



# ST GEORGE PEACE MEMORIAL CHURCH

THE CHURCH AT THE HEART OF THE VILLAGE

## **Holy Communion and Choral Eucharist**

*Celebrant & Preacher: The Vicar*

*Seventh Sunday After Pentecost*

Sunday 7 July 2024

8am & 10am

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## MUSIC FOR THE SERVICE

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Introit: *Teach me, O Lord* (Thomas Attwood)

Hymns: 67, 571, 539, 77

Psalm: 48

Communion *Motet: Ave Verum* (William Byrd)

Postlude:

Organist: Cyril Thomas

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### THIS WEEK

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<b>Monday 8 July</b>	12.30pm	VICAR'S DAY OFF Safe Ministry Training for Opportunity Shop
<b>Tuesday 9 July</b>	9.30am	Monthly Warden's Meeting
<b>Wednesday 10 July</b>	10am	Holy Communion with a focus on reconciliation in Ukraine, the Holy Land, Israel, Palestine and Gaza
<b>Thursday 11 July</b>	9.30am 10am 2pm	Morning Prayer Staff Meeting Welfare Services Sub-Cttee Meeting <i>MtSV</i>
<b>Friday 12 July</b>	10am	Holy Communion <i>Benetas the Views Heidelberg</i>
<b>Saturday 13 July</b>	6.30pm	Bring 'n' Share Supper <i>Au revoir John &amp; Josie</i>
<b>Sunday 14 July</b>		
<i>Eighth Sunday After Pentecost</i>		2 Samuel 6.1-5, 12b-19 Ps. 24 Ephesians 1.1-14 Mark 6.14-29

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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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### INTROIT

*Teach me, O Lord*

Thomas Attwood (1765-1838)

### SENTENCE

Of Jesus many said, 'What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands!'

MARK 6.2

### COLLECT

O Lord our God,  
you are always more ready to bestow  
your good gifts upon us  
than we are to seek them;  
and more willing to give than we desire or deserve:  
in our every need,  
grant us the first and the best of all your gifts,  
the Spirit who makes us your children.  
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son  
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God for ever and ever. **Amen.**

### FIRST READING

2 SAMUEL 5.1-5, 9-10

*A reading from the book of the prophet Samuel*

Then all the tribes of Israel came to David at Hebron, and said, 'Look, we are your bone and flesh. For some time, while Saul was king over us, it was you who led out Israel and brought it in. The Lord said to you: It is you who shall be shepherd of my people Israel, you who shall be ruler over Israel.' So all the

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elders of Israel came to the king at Hebron; and King David made a covenant with them at Hebron before the Lord, and they anointed David king over Israel. David was thirty years old when he began to reign, and he reigned for forty years. At Hebron he reigned over Judah for seven years and six months; and at Jerusalem he reigned over all Israel and Judah for thirty-three years.

David occupied the stronghold, and named it the city of David. David built the city all around from the Millo inwards. And David became greater and greater, for the Lord, the God of hosts, was with him.

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

## PSALM 48



- 1 Great is the Lord and | greatly • to be | praised:  
in the | city | of our | God.
- 2 **High and beautiful is his | holy | hill:**  
**it is the | joy of | all the | earth.**
- 3 On Mount Zion where godhead truly dwells  
stands the city of the | Great | King:  
God is well known in her palaces | as a | sure defence.
- 4 **For the kings of the | earth as|sembled:**  
**they gathered to|gether•and | came | on;**
- 5 They saw they were | struck | dumb:  
they were as|tonished • and | fled in | terror.
- 6 **Trembling took | hold on them • and | anguish:**  
**as on a | woman | in her | travail;**
- 7+ Like the breath of the | east | wind:  
that | shatters • the | ships of | Tarshish.
- 8 **As we have heard so have we seen in the city of the | Lord of | hosts:**  
**in the city of our God which | God • has es|tablished • for | ever.**

- 9 We have called to mind your loving-kindness • O | God:  
in the | midst of | your | temple.
- 10 **As your name is great O God so also | is your | praise:  
even to the | ends | of the | earth,**
- 11 Your right hand is full of victory  
let Zion's | hill re|joice:  
let the daughters of Judah be | glad be|cause of •your | judgements.
- 12 **Walk about Zion go round about her and | count • all her | towers:  
consider well her ramparts | pass | through her | palaces;**
- 13+ That you may tell those who come after that | such is | God:  
our God for ever and ever  
and | he will | guide us•e|ternally.

## SECOND READING

2 CORINTHIANS 12.2-10

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

I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows— was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given to me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, ‘My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.’ So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

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

# GOSPEL

MARK 6.1-13

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

He left that place and came to his home town, and his disciples followed him. On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, 'Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?' And they took offence at him. Then Jesus said to them, 'Prophets are not without honour, except in their home town, and among their own kin, and in their own house.' And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. He said to them, 'Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them.' So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

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

## COMMUNION MOTET

*Ave Verum*

William Byrd (1540-1623)

## 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 Wickvamasinge, 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

### Open House

Loving God, thank you for the work of Open House. May the staff and volunteers show wisdom and compassion and be a positive influence in the lives of their participants. May we learn how best to collaborate with them to support the vulnerable in our local community. Amen.





## YEAR'S MIND

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Jul 7	Max Pearce	2023
Jul 8	Peter PRINCE	2013
Jul 8	William SUMMERBELL	1953
Jul 8	Neil BOND	2001
Jul 8	Madge CASH	2004
Jul 8	Eva GRIERSON	1970
Jul 8	Leslie BROWN	1995
Jul 10	Edward BOYALL	2001
Jul 12	Gordon RANKIN	1986
Jul 12	Cameron BOYALL	1992
Jul 12	Mary KEARNEY	1992
Jul 12	Donald BARR	2005
Jul 12	Phyllis MARTIN	2004
Jul 12	Edna JUDD	2013
Jul 12	Annie CARTER	2000
Jul 13	Elizabeth JAMES	1998
Jul 13	Brian MILLER	2011

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# 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.



## PARISH NOTICES



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.

### **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 MtSV on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. The Wardens will be responsible for all operational, maintenance and financial matters.

### **Save the date**

#### **Saturday 13th July**

6.30pm Parish Bring 'n' Share Supper *Au revoir Josie and John*

#### **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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