

Welcome to

ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL

Diocese of Melbourne - Anglican Church of Australia
Parish Church of the City since 1846



ORDINARY SUNDAY 15

14TH JULY 2019

Eternal God, you have taught us through Christ that love is the fulfilment of the law: help us to love you with all our heart, with all our soul, with all our mind, and with all our strength, and our neighbour as ourself; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*

Please feel free to take this pew sheet home.

VICAR'S MUSINGS

A very big “thank you” to all parishioners and those in the wider community who have given so generously to this year’s St Peter’s Eastern Hill Charitable Foundation Annual Appeal. Altogether we raised nearly \$70,000, which will make a huge difference in our church ministry supporting those in necessitous circumstances. One concrete example of the success of this year’s Appeal, is the fundraising efforts of Christy Thiagarajah, a manager in the State Government, Department of Jobs, Precincts and Regions. Christy attends 7.15am Mass at St Peter’s every weekday on his way to work. This year, he cooked some beautiful Sri Lankan food for his colleagues, and asked them to donate to the Annual Appeal, in support of the Lazarus Centre breakfast program. The program leader, Chris de Paiva, was asked what would most help the program? “A Bain-marie would make a big difference,” he said “so that we can keep the bacon and eggs hot and the hash browns crisp.” Well, the fundraiser was a huge success, and the Foundation was duly presented with a cheque for \$2,050 towards our ministry with the homeless. So this week we purchased two Bain-maries for the Lazarus Centre, and they had their first run on Wednesday, as you can see in the photo. The staff and volunteers were delighted, and a bit later on the participants gave a big thumbs-up too.

Many thanks also to everyone who has donated to the ministry of the St Peter’s Choir over the past financial year, and to the St Peter’s National Trust account, which assists us in the upkeep of our historic buildings. June donations to the “Melbourne Anglican Cultural Organisation Inc.” (St Peter’s Choir) totalled \$10,212.50, which is a big help towards our annual church music costs of nearly \$70,000. This past year we have also been fundraising for a much-needed replacement of one section of the church roof, and over the financial year a little over \$30,000 was deposited into our National Trust account, through a grants and donations from individuals.

St Peter’s Eastern Hill is a vibrant church community. We run numerous programs: from our Corpus Christi High Mass to the RMIT Chaplaincy; from the Bookroom to the Coffee Caravan social enterprise; from hospital visiting and funerals to baptisms and confirmations; from assisting in the training of Ordinands and Education for Ministry to Children’s Church; from the Lazarus Centre breakfast program to our Chaplaincy to Parliament; from the Choir to the Server’s Guild and the Guild of St Benedict. We are blessed by numerous volunteers, but our church programs also require paid staff. Our total wages bill alone in 2018-19 was \$323,379. In total, it costs \$2,316 dollars a day to run our beloved church of St Peter’s.

So, again, thank you to everyone for your generosity over the past year. If you'd like to find out more about how you can help financially, click the "support us" page on our website: www.stpeters.org.au. And if you'd like to give of your time, talk to the Vicar, any of the staff, or anyone on Parish Council. *Deo gratias!*



8:00am Mass

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster

Preacher: Fr Hugh Kempster

9:30am Family Mass & Baptism

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster

Preacher: Fr Hugh Kempster

Deacon/Lay Minister: Brenda Williams

Children's Talk: Fr Hugh Kempster

Reader: Carole Tedja

Intercessor: Ian Thornton

Hymns: Entrance : 339 Offertory : 296(i) Post-Communion : 388(i)

Communion Voluntary: Langlais *Andantino*

Postlude: Langlais *Bells*

11:00am High Mass

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster

Preacher: Fr Hugh Kempster

Deacon: Fr Philip Gill

Reader: Diane Clark

Intercessor : Stuart Hibberd

Hymns: Entrance : 339 Gradual : 328 Offertory : 296(i) Post-Communion : 388(i)

Mass Setting: Terry Mass for *St Dominic*

Motet: Byrd *Teach me, O Lord, the ways of thy statutes*

Postlude: Langlais *Bells*

6:00pm Mass

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster

Next Sunday 21st July: Ordinary Sunday 16

Mass Readings: Genesis 18.1-10a, Colossians 1.24-28 & Luke 10.38-42

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster & Fr David Peake

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD - REV'D CHRISTINE ANGUS

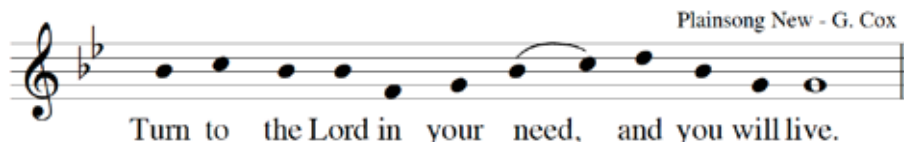
Former St Peter's parishioner, member of the Guild of Servers, and Klingner Scholar, Christine Angus, will be ordained to the Priesthood by the Rt Rev'd Garry Weatherill, Ballarat Cathedral, at 11am on Saturday the 31st August. All are welcome to attend. Please pray for Christine as she prepares for this very special day.

MASS READINGS

First Reading: Deuteronomy 30.10-14

Moses spoke to the people, saying, “Obey the Lord your God by observing his commandments and decrees that are written in this book of the law; turn to the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul. Surely this commandment that I am commanding you today is not too hard for you, nor is it too far away. It is not in heaven, that you should say, ‘Who will go up to heaven for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?’ Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, ‘Who will cross to the other side of the sea for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?’ No, the word is very near to you; it is in your mouth and in your heart for you to observe.”

Psalm : 69.13+16, 29-30, 32-33, 35ab+36



As for me, my prayer is to you, O Lord.
At an acceptable time, O God,
in the abundance of your steadfast love, answer me.
With your steadfast help, rescue me.
Answer me, O Lord, for your steadfast love is good;
according to your abundant mercy, turn to me. R.
But I am lowly and in pain;
let your salvation, O God, protect me.
I will praise the name of God with a song;
I will magnify him with thanksgiving. R.
Let the oppressed see it and be glad;
you who seek God, let your hearts revive.
For the Lord hears the needy,
and does not despise his own that are in bonds. R.
For God will save Zion
and rebuild the cities of Judah;
the children of his servants shall inherit it,
those who love his name shall live in it. R.

Second Reading: Colossians 1.15-20

Christ is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers— all things have been created through him and for him. Christ is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in Christ all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

Gospel: Luke 10.25-37

A lawyer stood up to test Jesus. “Teacher,” he said, “what must I do to inherit eternal life?” Jesus said to him, “What is written in the law? What do you read there?” The lawyer answered, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.” And Jesus said to him, “You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.” But wanting to justify himself, the lawyer asked Jesus, “And who is my neighbour?” Jesus replied, “A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day the Samaritan took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, “Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.”” Jesus asked, “Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?” The lawyer said, “The one who showed him mercy.” Jesus said to him, “Go and do likewise.”

PRAYERS

FOR THE SICK:

Carole Ainio, Marja Barouh, Ginette D'Souza, Annie Garrett, Sister Gloria CHN, May Gornall, John Harvey, Noelene Jones, Liz Jowitt, Anna Laurence, Sam Lawson, Bill Loughnan, Alice McCraith, Lisa Morris, Gia Nu Luu, Deborah Palmer, Tim Peake, Allan Rei, John Ross, Flyn Stewart, Yan Zhang, Melissa, and Peter.

AS WELL AS:

Jenny Allen, Chris Bennie, Michael Boyle PRIEST, John Crocker, Cheryl Duff, Gail Edwards, Cliff Gornall, Gwen Joyce, Bronwyn Large, Margaret Lea, Margaret Lugg, Sr Lyn CHN, Eleanor Newton, Joyce Newton, Liz Prideaux, Graham Ritchie, Helen Rowley, Bella Saadala, Barbara Ure-Smith, Annette Wood; and also Andrew, Jan and Chad.

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED: James Grant BISHOP, Dinah Gronow

FOR THOSE WHOSE YEAR'S MIND FALLS THIS WEEK:

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| Sun | 14 | Wilfred Eode Agar, Emily Davies, Ken Harvey, Eileen Margaret Johnston |
| Mon | 15 | John Fletcher Connell, Henry (Harry) Lohning, Elizabeth Jane Olding, Charles Youdan |
| Tue | 16 | Gladys Bilston, Lilla Brocklebank, Geraldine Urani de Kretser, Harold Robert Fredding, Mary Eleanor Maud Hawks, Alan Pierce |
| Wed | 17 | Martha Cook, James Tilly, Leila Tulloh |
| Thu | 18 | - |
| Fri | 19 | John Joseph Banks, Helen Blakston, Walter Bull, John Gordon, Alex Keamy, Muriel Lord, Hubert Neville |
| Sat | 20 | Gertrude Dahle, Doris Draper, Georgina Gibbard, Edmund (Ted) Gielis, Sr Maree CHN, Cora Willat, Melva Wyatt |

PARISH DIARY

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| <i>Wednesday 17th July</i> | 'Holy Hour' weekly Eucharistic adoration at St Peter's, in the church at 6:00pm |
| <i>Sunday 28th July</i> | Evensong and Benediction at St Peter's; preacher, Fr David Peake, at 6pm followed by refreshments in the Hall. |
| <i>Sunday 4th August</i> | Dedication Sunday at St Peter's; preacher, the Rev'd Dr Robert Derrenbacher, Dean of Trinity College Theological School. |
| <i>Tuesday 6th August</i> | Transfiguration of the Lord at St Peter's; High Mass at 6:15pm followed by refreshments in the Hall. |
| <i>Thursday 15th August</i> | Assumption of the BVM at St Peter's; High Mass at 6:15pm followed by refreshments in the Hall; presiding bishop and preacher, the Rt Rev'd Lindsay Urwin. |
| <i>Sunday 18th August</i> | Science Week – the Rev'd Dr Chris Mulherin, Executive Director of ISCAST will be our guest preacher. |
| <i>Sunday 1st September</i> | New Guinea Martyr's Day; guest preacher at 9:30am & 11:00am the Ven. Gary Harch, followed by light lunch. |

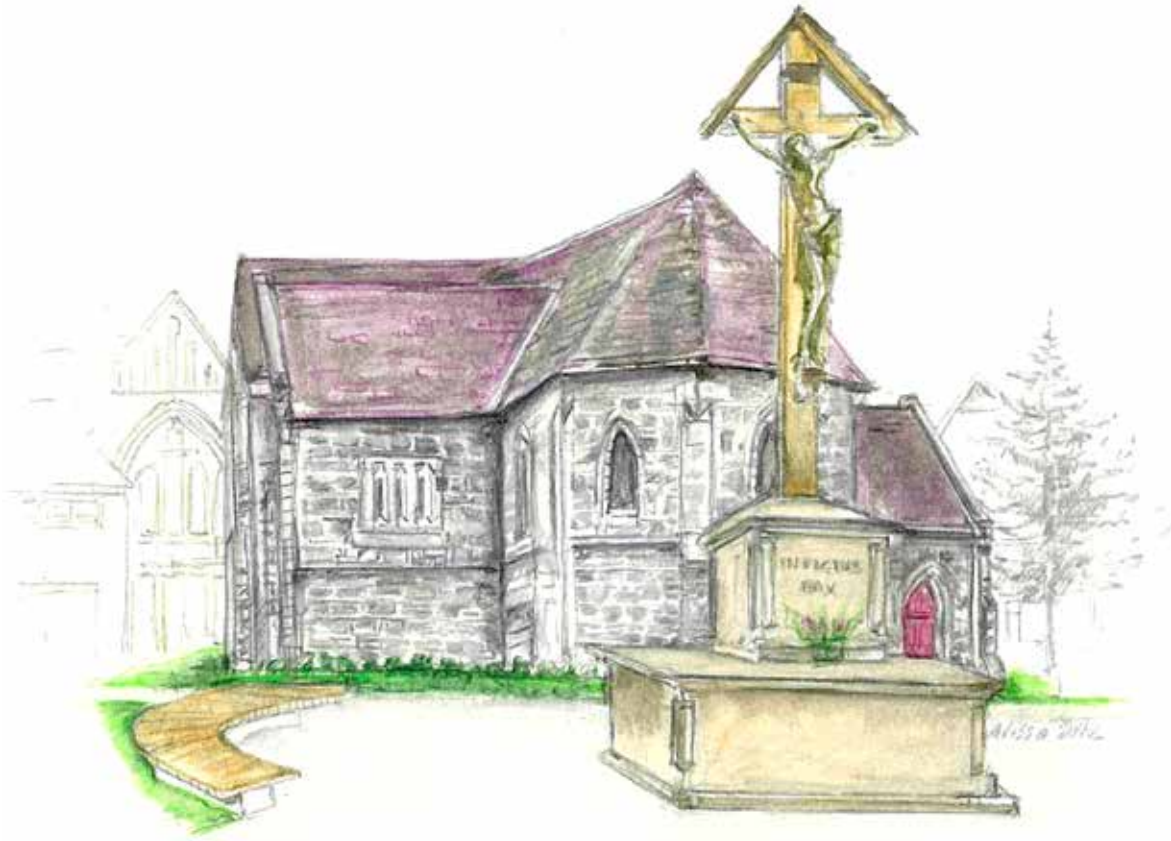
NOTICES

PARISH SUPPORT TEAM PROCESS UPDATE

The Parish Support Team process is now well underway. The Bishop's delegates are: Dr Alan Grant, the Rev'd Mark McDonald and the Rev'd Wendy Wade. Over past weeks the Team have been working closely with the Vicar, Wardens, Parish Council and some staff members. In due course meetings will be held with small groups of other interested parishioners. The parish contact person, should you require any further information about the process is: Mr Craig Wilson (ph: 0400799034 or e-mail: ccw01@bigpond.net.au). A flyer outlining more detail on this Diocesan process and the role of the Support Team is available at the back of Church, and on Sundays at the Welcome Table in the Parish Hall.



ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL



Save the Date

You are warmly invited to the Opening of the new St Peter's Eastern Hill Corner Plaza, and Blessing of the restored Wayside Cross.

Formal invitations to follow.

- Date:** Sunday 10th November 2019
- Time:** 10am - Parish High Mass | 12 noon Grand Opening
- Location:** St Peter's Eastern Hill (Cnr Gisborne Street & Albert Street, East Melbourne)
- Enquiries:** Kosta Soteriou | sphoffice@stpeters.org.au

We look forward to seeing you there.

WEEKLY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Holy Hour

*Sweet Sacrament divine
with suppliant hearts we come*

STARTING WEEKLY FROM
WEDNESDAY, 5 JUNE
6:00 PM TO 7:00 PM
ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL



ST PETER'S BOOKROOM & CHURCH SUPPLIES

CHRISTMAS IN JULY SALE – STARTS TODAY!

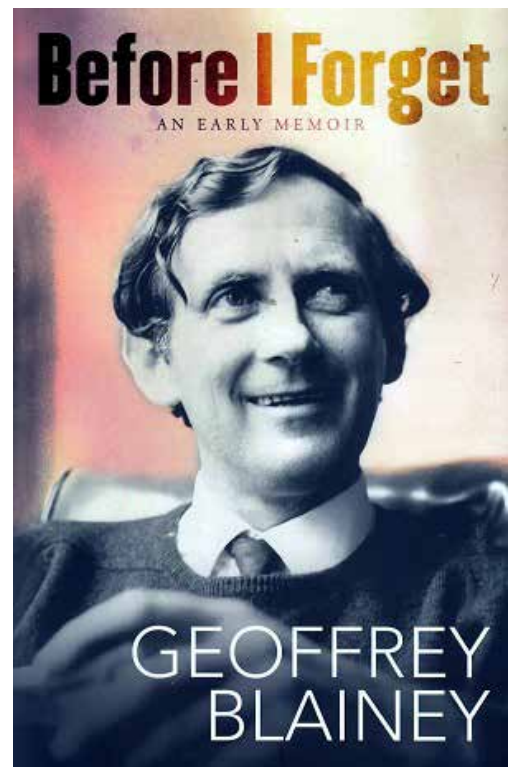
Lots of new great spiritual books and cards at heavily reduced prices. Come in this morning and check it out!

Last Monday St Peter's Bookroom represented and sold books at the Uniting Church Synod in Box Hill.

NEW BOOK!

Before I Forget: An Early Memoir by Geoffrey Blainey.

Warm, insightful and lyrically written, *Before I Forget* recounts the experiences and influences that have shaped the astonishing mind of Australia's most loved historian. But in this book Blainey has given us something more – a fascinating and affectionate social history in and of itself. \$45



Opening Hours

Monday – Friday 9.30am to 4.30 pm Sunday - after 9.30am & 11am Mass

15 Gisborne St Melbourne 3002

Situated in the Parish Hall building on the street side, facing St Patrick's Cathedral

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Sunday Services

8.00 am Mass (BCP)

9.30 am Family Mass

11.00 am High Mass

6.00 pm Mass/Evensong & Benediction

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

Weekday Services

Mon – Fri: Mass at 7.15am (9am on Public Holidays)
Feast Day High Mass, as advertised: 6.15pm

Wed: Mass at 1.15pm

Sat: Mass at 9.00am (Cell of our Lady of Walsingham, 3rd Saturday of the month)

Phone List

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| Vicar: | Fr Hugh Kempster | 0488 960 022 |
| ASLM: | Alae Taule'alo | 0409 802 892 |
| Clergy: | Fr Greg Davies | 0417 992 976 |
| | Fr Don Edgar | 0418 967 829 |
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| | Fr David Peake | 0412 299 839 |
| Klingner Scholars: | Paul Daniels | 03 9662 2391 |
| | Brenda Williams | 03 9662 2391 |

Parish Ministries

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| Acting Sacristan | Eugene Chin | 03 9662 2391 |
| Bookroom: | Carol O'Connor | 03 9663 7487 |
| Cell of O.L.O.W: | Liz Prideaux | 03 9662 2391 |
| Charitable Foundation: | John Taaff | 0418 149 345 |
| Children: | Katherine Barnett | 03 9387 4089 |
| Child Safety Officer: | Konstantine Soteriou (acting) | 9662 2391 |
| Churchwardens: | Stephen Duckett (Vicar) | 0447 837 741 |
| | Nick Lambarde-Scott (People) | 0423 213 622 |
| | Rwth Stuckey (People) | 03 9662 2391 |
| Director of Music: | Andrew Raiskums | 0439 556 627 |
| Flowers: | Helen Drummond | 0419 897 973 |
| Head Server: | Peter Bryce | 03 9850 2403 |
| Inst. for Sp. Studies: | Nick Browne | 0427 332 340 |
| Music Administrator: | Sue Wuttke | 0422 866 286 |
| Organist: | Rhys Arvidson | 0405 277 853 |
| Parish Office: | Konstantine Soteriou | 03 9662 2391 |
| Pastoral Care: | Di Clark | 0407 354 987 |
| RMIT Chaplaincy: | Alae Taule'alo | 0409 802 892 |
| Guild of St. Ben Comm. | Daniel Ferguson | 0419 572 033 |
| Treasurer: | Peter Wild | 0455 803 584 |

Parish Council

Membership:

Nicholas Browne (secretary)
Helen Drummond
Stephen Duckett (chair)
Rachel Ellyard
Fr Hugh Kempster
Nick Lambarde-Scott
William Southey
David Spriggs
Rwth Stuckey
Peter Wild
Peter Yewers

*We are an inclusive
and welcoming Church,
built on the lands of the
Wurundjeri people.
We are committed to
social justice, equality and
diversity. Our mission
is: "Catholic Evangelism:
Growing in God's love".*