



ST GEORGE PEACE MEMORIAL CHURCH

THE CHURCH AT THE HEART OF THE VILLAGE

Holy Communion and Choral Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher: The Vicar

Fourth Sunday After Pentecost

Sunday 16 June 2024

8am & 10am

MUSIC FOR THE SERVICE

Introit:

Hymns: 116, 402, 418, 450

Psalm: 20

Motet: *Hymn 421 Thee we adore, O hidden Saviour, thee* Thomas Aquinas
(1227-74)

Postlude:

Organist: Cyril Thomas

THIS WEEK

Monday 17

June

9am

VICAR'S DAY OFF

Talk to Year 9 of University Campus of Ivanhoe
Grammar School at *MtSV*

Tuesday 18

June

Wednesday

19 June

10.30am

NO SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

Funeral of Denise Thomas

Thursday 20

June

7.30pm

St Pauls Parish Council Meeting

Friday 21

June

10am

Holy Communion *Benetas the Views Heidelberg*

Saturday 22

June

1.30-

4.30pm

Meeting of Parish Council Plan4Growth

Sunday 23

June

Fifth Sunday

After Pentecost

1 Samuel 15.34-16.13

Ps. 20

2 Corinthians 5.6-10 (11-13) 14-17

Mark 4.26-34

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

In Christ, God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting the message of reconciliation to us.

2 CORINTHIANS 5.19

COLLECT

Almighty God,
without you we are unable to please you:
mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit
may in all things direct and rule our hearts;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

I SAMUEL 8.4-11, 16-20; 11.14-15

A reading from the book of the prophet Samuel

Then Samuel went to Ramah; and Saul went up to his house in Gibeah of Saul. Samuel did not see Saul again until the day of his death, but Samuel grieved over Saul. And the Lord was sorry that he had made Saul king over Israel. The Lord said to Samuel, 'How long will you grieve over Saul? I have rejected him from being king over Israel. Fill your horn with oil and set out; I will send you to Jesse the Bethlehemite, for I have provided for myself a king among his sons.' Samuel said, 'How can I go? If Saul hears of it, he will kill me.' And the Lord said, 'Take a heifer with you, and say, "I have come to sacrifice to the Lord." Invite Jesse to the sacrifice, and I will show you what you shall do; and you shall anoint for me the one whom I name to you.' Samuel did what the Lord commanded, and came to Bethlehem.

The elders of the city came to meet him trembling, and said, 'Do you come peaceably?' He said, 'Peaceably; I have come to sacrifice to the Lord; sanctify yourselves and come with me to the sacrifice.' And he sanctified Jesse and his sons and invited them to the sacrifice. When they came, he looked on Eliab and thought, 'Surely the Lord's anointed is now before the Lord.' But the Lord said to Samuel, 'Do not look on his appearance or on the height of his stature, because I have rejected him; for the Lord does not see as mortals see; they look on the outward appearance, but the Lord looks on the heart.' Then Jesse called Abinadab, and made him pass before Samuel. He said, 'Neither has the Lord chosen this one.' Then Jesse made Shammah pass by. And he said, 'Neither has the Lord chosen this one.' Jesse made seven of his sons pass before Samuel, and Samuel said to Jesse, 'The Lord has not chosen any of these.' Samuel said to Jesse, 'Are all your sons here?' And he said, 'There remains yet the youngest, but he is keeping the sheep.' And Samuel said to Jesse, 'Send and bring him; for we will not sit down until he comes here.' He sent and brought him in. Now he was ruddy, and had beautiful eyes, and was handsome. The Lord said, 'Rise and anoint him; for this is the one.' Then Samuel took the horn of oil, and anointed him in the presence of his brothers; and the spirit of the Lord came mightily upon David from that day forward. Samuel then set out and went to Ramah.

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

PSALM 20



- 1 May the Lord hear you in the | day of | trouble:
the God of Jacob | lift you | up to | safety.
- 2 **May he send you his | help • from the | sanctuary:
and be your | strong sup | port from | Zion.**
- 3 May he remember | all your | offerings:
and accept with | favour • your | burnt | sacrifices,
- 4 **Grant you your | heart's de|sire:
and fulfil | all your | purposes.**
- +5 May we also rejoice in your victory
and triumph in the | name of • our | God:
the Lord perform all | your pe|titions.
- 6 **Now I know that the Lord will | save•his a|nointed:
that he will answer him from his holy heaven
with the victorious | strength • of his | right | hand.**
- 7 Some put their trust in chariots and | some in | horses:
but we will trust in the | name • of the | Lord our | God.
- 8 **They are brought | down and | fallen:
but we are made | strong and | stand | upright.**
- 9 O Lord | save the | king:
and hear us | when we | call up|on you.

SECOND READING

2 CORINTHIANS 5.6-10, 14-17

A reading from the Apostle Paul's second letter to the Corinthians.

So we are always confident; even though we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord— for we walk by faith, not by sight. Yes, we do have confidence, and we would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord. So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him. For all of us must appear before the judgement seat of Christ, so that each may receive recompense for what has been done in the body, whether good or evil.

For the love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them.

From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

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

GOSPEL

MARK 4.26-34

Priest

Congregation

Hear the Gospel of the Lord according to - Glory to you Lord Jes - us Christ

The musical notation is on a single staff in C major, 4/4 time. The Priest's part consists of a whole note G4, followed by a quarter rest, then a quarter note A4, and a quarter note B4. The Congregation's part consists of a whole note G4, followed by a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, and a whole note C5.

He also said, 'The kingdom of God is as if someone would scatter seed on the ground, and would sleep and rise night and day, and the seed would sprout and grow, he does not know how. The earth produces of itself, first the stalk, then the head, then the full grain in the head. But when the grain is ripe, at once he goes in with his sickle, because the harvest has come.' He also said, 'With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs, and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade.' With many such parables he spoke the word to them, as they were able to hear it; he did not speak to them except in parables, but he explained everything in private to his disciples.

Priest

Congregation

This is the Gospel of the Lord Praise to you Lord Jes - us Christ

The musical notation is on a single staff in C major, 4/4 time. The Priest's part consists of a whole note G4. The Congregation's part consists of a whole note G4, followed by a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, and a whole note C5.

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.**

COMMUNION MOTET

Hymn 421 Thee we adore, O hidden Saviour, thee Thomas Aquinas (1227-74)

PARISH PRAYERS

Murray Steele, Bill Pearson, Dr Helen Kouzmin, Wayne Oswald, Gabriel Pronobis, Alan Tracey, Bella Saadala, David Nolte, Dorothy Maher, Anthony Schiavone, Stephen 'Spud' Murphy, Frank McFall, Paul Finch, Colin Derbyshire, Rebecca Bowden, The Malek family, Katie Pittle, Hannah, Colin Summerbell, Vince Cristiano, Bob Hill, Matt Clay and his father, Faye, Rachel, Kyle, Lilly, Gwen Pearce, Pam Hill, Violetta Karama Wickvamasinghe, Libby Davis, Jan Peggie, Roger Douglas, Ann Derbyshire and those known to you alone.

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.

We give thanks to God for Nan and Coral who will exercise a ministry of prayer for growth.

PRAYER FOR MISSION PARTNER

Sorted

Lord our God bless the Sorted Community as they build relationships with young people and empower them to help form new Christian communities. May participants find friendship and an opportunity to explore faith. Amen.



YEAR'S MIND

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

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.



Please encourage your friends, family and neighbours to ‘like’ and ‘follow’ us on Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/StGeorgesEastIvanhoe>) and to subscribe to our YouTube channel (St George Peace Memorial Church East Ivanhoe). Please take the time to ‘like’ and ‘follow’ our new Facebook presence @HeartEdgeMelbourne (<https://www.facebook.com/HeartEdgeMelbourne>), where you might find news of our HeartEdge initiatives.

Live-Streaming of Services - YouTube

We live-stream our services and events via our YouTube channel, (St George Peace Memorial 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.

June Edition of The Melbourne Anglican

The June 2024 edition of The Melbourne Anglican is available from the pew at the back of the Church.

Hello! Have you checked out June’s Melbourne Anglican yet? It’s available online and in print. Inside, you’ll meet stem cell researcher Ngaire Elwood, YouTuber Ann Reardon, and former Ridley College librarian Ruth Weatherlake – three Christians making a difference in the world.

Plus find news about the Church’s appearance at the Yoorrook Justice Commission, family violence prevention efforts, and Christian leaders’ fears about Queensland’s Youth Justice laws. And, we again can offer a wealth of works in reviews – including Pentecostal Jon Newton’s thoughts on ex PM Scott Morrison’s new book Plans for Your Good. This Month’s TMA is live on our website now, and available in churches. It’s available at: bit.ly/ThisMonthsTMA.

Fr John Leave July – August 2024

Fr John and Josie will be on leave from Saturday 20th July until Friday 23rd August 2024 as they travel to the UK and France to visit family. During this period of leave the Rev’d Heidin Kunoo, Senior Assistant Priest St Paul’s East Kew will be responsible for pastoral matters Monday to Saturday and the Rev’d Jonathan Jackson will take services on a Sunday. There will be no mid-week

service of Holy Communion during this leave period as Heidin serves at the MySV on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. The Wardens will be responsible for all operational, maintenance and financial matters.

Fr John Extended Leave Without Pay

In confirmation of last week's parish notices and the letter circulated to parishioners after services on Sunday last Fr John will undertake a period of leave without pay from Monday 16th August until Sunday 19th January 2025. The Archbishop and Bishop Genieve will appoint the locum tenens.

Correct email address for the Vicar

As previously indicated and periodically promoted the correct email address for John is jsanderson@melbourneanglican.org.au. The email account fr.john@stgeorgeseastivanhoe.org is only checked about once a week and will cease to be monitored from Tuesday 16th July 2024. Please update your email address books and contact lists to avoid disappointment. Thank you.

Save the date

Saturday 9 June

6.30pm Parish Bring 'n' Share Supper

Sunday 30 June

5.30pm Jazz Vespers

Saturday 13th July

6.30pm Parish Bring 'n' Share Supper

Saturday 10th August

6.30pm Parish Bring 'n' Share Supper

Saturday 31 August

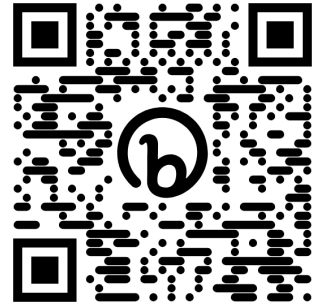
3.30pm Heidelberg Wind Ensemble Concert

Saturday 23 November

7.30pm Heidelberg Wind Ensemble Concert

Saturday 14 December

Sing Nowell 2024! Concert by The Tudor Choristers Concert



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