

Welcome to

ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL

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



'Christ Blessing' Titian (1570)

ORDINARY SUNDAY 29

20TH OCTOBER 2019

Lord, tireless guardian of your people, teach us to rely, day and night, on your care. Drive us to seek your justice and your help, and support our prayer lest we grow weary, for in you alone is our strength. We make our prayer through your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*

Please feel free to take this pew sheet home.

VICAR'S MUSINGS

Last week a group of parishioners joined Fr Greg and myself for the annual St Peter's Parish Retreat. This year we ventured a bit further than usual, to South-Western Victoria, at the Benedictine Abbey of St Mark in Camperdown. The Abbey has strong links with our Parish, being founded in 1975 by a former St Peter's Priest Assistant, the Rt Rev'd Dom Michael King OSB. It was a deeply peaceful, prayerful and refreshing time aside from the usual routines of life. Some of those who came have kindly offered a few words of reflection for the pew sheet. The photographs were taken by Russell Lees.

This was my first trip away with friends from St Peter's Eastern Hill and what a weekend it was. A silent retreat away to an Abbey run by Benedictine Monks, and no talking for two days! No, that wasn't for me! But I soon discovered, yes it was for me! Even heading to the chapel four times a day was for me! The monastery sits on top of an old crater looking over a lake, offering amazing views, just the spot to sit and reflect. The bookshelf offered a selection of books to read on many topics, including the Benedictine rules and way of life. This was a highlight for me as I knew very little about Benedictine history and rules. The readings Fr Greg shared with us during the meals was something I will remember, as well as the companionship of cooking and eating our meals together. I look forward to catching up with my new friends soon and hope the weekend away becomes an annual event. [Russell]

Thank you very much for arranging this wonderful event. I have now found a new way to manage and develop my life. [Gordon]

I found our Retreat was a time to be still and know that ...

I am loved by God

The Rule of Benedict can be applied to our own lives here and now

The Holy Spirit oversaw our communal worship in the Chapel

I learnt more about nine other people and myself

Sharing in this experience of monastic life was joyful

More parishioners should try it! [Di]





8:00am Mass

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster

Preacher: Fr Philip Gill

9:30am Family Mass

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster

Preacher: Fr Hugh Kempster

Deacon/Lay Minister: Brenda Williams

Children's Talk: Fr Philip Gill

Reader: Jan Gordon-Clark

Intercessor: Anne Scott Pendlebury

Hymns: Entrance : 436 Offertory : 273 Post-Communion : 333

Communion Voluntary: Whitlock *Fidelis*

Postlude: Bach *Fugue in C (BWV 547)*

11:00am High Mass

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster

Presiding Bishop: Bp Arthur Jones

Deacon: Fr Greg Davies

Preacher: Fr Philip Gill

Reader: Philip Harvey

Intercessor : Yanpu Zhang

Hymns: Entrance : 436 Gradual : 382 Offertory : 273 Post-Communion : 333

Mass Setting: Cipriano de Rore *Missa: Præter rerum seriæ*

Motet: Howells *I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills*

Postlude: Bach *Fugue in C (BWV 547)*

6:00pm Mass

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Hugh Kempster

Next Sunday 27th October: Ordinary Sunday 30

Mass Readings: Sirach 35.15-17, 20-22, 2 Timothy 4.6-8, 16--18 & Luke 18.9-14

Celebrants: Fr Hugh Kempster, Fr Philip Gill & Fr David Peake

BLESSING OF MEMORIAL CANDLESTICKS - DEE HODGETT'S

Today during High Mass there will be a blessing of two inscribed candlesticks, in memory of our beloved parishioner Dee Hodgetts who died on the 4th July 2018. We look forward to sharing this occasion with Dee's family.

ST PETER'S BOOKROOM

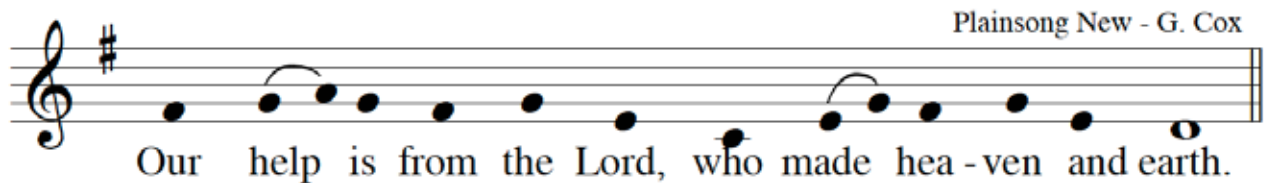
Do you have computer skills, in particular with website maintenance, and would like to practice by assisting us with ongoing work on the St Peter's Bookroom website? If you would like to volunteer in this way, please call Carol in the Bookroom.

MASS READINGS

First Reading: Exodus 17.8-13

Amalek came and fought with Israel at Rephidim. Moses said to Joshua, "Choose some men for us and go out, fight with Amalek. Tomorrow I will stand on the top of the hill with the staff of God in my hand." So Joshua did as Moses told him, and fought with Amalek, while Moses, Aaron, and Hur went up to the top of the hill. Whenever Moses held up his hands, Israel prevailed; and whenever he lowered his hands, Amalek prevailed. But Moses' hands grew weary; so they took a stone and put it under him, and he sat on it. Aaron and Hur held up his hands, one on one side, and the other on the other side; so his hands were steady until the sun set. And Joshua defeated Amalek and his people with the sword.

Psalm : 121.1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8



I lift up my eyes to the hills
from where will my help come?
My help comes from the Lord,
who made heaven and earth. R.
The Lord will not let your foot be moved;
he who keeps you will not slumber.
He who keeps Israel
will neither slumber nor sleep. R.
The Lord is your keeper;
the Lord is your shade at your right hand.
The sun shall not strike you by day,
nor the moon by night. R.
The Lord will keep you from all evil;
he will keep your life.
The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in
from this time on and forevermore. R.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 3.14 - 4.2

Continue in what you have learned and firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it, and how from childhood you have known the sacred writings that are able to instruct you for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, so that everyone who belongs to God may be proficient, equipped for every good work. In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and in view of his appearing and his kingdom, I solemnly urge you: proclaim the message; be persistent whether the time is favourable or unfavourable; convince, rebuke, and encourage, with the utmost patience in teaching.

Gospel: Luke 18.1-8

Jesus told the disciples a parable about their need to pray always and not to lose heart. He said, "In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor had respect for people. In that city there was a widow who kept coming to him and saying, 'Grant me justice against my opponent.' For a while the judge refused; but later he said to himself, 'Though I have no fear of God and no respect for anyone, yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will grant her justice, so that she may not wear me out by continually coming.'" And the Lord said, "Listen to what the unjust judge says. Will not God grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long in helping them? I tell you, God will quickly grant justice to them. "And yet, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

PARKING IN THE PARISH ON SUNDAY 10TH NOVEMBER

On Sunday 10th November 2019 parking will not generally be available at St Peter's, due to logistical arrangements for the opening of the Corner Plaza. Limited parking for disabled parishioners, however, will be available but only by prior arrangement with the Parish Office, which may be contacted on 9662 2391.

EFM GROUP BOOK STUDY - COMMENCING TODAY

Today is the first of our two sessions for the October book study. If you have already purchased our book *The Dream of God*, please ensure you have read at least the first three chapters. If you would still like to attend but haven't got the book, copies of the first three chapters are available on the Welcome Table. I look forward to seeing you for our study and reflection on *The Dream of God*.

Fr Greg Davies

PRAYERS

FOR THE SICK:

Marja Barouh, Sr Gloria CHN, John Harvey, Sr Hilary CHN, Jan Foster, Noelene Jones, Bill Loughnan, Gina Macpherson, Alice McCraith, Gia Nu Luu, Norman Missen, Ray Ng, John Taaff, Evelina Thornton, and Peter.

AS WELL AS:

Jenny Allen, Chris Bennie, Michael Boyle priest, John Crocker, Gail Edwards, Cliff Gornall, Gwen Joyce, Bronwyn Large, Margaret Lea, Margaret Lugg, Sr Lyn chn, Stanton Nelson, Joyce Newton, Tim Peake, Liz Prideaux, Allan Rei, Helen Rowley, Bella Saadala, Barbara Ure-Smith, Annette Wood; Andrew, Chad, and Jan.

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED:

FOR THOSE WHOSE YEAR'S MIND FALLS THIS WEEK:

Sun	20	Roy James Bennie, Gwyneth Jean Rhys Harrison, Jacqueline Kemp, Winifred Rogers
Mon	21	Mihaly Boka, Doris Cleugh, Albert Hanchette, Elizabeth Hill, Arthur Nankivell, Eric Starbrook, Robert Stewart Thompson
Tue	22	Mabel Lawrence, Gladys McKenzie
Wed	23	Annie Kennedy, Deanie Lindquist, Caroline Northmore, Kathleen Edith Spry, Margery Sophia Trayhern
Thu	24	Raymond Carpinter, Norman Cleugh, William Ian Potter, Margaret Shannon
Fri	25	Ian Stuckey, Joyce Williams
Sat	26	-

PARISH DIARY

<i>Today</i>	Presiding Bishop at High Mass will be the Rt Rev'd Arthur Jones, former Bishop of Gippsland (1994-2001). EFM study group after High Mass, in the Hughes Room
<i>Wednesday 23rd October</i>	EFM study group, 2:00pm in the Hughes Room
<i>Sunday 27th October</i>	EFM study group after High Mass, in the Hughes Room
<i>Wednesday 30th October</i>	EFM study group, 2:00pm in the Hughes Room
<i>Friday 1st November</i>	All Saints' Day High Mass at 6:15pm followed by refreshments in the Parish Hall.
<i>Saturday 2nd November</i>	All Souls' Day observed with a Mass in church at 9am.
<i>Sunday 10th November</i>	Combined High Mass at 10am; Grand Opening of the Corner Plaza, and re-dedication of the restored Wayside Cross at 12 noon; and then a luncheon in the Hall. All are welcome!
<i>Monday 11th November</i>	Remembrance Day laying of the Wreath, 11am at the Wayside Cross.
<i>Thursday 14th November</i>	Charitable Foundation Dinner, 6.30 for 7pm, at The Melbourne Club.
<i>Saturday 16th November</i>	Trinity College Theological School, "Year of Matthew Study Day", 10.00am-3.30pm, Old Warden's Lodge, Trinity College, Parkville \$40 \$30 concession. For bookings: www.trybooking.com/546413
<i>Sunday 24th November</i>	Combined High Mass at 10am, followed by a light lunch and the Annual Meeting of the Parish from 12.15pm.

NOTICES

GUEST PRESIDING BISHOP - 11AM HIGH MASS TODAY

A warm welcome to the Rt Rev'd Arthur Jones, who will be Presiding Bishop at today's High Mass. Formerly Bishop of Gippsland (1994-2001) +Arthur is celebrating the 25th anniversary of his consecration to the Episcopate this weekend.

COMBINED PARISH HIGH MASS & ANNUAL MEETING SUNDAY 24TH NOVEMBER, FROM 10AM

The Electoral Roll is being updated for tabling at the upcoming Annual Meeting on Sunday 24th November 2019 at 11:45am in the Parish Hall (following 10am Parish High Mass) as required by the regulations of the Parish Governance Act 2013.

PLEASE NOTE: not all parishioners who attend St Peter's are automatically placed on the Parish Electoral Roll. Whilst all are welcome to attend the Annual Meeting, if you wish to vote on the resolutions and/or to stand for election to Office, you will need to be on this Electoral Roll; and you can only be on the Electoral Roll of one parish at any time. To fulfill the requirements of the Act, and with respect to the Privacy Act, please contact myself, or Kosta in the Parish Office, to check your details on the current Roll. If you are not on the Roll and would like to be, you must fill out an Application for Enrolment form, fulfilling the prerequisites stated. Also, if you would like to amend your details on the current Roll, please fill out one of these forms, available from the back of the church and return to the parish office on or before Monday 4th November 2019.

Nomination forms for the election of two (2) Churchwardens, up to nine (9) Parish Council members, and two (2) Incumbency Committee members are also available from the back of the church. These forms must be returned to me personally, or to the Parish Office by Friday 8th November. Nominations will be publicly displayed on Sunday 10th November. For all queries and apologies to the Annual Meeting, please phone: 0427 332340 or email: nickbrowne1960@gmail.com

PASTORAL CARE REVIEW - REPORT NOW AVAILABLE

The Pastoral Care Review, requested by the Statutory Meeting, commissioned by the Parish Council, and conducted by Shirley Nash, is now complete. Shirley's report was presented to this week's Parish Council. Copies are available at the Welcome Table. Our thanks to Shirley for her work on this important project.



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Anglican Parish Church of the City since 1846
Melbourne - Charitable Foundation



Invitation

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

DATE

Sunday 10th November 2019

TIME

12 Noon Grand Opening followed by a light informal lunch at 12:30pm
10:00am High Mass for those who wish to attend

VENUE

St Peter's Eastern Hill
Corner Gisborne Street & Albert Street, East Melbourne

REGISTRATION

This is a free event, but it is essential to register online
through Try Booking for catering reasons.

<https://www.trybooking.com/BFXUE>

If you only wish to attend the opening, no booking is needed.

Please call Kosta on (03) 9662 2391 for any queries. Kosta Soteriou · sphoffice@stpeters.org.au



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The Rev'd Dr Hugh Kempster
Vicar of St Peter's Eastern Hill Anglican Church

cordially invites you to the

Charitable Foundation Dinner

GUEST OF HONOUR AND SPEAKER

General the Honourable Sir Peter Cosgrove

AK AC (Mil) CVO MC (retd)

Former Governor-General of Australia

*Celebrating the completion of the Corner Plaza
and rededication of the Cross of Sacrifice –
the War Memorial to the fallen of the First World War*

The Melbourne Club

36 Collins Street, Melbourne VIC 3000

Thursday 14 November 2019

6:30pm for 7:00pm

Bookings: <https://www.trybooking.com/BFUKL>

RSVP: Thursday 31 October 2019 (on attached form)

Dress: Lounge suit and tie for gentlemen

Please note that the use of mobile phones and the taking of photographs in The Melbourne Club are strictly prohibited.



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The Melbourne Club Charitable Foundation Dinner

Dinner at The Melbourne Club at 36 Collins Street, Melbourne VIC 3000
on Thursday 14 November 2019 at 6:30pm for 7:00pm
with guest of honour and speaker
General the Honourable Sir Peter Cosgrove
AK AC (Mil) CVO MC (retd)
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*Celebrating the completion of the Corner Plaza and rededication of the Cross of Sacrifice –
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Dress: Lounge suit and tie for gentlemen.

Cost: \$190 per person (or \$1,900 for a table of ten) for a three-course meal with wine.

Tickets may be purchased on-line through Try Booking at <https://www.trybooking.com/BFUKL>
or by sending a cheque for \$190 per person, when returning this form.

RSVP: Please reply to sphoffice@stpeters.org.au or by posting this form by 31.10.2019 to:
St Peter's Eastern Hill Charitable Foundation Dinner
PO Box 18108, Collins Street East, Melbourne VIC 8003

Please call Kosta on (03) 9662 2391 for any queries.

Name(s):

Contact telephone number:

Dietary requirements (e.g. vegetarian, gluten free):

Cheque enclosed for \$190 per person payable to St Peter's Eastern Hill Charitable Foundation,
or through Try Booking at <https://www.trybooking.com/BFUKL>

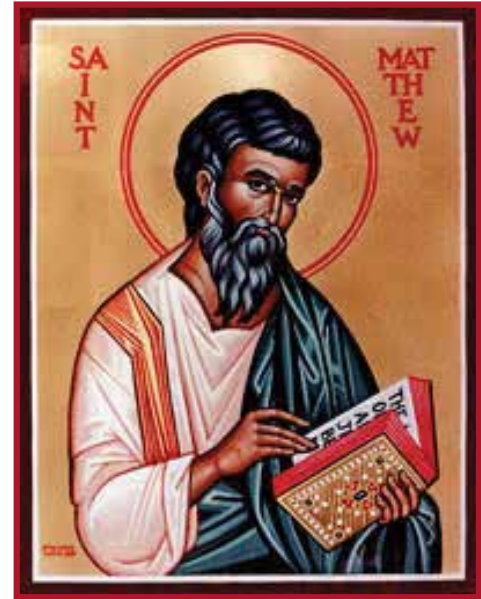


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THE YEAR OF MATTHEW STUDY DAY



A day for clergy and lay people to be enriched by the Gospel readings from Matthew for the forthcoming Church year, and to explore some of the Old Testament texts to be read at eucharists in the Year of Matthew.

Come and join us for study, reflection and discussion led by **The Revd Dr Robert (Bob) Derrenbacher**, Dean of the Trinity College Theological School and the Frank Woods Associate Professor in New Testament, and **Dr Rachelle Gilmour**, the Bromby Lecturer in Old Testament at the Trinity College Theological School.



SATURDAY 16 NOVEMBER 2019

10.00am-3.30pm, Old Warden's Lodge, Trinity College, Parkville

\$40 | \$30 concession

For more information and to register:

www.trybooking.com/546413

Alternatively email: theologyevents@trinity.edu.au or call 03 9348 7127

WEEKLY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Holy Hour

*Sweet Sacrament divine
with suppliant hearts we come*

WEDNESDAYS

6:00 PM TO 7:00 PM

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ST PETER'S BOOKROOM & CHURCH SUPPLIES

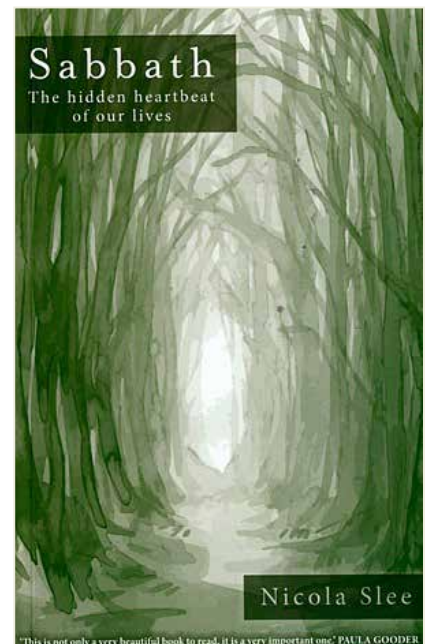
St Peter's Bookroom once more popped up at Synod yesterday! We sold books and connected with many clergy and lay in our Diocese of Melbourne. Thank you, once more, to Joy Freier whose energetic presence promoted the shop to so many, including new attendees.

WONDERFUL RANGE OF NEW CHRISTMAS CARDS CAME IN THIS WEEK! 'THE BEST RANGE IN MELBOURNE.'

Two Saturdays ago the Bookroom attended a conference and English scholar and poet Nicola Slee was the keynote speaker. Hers is a voice well worth hearing and the words of her new book, we commend to your reading.

Sabbath by Nicola Slee \$29.95

'Sabbath is the breathing space in our labours, the pause in and before and after the music, the clearing in the woods through which the light comes, the empty dark hours of night in which our minds and bodies regenerate themselves and God give gifts, treasures of darkness, to God's beloved. Sabbath is, indeed, the hidden heart of our lives.' p 91



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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[03] 9662 2391 Web: www.stpeters.org.au
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Office Hours. 9.30am – 2.00pm Monday-Thursday

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)

Clergy and Lay Ministers

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
	Fr Philip Gill	0480 101 711
	Fr Ken Letts	03 9662 2391
	Fr David Peake	0412 299 839
Klingner Scholars:	Paul Daniels	03 9662 2391
	Brenda Williams	03 9662 2391

Other Parish Ministries

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:	Rachel Ellyard	03 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
Guild of St Benedict	Daniel Ferguson	0419 572 033
Head Server:	Anthony Schepis	0400 578 952
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
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".*