

Welcome to
ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL

*Diocese of Melbourne - Anglican Church of Australia
Parish Church of the City since 1847*

ORDINARY SUNDAY 5

5TH FEBRUARY 2012

Father of all, who gave your only-begotten Son to take upon himself the form of a servant and to be obedient even to death on a cross: give us the same mind that was in Christ Jesus, that, sharing his humility, we may come to be with him in his glory; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

(Please retain this booklet for future reference)

FROM BISHOP GRAEME

In today's Gospel reading we see something of the interplay between *prayer* and *work* in Jesus' ministry:

'In the morning, while it was still dark, he got up and went out to a deserted place, and there he prayed. ... He answered, "let us go on to the neighbouring towns, so that I may proclaim the message there also"'(Mark 1.35,38).

This rhythm of withdrawal for prayer and rest balanced with the ministry of proclamation has much to say to us in our frenetic, clock-dominated, way of living.

Benedict drew on this teaching and adopted as a motto for his monks - '*ora et labora*' ('pray & work').

In 2006 I spent a month of Long Service Leave, at Mepkin Abbey in South Carolina, USA. Overlooking the Cooper River, the monastery buildings are set on 3,200 acres of mostly undeveloped woodlands.

Mepkin is a daughter house of Gethsemani Abbey in Kentucky, made famous by the best-known twentieth century Trappist monk, Thomas Merton. At the time I was there, the monastery derived most of its income solely from the sale of everything that its 20,000 chooks produced – eggs and 'chookpoo'. Even though I am one who likes to keep physically fit, I discovered in the mundane tasks of grading eggs and shovelling 'chookpoo' ('earth healer' as the monks called it!) muscles that I didn't know I had! As another guest said to me before we retired to bed after Compline, '*The best part of it is, tomorrow we get to do it all over again!*'

One Benedictine monastery has spelt out the Benedictine balance between *prayer* and *work* on their welcome card in the Guest rooms in this way:

'You have come for so many reasons; maybe you are searching for a secluded place to rest a while, a hill on which to pray, brothers and sisters with whom to share life in common, a place to listen to the Word of God. Now you are here and the community is happy to welcome you.

.... After your stay here, do not scorn facing daily life; God wants to make an instrument of you, a witness to carry the message of the Gospel into your home, your family, your environment, your work, your leisure activities, your local church. You have not come here to evade but to confirm your faith and commitment to the good of the brothers and sisters with whom you live. Peace and Joy?

✠ Graeme

PLEASE PRAY...

...FOR THE SICK

Jack Baldwin, Katherine Barnett, Doug Bull, Val Clewer, Isobel Dowling, Sr Elizabeth Gwen CHN, Fr. Donald Edgar, Fr Neil Fryer, Bruce Kellett, Robert Presley, Julia Rickard, Harold Riggall, & Peter Volk

As well as

Hugh Anderson, Joyce Bruce, Bill Callaghan, Anastasios Chatziannou, Vivien Chavez, Edgar Hunter, Liza Goodwin, Marie Loveday, Sybil Loveday, Samuel Martin, Tom McCormack, Ken Merton, Tony Murray, Barbara Plunkett, Colin Snellgrove, Ted Williams, Evelyn & Ray Wilson, Helen & Rowan.

... FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED:

AND FOR THOSE WHOSE YEAR'S MIND OCCURS DURING THIS COMING WEEK

Feb	Sun	0 5	Lucy Synnot, Matthew Richmond, Ruth Isabel Curtis
	Mon	0 6	Sophie Athanites, Archibald Smith
	Tues	0 7	Lionel Sarrof, priest, Ilona Helen Noel
	Wed	0 8	James Hayward, Barbara Pauline Lamin Jane Ethel Beatrice Eggington, Irene Robins, Esther Florence Miller, Tracey Marie Winters
	Thu	0 9	Alice Nicholls, John Farndon, Alice Herde, Edna Jane Everingham
	Fri	1 0	Walter Welsh, Emma Rosengren, Lucy Jane Youl
	Sat	1 1	Letitia Armstrong, Kate Eleanor Tate, Stacey Davies, Ida Nilson, Sarah Hollis, Arthur Olding, Valerie McManus Howard William Hinchcliffe, Peter James Duff

FLOWERS IN THE CHURCH

Help is sought for arranging the flowers in church. This will involve 3-4 hours on Fridays approximately 11 am -3 pm. Experience is not essential, as I am willing to teach and encourage any one in this important lay ministry for the church. Arranging flowers in church can be extremely rewarding -- an act of devotion in itself. Please contact me if you are interested. *Liz Prideaux (9830 5019)*

FLOWERS

The flowers in the church today are the gift of Di. Clark in loving memory of her parents, Alison Elaine Clark and Mervyl Wycliffe Clark.

INFORMATION BOOKLET FOR FR HUGH

It has been suggested that we should assemble a booklet of short summaries about ourselves. Obviously, Fr Hugh will get to know everyone as time goes on, but he might find it useful to know some basic facts. Parishioners are invited to submit a short paragraph about themselves to include such things as: their family, service(s) usually attended, length of time as a parishioner, involvement at church (serving team, sides people, refreshments, reading, book room, gardening etc.) and briefly what you like about St. Peter's that brings you to worship here. If you would like to be included in this information booklet, then please hand your paragraph to a Warden, or Bp Graeme, or email Helen Drummond at drummo07@optusnet.com.au before the end of February. If you are emailing and would like to send a photograph, we might be able to include that also. If there is more than one person in the photo, please make it clear who is who!

TRINITY CERTIFICATE IN THEOLOGY

The next Unit of the Trinity Certificate consists of 9 sessions on Church History and commences in March. The manual for the course is available from the Office (\$60).

Note the following dates carefully in your diary:

THURSDAY (7.00 – 9.00 pm)

March 1st, 8th, (none on 15th because of ISS on St Benedict), 22nd, 29th

April (none on Maundy Thursday), 12th, (none on 19th because of Induction), 26th

May 3rd, Wednesday May 9th (ISS meet on 10th), May 17th.

SUNDAY (1.00 – 3.00pm)

March 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th; April 15th, 22nd, 29th; May 6th, 13th.

CONFIRMATION and RECEPTION into THE ANGLICAN CHURCH

A number of parishioners have indicated their desire to be baptized/confirmed or received into the Anglican Church on *Sunday, 19th February at 9.30am*. The next scheduled confirmation will take place at the Easter Vigil on Saturday, 7th April.

QUIET DAY FOR LENT

The Institute for Spiritual Studies commences the year with a Lenten Quiet Day on Saturday, 25th February – 9.30am – 12.30pm. The Rev'd Dr Christiaan Mostert, recently retired Professor of Systematic Theology in the Uniting Church Theological College and teacher in the United Faculty of Theology, will be the retreat leader. The ISS Program for the year is available at the back of the church and in the book shop.

TODAY'S SERVICES

8.00am Mass

<i>Celebrant & Preacher:</i>	Fr Philip Bewley
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9.30am Family Mass

<i>Celebrant:</i>	Bp Graeme Rutherford	<i>Preacher:</i> Fr Philip Gill
<i>Reader:</i>	Petert Rendit	<i>Intercessor:</i> Peter Rendit
<i>Mass Setting:</i>	Dudman: <i>Parish Eucharist</i>	
<i>Voluntary:</i>	Jean Langlais: <i>Chant de paix</i>	
<i>Hymns – Entrance: 237 Offertory: 302 Post-Communion: 377</i>		
<i>Postlude:</i>	Léon Boëllman: <i>Toccata</i>	

11.00am High Mass

<i>Celebrant:</i>	Bp Graeme Rutherford	<i>Preacher:</i> Fr Philip Gill
<i>Reader:</i>	Stuart Hibberd	<i>Intercessor:</i> Jon Major
<i>Mass Setting:</i>	Palestrina: <i>Missa 'O Rex Gloriam'</i>	
<i>Motet:</i>	Tallis: <i>Salvator mundi</i> <i>O Saviour of the world, who by thy cross and precious blood hast redeemed us. Save us and help us, we humbly beseech thee, O Lord. Amen.</i>	
<i>Hymns – Entrance: 254 Gradual: 382 Offertory: 302 Post-Communion: 377</i>		
<i>Postlude:</i>	Léon Boëllman: <i>Toccata</i>	

5.00pm Solemn Evensong & Benediction

<i>Officiant:</i>	Fr Philip Bewley
<i>Reader:</i>	Sarah Thompson
<i>Psalm(s):</i>	147
<i>Preces & Responses:</i>	Plainsong
<i>Hymns:</i>	<i>Office: 54(ii) Evensong Hymn: 245 Benediction: 269 (5,6) & 268 (5,6)</i>
<i>Postlude:</i>	J.S.Bach: <i>Vater unser im Himmelreich (BWV 683)</i>

6.30pm Mass

<i>Celebrant & Preacher:</i>	Fr Philip Bewley
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WHAT IS ON THIS WEEK

Monday 6th	7.15 am	Mass
Tuesday 7th	7.15 am	Mass
Wednesday 8th	7.15 am 1.15pm	Mass Mass
Thursday 2nd	7.15 am	Mass
Friday 9th	7.15 am	Mass
Saturday 10th	9.00am	Mass
Sunday, 12^h Ordinary Sunday 6	Mass Readings: Lev. 13. 1-2, 45-46; Ps. 32. 1-2, 5,10bc-11; 1 Cor. 10. 23-11.1; Mark 1. 40-45	

AND FOR YOUR DIARY...

Feb 22	Wed	Ash Wednesday – Masses and Imposition of Ashes at 7.15am, 1.15pm & 6.15pm
Feb 25	Sat	9.30am Quiet Day for Lent – see below
Mar 01 & 04	Thur & Sun	TRINITY CERTIFICATE IN THEOLOGY Lectures in church history commence

The Long Weekend - Anglican Camp 2012!

Or

The Long Weekend - Parish Camp 2012!

Join us for three days of exciting activities, inspiring worship, and wonderful opportunities for learning and discovery on the Labour Day Weekend 10-12 March 2012. The venue is The Adventure Resort, situated on 80 beautiful acres near Cowes, close to many local attractions and beaches. It offers resort style accommodation and facilities in one of Victoria's most picturesque holiday escape destinations. A great program is planned for all ages, catering for the active, creative, reflective and adventurous! Speakers include Dorothy Lee, Jeanette Acland, Ruth Fowler, and Christina Rowntree. For further information, brochures and registration forms visit thelongweekend.org.

MOZART, MONKS & MOUNTAINS

Bishop Graeme is co-leader with Abbot Michael Kelly OSB, of a tour of discovery through history, art and Monasteries of Central Europe from the 30th May to the 18th June. For more information contact Johanne Kenny of Westminster Tours on (02) 9232 1711 or email johanne@ettravel.com.au

MASS READINGS

FIRST READING: Job 7. 1-4, 6-7
PSALM: 147. 1-2, 3-4, 5-6

EPISTLE: 1 Corinthians 9. 16-19, 22-23
GOSPEL: Mark 1. 29-39

EVENSONG READINGS

PSALM 147. 12-20
FIRST LESSON: Genesis 4. 1-16
SECOND LESSON: 1 John 3. 7-14



The Institute for Spiritual Studies
at
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The Program for 2012 is now available at the back of the church and in the book shop

ST PETER'S BOOKROOM

A real book is not one that we read, but one that reads us.

[W. H. Auden](#)

A range of Lent books are now on display in the Bookroom, including the Archbishop of Canterbury's Lent Book 2012, *Love Unknown* by Ruth Burrows (\$24.95). More to come!

RECOMMENDED

Flowers of the Renaissance by Celia Fisher

As reviewed and recommended in **The Melbourne Anglican** this beautifully illustrated volume uncovers the symbolic, often richly layered meanings of flowers in Renaissance art. Including stunning details from works by Botticelli, Titian, Van Dyck, Fra Angelico, and several masters of manuscript illumination, **Flowers of the Renaissance** offers a closer look at some of the period's most splendid works of art.

Hardback \$45-

NEW

Techniques of Icon and Wall Painting: Egg Tempera, Fresco, Secco by Aidan Hart

"This book makes known to us a craft, but more importantly it is the Confessio of a man who epitomizes the liturgical beauty of the Orthodox Church. He is full of joy and this same joy he communicates to us: with his heart he loves, and with his hands he fashions matter. He uses pencil, brush, chisel. He carves wood and stone, works with metal. He fashions form and colour. He manifests the Spirit. And he confesses that "The Word became flesh." Thus you see not only how a holy icon is made within the Church, but also how the human person made as an iconf God struggles to become holy.'

Archimandrite Vasileios, Iviron Monastery, Mount Athos

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*** Contributors please note: the deadline for material to be included in the weekly pew sheet is the preceding Wednesday. ***

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SUNDAY SERVICES

8.00 am	Mass (BCP)
9.30 am	Family Mass
11.00 am	High Mass
5.00 pm	Solemn Evensong (BCP) & Benediction
6.30 pm	Mass

(Refreshments are available in the Parish Hall after each of the Sunday services)

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Monday – Friday:	Mass at 7.15am (9.00am on Public Holidays) Feast Day High Mass as advertised: 6.15pm
Wed:	Mass at 1.15pm
Sat:	Mass at 9.00am followed by the Rosary Confessions by appointment

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