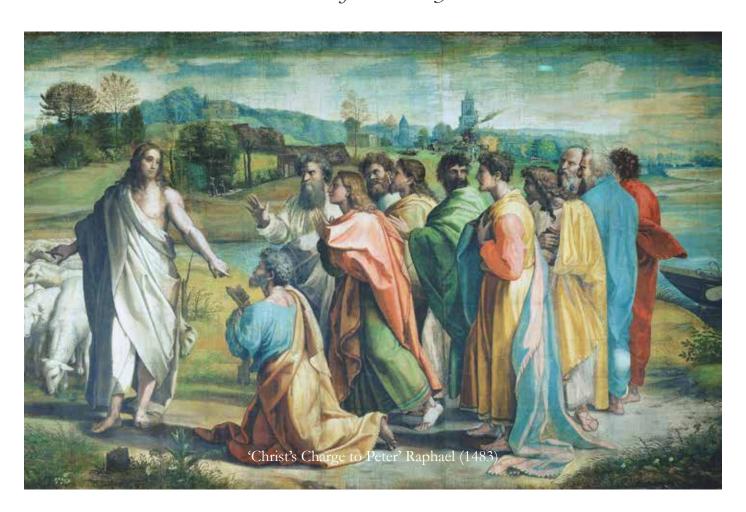
Welcome to

ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL

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



THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER 5th May 2019

Almighty God, through your only Son you overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: grant that we who celebrate our Lord's resurrection, may, through the renewing power of your Spirit, rise from the death of sin to the life of righteousness; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and for ever. Amen

Vicar's Musings

My Musings this week are an update on a number of issues discussed and decided on recently by the Parish Council and the Charitable Foundation. By way of transparency and clear communication I outline them helow.

Roof Works

Over the past decade the Parish has been gradually replacing the Church Roof, and last year we were awarded a grant to complete the penultimate section of roofing. Other than for regular services, which will continue as usual, during the week the church will often be closed for work-safety reasons. Should you require access to the church at any time, please contact the Parish Office: (03) 9662-2391.

Grand Opening of the Corner Plaza

Although the Corner Plaza has now been open for a few weeks, there are a some final jobs that are holding up the completion of the project: cleaning and restoration of the Wayside Cross, manufacture and installation of a security gate near the Maynard Kitchen, and completion of the roof-works. As June is fast approaching, we are not confident that the project will be fully finished in time for our Patronal Festival. In addition, neither the Archbishop nor the Governor General are available on that day. So, the current proposal is that we reschedule the Grand Opening for Sunday 10th November, after a 10am Parish High Mass. This date has a number of advantages: we can be confident that all the works will be complete; the weather is likely to be warmer; we have another opportunity to invite key dignitaries; the eve of Remembrance Day is very fitting for a re-dedication of our Wayside Cross.

Parish Support Team Process

Last month the Parish Council unanimously voted in support of Bp Genieve's "Support Teams Process" which is now underway. A flier outlining this Diocesan process was handed out to all parishioners at Mass last week. For those who may not yet have seen it, there are copies at the back of church and on the Welcome Table in the hall on Sundays. The Bishop's delegates, directing the process are: the Rev'd Wendy Wade, and Mr Alan Grant. Presently Wendy and Alan are meeting with the Vicar, the Wardens, and the other members of Parish Council. There will be opportunities for other meetings in the coming weeks, which will be clearly advertised and communicated with Parishioners. It is a parish process and so restricted to those on the Parish Roll. The parish contact person, should you require any further information is: Mr Craig Wilson (ph: 0400-799-034 e-mail: ccw01@bigpond.net.au).

You are warmly invited to the

Friends of St Peter's Mass & Festive Lunch

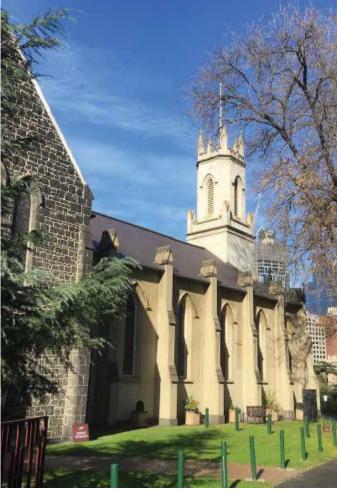
(formerly "60 Plus")

Wednesday May 15th @11am

"The Friends" is an inclusive and welcoming group open to people of all ages from within and beyond the parish.

To book your lunch (\$15) phone the Parish Office by **Monday 13th May** on 9662 2391, or sign up at the Sunday Welcome Table in the Parish Hall





8:00 am Mass

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster Preacher: Fr Hugh Kempster

9:30 am Family Mass

Celebrant: Fr Philip Gill Preacher: Fr Hugh Kempster

Deacon/Lay Minister: Brenda Williams Children's Talk: Fr Hugh Kempster Reader: Catherine McGovern Intercessor: Anne Scott Pendlebury

Hymns: Entrance: 271 Offertory: 408(i) Post-Communion: 118

Communion Voluntary: Marchand Tierce en Taille Postlude: de Grigny Dialogue sur les Grands Jeux

11:00 am High Mass

Celebrant: Fr Philip Gill Preacher: Fr Hugh Kempster

Deacon: Fr Hugh Kempster

Hymns: Entrance: 271 Gradual: 349 Offertory: 101(ii) Post-Communion: 112

Mass Setting: Byrd Mass for Four voices

Motet: Gabrieli Jubilate Deo a 8

Postlude: Degrigny Dialogue sur les Grands Jeux

6:00 pm Mass

Officiant: Fr Hugh Kempster

Next Sunday 12th May: Fourth Sunday of Easter

Mass Readings: Acts 13.14,43-52, Revelations 7.9,14b-17 & John 10.27-30

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster

MYSTICS ANONYMOUS - CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER GROUP

The "Mystics Anonymous" contemplative prayer group has recommenced, and all are welcome to attend each Wednesday at 2:30pm in the Vicarage. We are currently undertaking a 5 week introduction to St Ignatius of Loyola's "First Spiritual Exercises". Each week is a self-standing meditation, so do feel free to join us at any stage.

FLOWERS IN CHURCH

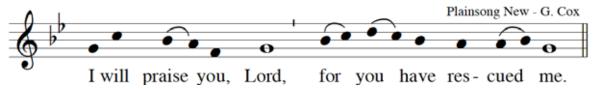
Flowers in church today are given by Peter Ondaatje in loving memory of his wife Rochelle, whose year's mind falls at this time.

Mass Readings

First Reading: Acts 5.27-32, 40b-41

The captain went with the temple police and brought the apostles, who were teaching in the temple, and had them stand before the council. The high priest questioned the apostles, saying, "We gave you strict orders not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and you are determined to bring this man's blood on us." But Peter and the apostles answered, "We must obey God rather than any human authority. The God of our ancestors raised up Jesus, whom you had killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Saviour that he might give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him." Then the council ordered the apostles not to speak in the name of Jesus, and let them go. As they left the council, they rejoiced that they were considered worthy to suffer dishonour for the sake of the name.

Psalm: 30.1+3, 4-5, 10+11a+12b



I will extol you, O Lord, for you have drawn me up, and did not let my foes rejoice over me.
O Lord, you brought up my soul from Sheol, restored me to life from among those gone down to the Pit.
R. Sing praises to the Lord, O you his faithful ones, and give thanks to his holy name.
For his anger is but for a moment; his favour is for a lifetime.
Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.
R. Hear, O Lord, and be gracious to me!
O Lord, be my helper!
You have turned my mourning into dancing.

O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever.

R.

Second Reading: Revelation 5.11-14

I, John, looked, and I heard the voice of many angels surrounding the throne and the living creatures and the elders; they numbered myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands, singing with full voice, "Worthy is the Lamb that was slaughtered to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honour and glory and blessing!" Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, singing, "To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honour and glory and might forever and ever!" And the four living creatures said, "Amen!" And the elders fell down and worshipped.

Gospel : John 21.1-19

Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?" They answered him, "No." He said to them, "Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the sea. But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about ninety metres off. When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught." So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they knew it was the Lord. Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead. When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." A second time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep." He said to him the third time, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, "Do you love me?" And he said to him, "Lord, you know

everything; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep. Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go." He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God. After this he said to him, "Follow me."

THE SOCIETY OF OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM

The society exists to give honour to Our Lady. It belongs to England's National Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham. We desire to grow closer to Our Lord & his most holy Mother Every Saturday the 9am Eucharist is offered in St Peters honouring Our Lady. Intercessions left in the Chapel of Our Lady are prayed. Members of the Cell meet on the 3rd Saturday of each month & may stay for breakfast after the Mass. On Saturday July 20th Bishop Lindsay Urwin, who was Warden & Guardian of the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham, will admit new members & priest associates to the Society. Members decide to:

- 1. Honour Mary, Mother of God & deepen faith in the Incarnation.
- 2. Promote devotion to Our Lady & Pilgrimage to Walsingham.
- 3. To further that Our Lady's prayers for that conversion of the nations & the reunion of Christendom.
- 4. To seek holiness of life through prayer, scriptures & sacraments.
- 5. To say the *Angelus* each day.

HANDFIELD CHAPEL CRUCIFIX

The new Handfield Chapel crucifix was blessed at 7:15am Weekday Mass this week. Sadly the old crucifix was stolen prior to the installation of the current security system, and has not been returned. Parishioner, Christy Thiagarajah, has kindly donated the new crucifix which he purchased on a recent visit to Spain. Our thanks to Christy for his generous gift.



PRAYERS

FOR THE SICK:

Alan Foster PRIEST, May Gornall, John Harvey, Lynn James, Noelene Jones, Sam Lawson, Bill Loughnan, Kel McMeeken, Jenny Monger, Lisa Morris, Eleanor Newton, Gia Nu Luu, John Ross, George Shaw, Helen Shepherd, Flyn Stewart, Margaret Sutherland, Shane Zieck, and Peter.

As well as:

Carole Ainio, 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, Reg Mills PRIEST, Joyce Newton, Liz Prideaux, Allen Rei, Graham Ritchie, Helen Rowley, Bella Saadala, Barbara Ure-Smith, Ruth Tindale, Hugh Todd, Gael Williams, Annette Wood; and also Andrew, Jan and Chad.

For the Recently Departed: Philip Linton Burgess PRIEST, Angela Heckes.

FOR THOSE WHOSE YEAR'S MIND FALLS THIS WEEK:

- Sun 5 William A'Beckett, Helen Winifred Gore Claridge, William Downes James PRIEST, May Johns, John William Stringer PRIEST
- Mon 6 Grace Ferguson, Carol Hunter, May Millicent Furphy Johns, Made Sukarna
- Tue 7 Owen Dowling BISHOP, Eleanor Kent Hughes, Julie Anne Messina
- Wed 8 Katherine Bird, Ann Cozens, Harold Keith Hiah, Allen Kenn, Hubert Clarence Mitchell, Rochelle Ondaatje, Anna Whitney Ross, Silas Johnston Smyth, Harold Thompson PRIEST, Reginald Wigger, Mary Williams
- Thu 9 Nelly Fraser, Geoffrey Ogilvy, Ethel Were
- Fri 10 Louisa Eileen Bakewell, Norman Thomas Bevan, Eileen Mary Heden
- Sat 11 Frances Burrows, Barry Dobson, Ethel Hudson, Ethel Wall

Treasures of the Baroque

Saturday, 25 May, 2.30pm

With the choir of St Peter's directed by Andrew Raiskums

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ST PETER'S BOOKROOM & CHURCH SUPPLIES

Yesterday St Peter's Bookroom popped up at St Margaret's Eltham. Dorothy Lee was speaking on the Gospel of Luke.

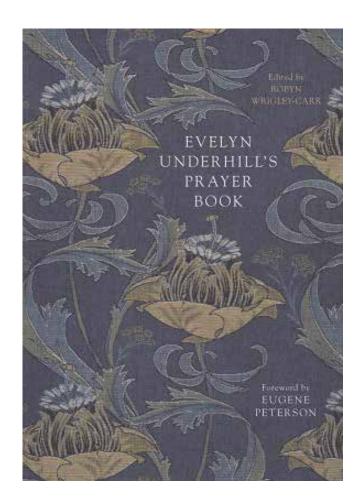
A recommended Easter season book for contemplative space and time:

Evelyn Underhill's Prayer Book

This beautiful volume comprises Evelyn Underhill's two personal prayer books, rediscovered 75 years after her death.

"Let us give thanks for all our Lovers of God in the communion of the Saints." p113

\$26.95



Opening Hours

Monday – Friday 9.30am to 4.30 pm Sunday - after 9.30am & 11am Mass 15 Gisborne St Melbourne 3002

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E-mail: sphoffice@stpeters.org.au 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

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

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	Fr Ken Letts	03 9662 2391
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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".