is in Recess

Monday - Friday	8am	Morning Prayer by Zoom; Contact Fr John
Friday 1 May	10.30am	Morning Worship by Zoom <i>Benetas - Heidelberg - The Views</i>
Sunday 3 May <i>Fourth Sunday of Easter</i>		Acts 2.42-47 Psalm 23 1 Peter 2.1-10 John 10.1-10

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

Repent, and be baptised every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

ACTS 2.38–39

COLLECT

O God,
your Son made himself known to his disciples
in the breaking of bread:
open the eyes of our faith,
that we may see him in his redeeming work;
who is alive and reigns with you and
the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

ACTS 2.14A, 36-41

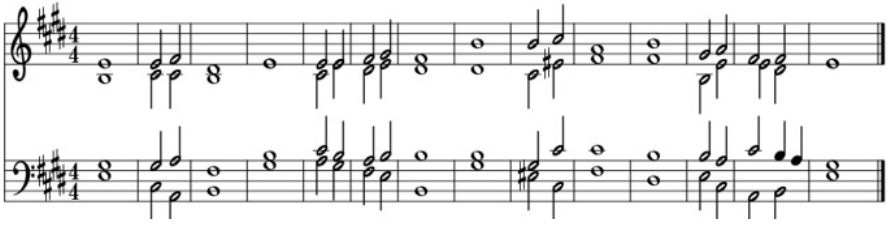
A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Therefore let the entire house of Israel know with certainty that God has made him both

Lord and Messiah, this Jesus whom you crucified.' Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and to the other apostles, 'Brothers, what should we do?' Peter said to them, 'Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him.' And he testified with many other arguments and exhorted them, saying, 'Save yourselves from this corrupt generation.' So those who welcomed his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand persons were added.

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

PSALM 116: 1-4,11-18



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| <p>1. I love the Lord because he heard
by voice:
the voice of . my supplication;</p> <p>2. Because he in clined his ear
to me:
in the day that I called to him.</p> <p>3. The cords of death encompassed me
the snares of the grave took
hold on me:
I was in anguish.and sorrow.</p> <p>4. Then I called upon the
name . of the Lord:
'O Lord. I be seech you .
de liver me!'</p> <p>11. How shall I re pay the Lord:
for all his benefits to me?</p> <p>12. I will take up the cup of .
sal vation:
and call up.on the name . of
the Lord.</p> <p>13. I will pay my vows . to the Lord:
in the presence . of all his people.</p> | <p>14. Grievous in the sight . of the Lord:
is the death of his faithful ones.</p> <p>15. O Lord I am your servant
your servant and the child of .
your handmaid:
you have un loosed my bonds.</p> <p>16. I will offer you a sacrifice of
thanks giving:
and call up.on the name . of
the Lord.</p> <p>17. I will pay my vows . to the Lord:
in the presence . of all his people,</p> <p>18. + In the courts of the house .
of the Lord:
even in your midst O
Jerusalem Praise - the Lord.</p> |
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SECOND READING

I PETER 1.13-25

A reading from the first letter of Peter

Therefore prepare your minds for action; discipline yourselves; set all your hope on the grace that Jesus Christ will bring you when he is revealed. Like obedient children, do not be conformed to the desires that you formerly had in ignorance. Instead, as he who called you is holy, be holy yourselves in all your conduct; for it is written, 'You shall be holy, for I am holy.' If you invoke as Father the one who judges all people impartially according to their deeds, live in reverent fear during the time of your exile. You know that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your ancestors, not with perishable things like silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without

defect or blemish. He was destined before the foundation of the world, but was revealed at the end of the ages for your sake. Through him you have come to trust in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are set on God. Now that you have purified your souls by your obedience to the truth so that you have genuine mutual love, love one another deeply from the heart. You have been born anew, not of perishable but of imperishable seed, through the living and enduring word of God. For 'All flesh is like grass and all its glory like the flower of grass. The grass withers, and the flower falls, but the word of the Lord endures for ever.' That word is the good news that was announced to 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

Cantor



Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us; make our hearts burn

while you speak to us.

Congregation



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

GOSPEL

LUKE 24.13-35

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

Glorify to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Now on that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, and talking with each other about all these things that had happened. While they were talking and discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, but their eyes were kept from recognizing him. And he said to them, ‘What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?’ They stood still, looking sad. Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, ‘Are you the only stranger in

Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?’ He asked them, ‘What things?’ They replied, ‘The things about Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, and how our chief priests and leaders handed him over to be condemned to death and crucified him. But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since these things took place. Moreover, some women of our group astounded us. They were at the tomb early this morning, and when they did not find his body there, they came back and told us that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who said that he was alive. Some of those who were with us went to the

tomb and found it just as the women had said; but they did not see him.’

Then he said to them, ‘Oh, how foolish you are, and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have declared! Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and then enter into his glory?’ Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them the things about himself in all the scriptures. As they came near the village to which they were going, he walked ahead as if he were going on. But they urged him strongly, saying, ‘Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over.’ So he went in to stay with them. When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and

broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him; and he vanished from their sight. They said to each other, ‘Were not our hearts burning within us while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?’ That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven and their companions gathered together. They were saying, ‘The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!’ Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

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

SURSUM CORDA

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

Merv Pizzey, Alan Tracey, and Mary Jones; Elizabeth Appleby, Gabriel Arroyo Gomez, Jenny Edbrooke, Andrea Meadows, Rebecca Bowden, Thelma Gray, Neil Grierson, Margaret Syle, Karen Derbyshire, Pat Oswald, Max Pearce, Vince Cristiano, Stephen ‘Spud’ Murphy, Lesley Tracey, Frank Cichello, Frank McFall, Lily Kelcey, Brian Monteith, Leanne Barker, Paul Finch, Josie Cichello-Sanderson, the Malek family and those known to you alone.

YEARS MIND

26 April	Alan FRY	1976
27 April	Leonard AVERY	1979
28 April	Edna CLARKE	1989
28 April	William STEVENS	2003
29 April	Edward OVERS	1973

We pray for Fr John’s ministry to Ivanhoe Grammar School as the School Chaplain, and for our involvement with that community.

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.

29 April	Esther ELLIS	1983
29 April	George JEFFRIES	1990
30 April	Sydney SNELL	1988
30 April	Joyce WEBB	1997
30 April	Alice PORTER	2002
1 May	Joseph BRUCE	1980
1 May	Wendy BEEVERS	2007
1 May	Jillian PITCHER	2010
1 May	Florence TYERS	1986
2 May	Joyce BRUCE	1980
2 May	Ian SYLE	1991

PARISH NOTICES

Facebook

Please 'like' and 'follow' our Facebook page, @StGeorgesEastIvanhoe where you will find services, hymns, postludes, interesting articles, prayers and reflections, and some fun news of what is happening in the parish. Please send your contributions to fr.john@stgeorgeeastivanhoe.org.

YouTube

We now have our own YouTube channel. Please subscribe to St George Peace Memorial Church East Ivanhoe for services, music and hymns.

ST GEORGE PEACE MEMORIAL CHURCH

PUBLIC WORSHIP IN RECESS

Dare I suggest that we are settling into our new routines as we journey through this period of COVID-19? I'm pleased to report from my daily telephone calls that our community continue to be in good spirits. We have people tidying houses, painting windows, attending to their gardens, tracking down long-lost friends, learning new languages, reading, praying, meditating, walking, cycling and exercising dogs, to name but a few of the many activities we are engaged in.

We continue to enhance how we undertake the live streaming of our services once a week, and are exploring some other ways to improve the broadcast, but some improvements require funding.

If you are interested in joining with me for Morning Prayer by Zoom, then please make contact by telephone. You can join in as often or as little as you wish to.

Sunday 26 April should have seen our first Choral Evensong for 2020 where we would have marked the 150th

anniversary of the death of Charles Dickens. Well 'the show must go on' as they say and so I am grateful to David Morgan OAM and Marion White from our choir for the material they have created for us, along with music from Roger, which you will find on Facebook, the website and YouTube.

Please keep supplying your prayers, reflections, music and photographs for our Facebook page (@StGeorgesEastIvanhoe) and website (www.stgeorgeseastivanhoe.org) as we seek to maintain our morale. Email your content to fr.john@stgeorgeseastivanhoe.org.

May I encourage us all to remain steadfast in prayer, confident in the promise that is Easter, so that we as inheritors of this new creation may bring light, life and hope to those around us.

Go well, go gently,

Fr. John

Low Sunday, 2020

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