



ST GEORGE PEACE MEMORIAL CHURCH

THE CHURCH AT THE HEART OF THE VILLAGE

Holy Communion and Choral Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev'd (Fr.) Jonathan Jackson

Ninth Sunday After Pentecost

Sunday 21 July 2024

8am & 10am

MUSIC FOR THE SERVICE

Introit: *God be in my head* (John Rutter)

Hymns: 465, 498, 547, 546

Psalm: 89.21-38

Communion Motet: *Lord for thy tender mercy's sake* (Farrant)

Postlude:

Organist: Cyril Thomas

THIS WEEK

**Monday July
22**

VICAR'S DAY OFF (Vicar Holidays)

**Tuesday 23
July**

Vicar Holidays

**Wednesday
24 July**

No Service of Holy Communion until January 2025
Vicar Holidays

**Thursday 25
July**

Vicar Conference
Vicar Holidays

**Friday 26
July**

Vicar Holidays

**Saturday 27
July**

Vicar Holidays

**Sunday 28
July**

Vicar Holidays

*Tenth Sunday
After Pentecost*

2 Samuel 11.1-15
Ps. 14
Ephesians 3.14.21
John 6.1-21

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

God be in my head

John Rutter (1945-.)

SENTENCE

'My sheep hear my voice', says the Lord. 'I know them and they follow me; and I give them eternal life.'

JOHN 10.27,28

COLLECT

Eternal God,
author of our life and end of our pilgrimage:
guide us by your word and spirit
amid all perils and temptations,
that we may not wander from your way,
but may run our course in safety
until we come to our eternal rest in you;
through the grace of Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

2 SAMUEL 7.1-14A

A reading from the second book of the prophet Samuel.

Now when the king was settled in his house, and the Lord had given him rest from all his enemies around him, the king said to the prophet Nathan, 'See now, I am living in a house of cedar, but the ark of God stays in a tent.' Nathan said to the king, 'Go, do all that you have in mind; for the Lord is with you.' But that same night the word of the Lord came to Nathan: Go and tell my servant David: Thus says the Lord: Are you the one to build me a house to live in? I have not lived in a house since the day I brought up the people of Israel from Egypt to this day, but I have been moving about in a

tent and a tabernacle. Wherever I have moved about among all the people of Israel, did I ever speak a word with any of the tribal leaders of Israel, whom I commanded to shepherd my people Israel, saying, ‘Why have you not built me a house of cedar?’ Now therefore thus you shall say to my servant David: Thus says the Lord of hosts: I took you from the pasture, from following the sheep to be prince over my people Israel; and I have been with you wherever you went, and have cut off all your enemies from before you; and I will make for you a great name, like the name of the great ones of the earth. And I will appoint a place for my people Israel and will plant them, so that they may live in their own place, and be disturbed no more; and evildoers shall afflict them no more, as formerly, from the time that I appointed judges over my people Israel; and I will give you rest from all your enemies. Moreover, the Lord declares to you that the Lord will make you a house. When your days are fulfilled and you lie down with your ancestors, I will raise up your offspring after you, who shall come forth from your body, and I will establish his kingdom. He shall build a house for my name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom for ever. I will be a father to him, and he shall be a son to me. When he commits iniquity, I will punish him with a rod such as mortals use, with blows inflicted by human beings.

Hear the word of the Lord,

thanks be to God.

PSALM 89.21-38



- 21 'I have found my | servant | David:
and anointed him | with my | holy | oil.
- 22 **'My hand | shall up|hold him:
and my | arm | shall | strengthen him.**
- 23 'No enemy | shall de|ceive him:
no | evil | man shall | hurt him.
- 24 **I will crush his | adversaries-be|fore him:
and | strike down | those that | hate him.**

- 25 'My faithfulness and loving-kindness | shall be | with him:
and through my name his | head • shall be | lifted | high.
- 26 **'I will set the hand of his dominion upon the | Western | Sea:
and his right hand shall stretch to the | streams of | Meso•po|tamia.**
- 27 'He will call to me | "You • are my| Father:
my God and the | Rock of | my salvation."
- 28 **'I will make him my | first-born | son:
and highest a|mong the | kings of the | earth.**
- 29 'I will ever maintain my loving | kindness• to | ward him:
and my covenant | with him • shall | stand | firm.
- 30 **'I will establish his | line for | ever:
and his | throne • like the | days of | heaven.**
- 31 'If his children for|sake my | law:
and | will not | walk in • my |judgements;
- 32 **'If they pro|fane my | statutes:
and | do not | keep • my com|mandments,**
- 33 'Then I will punish their re|bellion • with the | rod:
'and | their in|iquity with | blows.
- 34 **'But I will not cause my loving-|kindness• to | cease from him:
nor will | I be|tray my | faithfulness.**
- 35 'I will not pro|fane my | covenant:
'or alter | what has | passed from • my | lips.
- 36 **'Once and for all I have | sworn • by my | holiness:
'I will | not prove | false to | David.**
- 37 'His posterity shall en|dure for | ever:
and his throne be | as the | sun be|fore me;'
- 38 **'Like the moon that is es|tablished . for| ever:
and stands in the |heavens for| ever|more.'**

SECOND READING

EPHESIANS 2.11-22

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

So then, remember that at one time you Gentiles by birth, called 'the uncircumcision' by those who are called 'the circumcision' a physical circumcision made in the flesh by human hands remember that you were at that time without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and

strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us. He has abolished the law with its commandments and ordinances, so that he might create in himself one new humanity in place of the two, thus making peace, and might reconcile both groups to God in one body through the cross, thus putting to death that hostility through it. So he came and proclaimed peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near; for through him both of us have access in one Spirit to the Father. So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling-place for God.

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

GOSPEL

MARK 6.30-34, 53-56

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

The apostles gathered around Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. He said to them, 'Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while.' For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. And they went away in the boat to a deserted place by themselves. Now many saw them going and recognized them, and they hurried there on foot from all the towns and arrived ahead of them. As he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things. When they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret and moored the boat. When they got out of the boat, people at once recognized him, and rushed about that whole region and began to bring the sick on mats to wherever they

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

Jul 21	Reginald EASTMAN	1982
Jul 23	Pauline SUMMERBELL	1995
Jul 24	Dante FELICETTI	1992
Jul 24	Sydney HARRIS	1997
Jul 24	Carita HALL	1997

Jul 24	Fr Phillip COOKE	2003
Jul 24	Mavis JACKSON	1999
Jul 25	Warren ADAMS	1988
Jul 25	Winfred TURNBULL	1993
Jul 26	Kathleen REHN	1988
Jul 26	Annie MCPHERSON	1971
Jul 27	George GRAY	1941
Jul 27	Margaret MAGEE	1984
Jul 27	Marjorie CAPUANO	1997

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 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, 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.

Rev'd (Fr.) Jonathan Jackson

Today, we welcome Fr Jonathan Jackson as our locum Sunday Priest. Jonathan will care for us until Fr John returns on Sunday 25th August 2024.

Fr John's Holidays – Administrative Arrangements

Rev'd Heidin Kunoo – Acting Vicar

Rev'd Jonathan Jackson - Sunday Locum

Meron Pitcher, Vicar's Warden – Coord

David Morgan, Church Warden – Admin Lead

Ted Smart, Church Warden – Maintenance Lead

Vince Cristiano, Treasurer – Finances Please support the Wardens and Parish Council as they seek your support during Fr John's holidays.

7.30am Sunday Morning Prayer

There will be no 7.30am Sunday Morning Prayer whilst Fr. John is on holiday. This will be reviewed in late August.

Save the date

Sunday 28th July

5pm Choral Evensong

Saturday 10th August

6.30pm Parish Bring 'n' Share Supper

Sunday 25th August

5pm Choral Evensong

Saturday 31 August

3.30pm Heidelberg Wind Ensemble Concert

Sunday 29th September

5.30pm Jazz Vespers

Sunday 27th October

5pm Choral Evensong

Saturday 23 November

7.30pm Heidelberg Wind Ensemble Concert

Sunday 1st December

5pm Choral Evensong for Advent Sunday – Launch of the 2024 Christmas Bowl Appeal

Saturday 14 December

Sing Nowell 2024! Concert by The Tudor Choristers Concert

Sunday 15th December

5.30pm Jazz Vespers

Sunday 22nd December

9pm Festival of Nine Lessons & Carols by Candlelight

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