

# ST GEORGE PEACE MEMORIAL CHURCH

THE CHURCH AT THE HEART OF THE VILLAGE

## **Holy Communion and Choral Eucharist**

*Celebrant & Preacher: Bp. Alison Taylor*

*Twenty Third Sunday After Pentecost*

Sunday 27 October 2024

8am & 10am

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## MUSIC FOR THE SERVICE

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Introit: *Blessed are the Pure in Heart* Walford Davies

Hymns: 170, 410, 257 verses 1,2,6.7, 492

Psalm: 34: 1-8

Motet: *Holy is the True Light* W Harris

Postlude:

Organist: Cyril Thomas

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## THIS WEEK

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**Monday 28**

**October**

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**Tuesday 29**

**October**

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**Wednesday**

**30 October**

No Service of 10am Holy Communion until January 2025

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**Thursday 31**

**October**

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**Friday 1**

10am

Holy Communion at Benetas the Views Heidelberg

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**November**

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**Saturday 2**

**November**

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**Sunday 3**

**November**

*All Saints Day*

Isaiah 25. 6 – 9

Revelation 21. 1 – 6a

John 11. 32 - 44

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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

*Blessed are the Pure in Heart*

Walford Davies

## SENTENCE

The redeemed of the Lord shall return and come to Zion with singing; and everlasting joy shall be upon their heads.

## COLLECT

O God,

You give light to the blind and comfort to the sorrowing, and in your Son you have given us

a High Priest who has offered the true sacrifice for us  
and yet can sympathise with us in our weakness:

hear the cry of your people

and lead us home to our true country,

where with your Son and the Holy Spirit

you live and reign, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

*A reading from the Book of Job*

Then Job answered the Lord:

‘I know that you can do all things,  
and that no purpose of yours can be thwarted.  
“Who is this that hides counsel without knowledge?”  
Therefore I have uttered what I did not understand,  
things too wonderful for me, which I did not know.  
“Hear, and I will speak;  
I will question you, and you declare to me.”  
I had heard of you by the hearing of the ear,  
but now my eye sees you;  
therefore I despise myself,  
and repent in dust and ashes.’

And the Lord restored the fortunes of Job when he had prayed for his friends; and the Lord gave Job twice as much as he had before. Then there came to him all his brothers and sisters and all who had known him before, and they ate bread with him in his house; they showed him sympathy and comforted him for all the evil that the Lord had brought upon him; and each of them gave him a piece of money and a gold ring. The Lord blessed the latter days of Job more than his beginning; and he had fourteen thousand sheep, six thousand camels, a thousand yoke of oxen, and a thousand donkeys. He also had seven sons and three daughters. He named the first Jemimah, the second Keziah, and the third Keren-happuch. In all the land there were no women so beautiful as Job’s daughters; and their father gave them an inheritance along with their brothers. After this Job lived for one hundred and forty years, and saw his children, and his children’s children, four generations. And Job died, old and full of days.

Here the word of the Lord,

**thanks be to God.**

## PSALM 34: 1-8

- 1 I will bless the Lord at all times;  
his praise shall continually be in my mouth.
- 2 **My soul makes its boast in the Lord;  
let the humble hear and be glad.**
- 3 O magnify the Lord with me,  
and let us exalt his name together.
- 4 **I sought the Lord, and he answered me,  
and delivered me from all my fears.**
- 5 Look to him, and be radiant;  
so your faces shall never be ashamed.
- 6 **This poor soul cried, and was heard by the Lord,  
and was saved from every trouble.**
- 7 The angel of the Lord encamps  
around those who fear him, and delivers them.
- 8 **O taste and see that the Lord is good;  
happy are those who take refuge in him.**

## SECOND READING

HEBREWS 7: 21-28

*A reading from the Letter to the Hebrews.*

but this one became a priest with an oath, because of the one who said to him,

‘The Lord has sworn  
and will not change his mind,  
“You are a priest for ever”’—

accordingly Jesus has also become the guarantee of a better covenant.

Furthermore, the former priests were many in number, because they were prevented by death from continuing in office; but he holds his priesthood permanently, because he continues for ever. Consequently he is able for all time to save those who approach God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.

For it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, blameless, undefiled, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens. Unlike the other high priests, he has no need to offer sacrifices day after day, first for his own sins, and then for those of the people; this he did once for all when he offered himself. For the law appoints as high priests those who are subject to weakness, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect for ever.

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

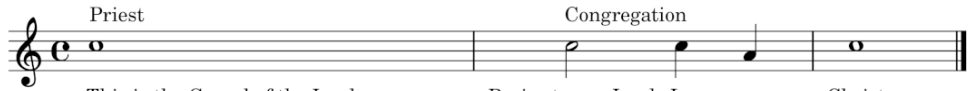
# GOSPEL

MARK 10: 46-52



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

They came to Jericho. As he and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, 'Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!' Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, 'Son of David, have mercy on me!' Jesus stood still and said, 'Call him here.' And they called the blind man, saying to him, 'Take heart; get up, he is calling you.' So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. Then Jesus said to him, 'What do you want me to do for you?' The blind man said to him, 'My teacher, let me see again.' Jesus said to him, 'Go; your faith has made you well.' Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.



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

# SURSUM CORDA

Priest

3 The Lord be with you

Congregation

5 And Al - so with you

Priest

7 Lift up your hearts

Congregation

9 We lift them to the Lord

Priest

12 Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

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

*Holy is the True Light*

W Harris



## 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, Pam Hill, Violetta Karama Wickvamasinghe, Libby Davis, Jan Peggie, Roger Douglas, Ann Derbyshire, Nan McCulloch  
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.

## 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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Oct 28	Annie MESLEY	1939
Oct 28	Rev'd Noel WHALE	2023
Oct 29	Donald REDDROP	1950
Oct 29	Norman PHILLIPS	1988
Oct 29	Leoni FERGUSON	1955
Oct 29	Elva GASKELL	1980
Oct 29	Anthony SMITH	1995
Oct 29	Aurelia RAYMENT	2017
Oct 31	Martha REYNOLDS	1995
Nov 1	Eva SMITH	1986
Nov 1	Jean ARTHUR	1995
Nov 2	Jeffrey CONRAD	1991
Nov 2	Allan CAMPBELL	1994
Nov 2	Noel TURNER	1994
Nov 2	Henry WISHART	1997
Nov 2	Margaret HUBBERT	1991
Nov 2	Stanley JOHNSON	1991
Nov 3	Jean DUTOIT	1985
Nov 3	Fr Michael LEAH	2017

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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.



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Please encourage your friends, family and neighbours to ‘like’ and ‘follow’ us on Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/StGeorgesEastIvanhoe>) and 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 and enable notifications you will receive automatic alerts when we go live.

### **Bp. Alison Talyor**

is our Locum Sunday clergy person. She is a retired, licenced bishop in our diocese. If you would like a visit from Bishop Alison, or to meet for a cup of coffee, please phone her on 0417 593 833. She'd be delighted!

### **Revd Barry Fernley**

will continue to work with us on Fridays, including ministry at Benetas.

### **Fr John's Sabbatical – Administrative Arrangements**

Revd Heidin Kunoo – Acting Vicar

Bp Alison Taylor - 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 Leave

### **Building Fund**

As parishioners of St Georges, we are bound to be good stewards of all our church assets just as those before us have been. This will continue to ensure the church's ongoing presence and its work in our community.

Major building works involving the underpinning of some foundations, brickworks and drainage upgrade are required to reinstate complete building integrity. Quotations and presentations have been organised by a duly appointed church building committee and delivered by a range of service providers. The wardens have

approved a way forward requiring funding in the tens of thousands. Timing of the various work stages will be subject to the availability of funds. Work will commence this year. We ask for your contributions and prayers as we tackle this important project. Please see the wardens with your giving or for any further information.

### **Parish Banking Details:**

St Georges Anglican Church E Ivanhoe

BSB No 633000

Account No 122088198

### **Building Remediation Works:**

The first stage of the remediation is complete with installation of upgraded drainage in the courtyard.

The roof and gutters and Solar panels have been cleaned. Tree removal has been unavoidably delayed but are expected to be underway soon. The next major stage is for January, after the whole foundation area has dried out. Thank you for your support for this essential project.

### **Saturday 7 December 4 – 7pm**

FREE Community BBQ in Courtyard

Entertainment featuring

ST GEORGES JAZZ BAND

All Welcome See you there.

### **General**

If you wish to place a notice, please refer it to the wardens.

### **AGM 11.30am Sunday 17 November**

The Annual General Meeting of the Parish will be held at 11.30am after the conclusion of the 10am service.

Forms are available at from of church for additions to the Parish Roll.

Please consider nominations.

**Subject: St Mark's Emergency Relief -**

Donations re Rev'd Ken Goodger

Goods required:

Noodles, Tinned Fish - Tuna etc - small easy open Items..Rice to cook or Rice pouches, Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Biscuits, Cereal or Protein Bars, Sweets, Pop Corn, Potato Chips are a treat...

(Please note that St Peter's Bundoora are now supplying Preston Anglicare, not St Mark's) -Sandra

**Save the date**

**Sunday 27th October**

5pm Choral Evensong Our guest speaker, The Rev. Fr Bill Edebohls talks about the life and legacy of Saint Oscar Romero (1917-1980), Archbishop of San Salvador and a strong advocate for social justice and an end to violence in his country of Ell Salvador.

**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 7th December**

4 – 7pm FREE Community BBQ in Courtyard

Featuring St Georges Jazz Band

All Welcome See you there.

**Saturday 14th December**

7.30pm 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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