

ST GEORGE PEACE MEMORIAL CHURCH

THE CHURCH AT THE HEART OF THE VILLAGE

Holy Communion and Choral Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher: The Vicar Eighth Sunday After Pentecost - Sea Sunday Sunday 14 July 2024 8am & 10am

MUSIC FOR THE SERVICE

Introit: O praise the Lord (Adrian Batten)

Hymns: 10, 397, 510, 478

Psalm: 24

Communion Motet: If ye love me (Thomas Tallis)

Postlude:

Organist: Cyril Thomas

THIS WEEK			
Monday 15 July	VICAR'S DAY OFF		
Tuesday 16 July	Vicar Hosting Training Course at MtSV		
Wednesday 17 July	No Service of Holy Communion until January 2025		
Thursday 18 July	Vicar Conference		
Friday 19 July	Au revoir John & Josie		
Saturday 20 July	Vicar Holidays		
Sunday 21 July Ninth Sunday After Pentecost	Welcome the Rev'd (Fr) Jonathan Jackson 2 Samuel 7.1-14a Ps. 89.21-38 Ephesians 2.11-22 Mark 6.30-34, 53-56		

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'.

INTROIT

O praise the Lord

Adrian Batten (1591-1637)

SENTENCE

Who shall stand in the Lord's Holy place? Those who have clean hands and pure hearts, who do not lift up their hands to what is false.

PSALM 24.3-4

COLLECT

Eternal God, open our eyes to see your hand at work in the splendour of creation and in the beauty of human life.

Help us to cherish the gifts that surround us, to share our blessings with our sisters and brothers, and to experience the joy of life in your presence; through Jesus Christ our Lord who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

2 SAMUEL 6.1-5, 12B-19

A reading from the book of the prophet Samuel

David again gathered all the chosen men of Israel, thirty thousand. David and all the people with him set out and went from Baale-judah, to bring up from there the ark of God, which is called by the name of the Lord of hosts who is enthroned on the cherubim. They carried the ark of God on a new cart, and brought it out of the house of Abinadab, which was on the hill. Uzzah and Ahio, the sons of Abinadab, were driving the new cart with the ark of God; and Ahio went in front of the ark. David and all the house of Israel were dancing before the Lord with all their might, with songs and lyres and harps

and tambourines and castanets and cymbals. It was told King David, 'The Lord has blessed the household of Obed-edom and all that belongs to him, because of the ark of God.' So David went and brought up the ark of God from the house of Obed-edom to the city of David with rejoicing; and when those who bore the ark of the Lord had gone six paces, he sacrificed an ox and a fatling. David danced before the Lord with all his might; David was girded with a linen ephod. So David and all the house of Israel brought up the ark of the Lord with shouting, and with the sound of the trumpet. As the ark of the Lord came into the city of David, Michal daughter of Saul looked out of the window, and saw King David leaping and dancing before the Lord; and she despised him in her heart. They brought in the ark of the Lord, and set it in its place, inside the tent that David had pitched for it; and David offered burnt-offerings and offerings of well-being before the Lord. When David had finished offering the burnt-offerings and the offerings of well-being, he blessed the people in the name of the Lord of hosts, and distributed food among all the people, the whole multitude of Israel, both men and women, to each a cake of bread, a portion of meat, and a cake of raisins. Then all the people went back to their homes.

Hear the word of the Lord,

thanks be to God.

PSALM 24



- The earth is the Lord's and | all that is | in it: the compass of the | world and | those who |dwell therein.
- For he has founded it up on the seas: and es tablished it • up on the waters.
- Who shall ascend the | hill of the | Lord: or who shall | stand in his | holy | place?
- 4 Those who have clean hands and a | pure | heart: who have not set their soul upon idols

- nor | sworn their | oath to a | lie.
- They shall receive | blessing from the | Lord: and recompense from the | God of | his sallvation.
- 6 Of such a kind as this are | those who | seek him: those who seek your | face O | God of | Jacob.
- 7 Lift up your heads O you gates and be lifted up you ever|lasting | doors: and the King of | glory | shall come | in.
- 8 Who is the | King of | glory?: the Lord strong and mighty the | Lord | mighty • in | battle.
- 9 Lift up your heads O you gates and be lifted up you ever|lasting | doors: and the King of | glory | shall come | in.
- 10 Who is the | King of | glory?: the Lord of hosts | he• is the | King of | glory.

SECOND READING

EPHESIANS 1.1-14

A reading from the Apostle Paul's letter to the Ephesians.

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, To the saints who are in Ephesus and are faithful in Christ Jesus: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved. In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and insight he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ,

might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance towards redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

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



King Herod heard of it, for Jesus' name had become known. Some were saying, 'John the baptizer has been raised from the dead; and for this reason these powers are at work in him.' But others said, 'It is Elijah.' And others said, 'It is a prophet, like one of the prophets of old.' But when Herod heard of it, he said, 'John, whom I beheaded, has been raised.' For Herod himself had sent men who arrested John, bound him, and put him in prison on account of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife, because Herod had married her. For John had been telling Herod, 'It is not lawful for you to have your brother's wife.' And Herodias had a grudge against him, and wanted to kill him. But she could not, for Herod feared John, knowing that he was a righteous and holy man, and he protected him. When he heard him, he was greatly perplexed; and yet he liked to listen to him. But an opportunity came when Herod on his birthday gave a banquet for his courtiers and officers and for the leaders of Galilee. When his daughter Herodias came in and danced, she pleased Herod and his guests; and the king said to the girl, 'Ask me for whatever you wish, and I will give it.' And he solemnly swore to her, 'Whatever you ask me, I will give you, even half of my kingdom.' She went out and said to her mother, 'What should I ask for?' She replied, 'The head of John the baptizer.' Immediately she rushed back to the king and requested, 'I want you to give me at once the head of John the Baptist on a platter.' The king was deeply grieved; yet out of regard for his oaths and for the guests, he did not want to refuse her. Immediately the king sent a soldier of the guard with orders to bring John's head. He went and beheaded him in the prison,

brought his head on a platter, and gave it to the girl. Then the girl gave it to her mother. When his disciples heard about it, they came and took his body, and laid it in a tomb.



SURSUM CORDA



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

If ye love me

Thomas Tallis (1505-85)

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

The Mission to Seafarers Victoria

Loving God, you give us everything. Hear us as we pray for seafarers who endure hardship, danger and discomfort to bring us the goods we use each day. Keep them safe in the palm of your hand and bring them through sunshine and storm to their homes and loved ones. Through Jesus Christ who stilled the storm and called seafarers to follow him. Amen.



YEAR'S MIND

1 27 111 0 11111 11		
Jul 14	George GRAY	2018
Jul 14	John DEMPSEY	2000
Jul 15	Gordon FAUL	1980
Jul 15	Kenneth GAY	1979
Jul 16	Ethel ROBERTS	1937
Jul 17	Leonard JACOBSON	1990
Jul 17	Louise MILLER	2023
Jul 18	Florence SUTHERLAND	1978
Jul 18	Edward HAYTHORPE	1971
Jul 19	Peter EVANS	1985
Jul 19	Judith ANDERSON	2012
Jul 19	Robena HUNT	1969
Jul 19	Fr William HAYWARD	1998
Jul 20	George NICHOLSON	1993
Jul 20	Doris DRAPER	2002
Jul 20	Lucie HAIGH	2005
Jul 20	Nancy HAY	1991
Jul 20	Christopher ANDERSON	2022

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



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Live-Streaming of Services - YouTube

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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.

This months The Melbourne Anglican is out now

It's available at: bit.ly/ThisMonthsTMA

Save the date

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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