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2nd February 2025 Epiphany 04

WHAT'S ON

Sunday:

9.00am Eucharist

(1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th Sundays)

10.30am Parish Eucharist &

Kid's Church (Every Sunday)

2.00pm Mandarin Eucharist

(1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th Sundays)

12noon Parish Council Meets (4th Sunday)

12noon Parish Lunch (5th Sunday)

Monday:

Tuesday:

9.00am Morning Prayer

10-3pm St George's Op Shop

10.45am Eucharist @ Ashley (1st Tuesday)

Wednesday:

9.00am Morning Prayer

10-1pm St George's Op Shop

11am Eucharist @ Twin Parks (3rd Wed)

11am Eucharist @ Mercy Place (4th Wed)

Thursday:

9.00am Morning Prayer

10-1pm St George's Op Shop (3rd Thu)

Friday:

9.00am Eucharist

10.00am Eucharist (1st Fri)

9.30-11.30am Food Service

@ All Saints Hall

10-1pm St George's Op Shop (1st, 2nd, 4th)

Saturday:

10.00am Executive Meets (2nd Sat)

10-3pm St George's Op Shop

11.30am 1.00pm Lunch Program

@ All Saints Hall

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THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

2nd February, 2025

First Reading

Jer. 1:4-10

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah

Now the word of the Lord came to me saying, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations." Then I said, "Ah, Lord God! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy." But the Lord said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a boy'; for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I command you, Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the Lord." Then the Lord put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the Lord said to me, "Now I have put my words in your mouth. See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 71:1-6 — *A.P.B.A. page 293*

Second Reading

1 Cor. 13:1-13

A reading from the First Letter to the Corinthians

If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogant or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

Love never ends. But as for prophecies, they will come to an end; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will come to an end. For we know only in part, and we prophesy only in part; but when the complete comes, the partial will come to an end. When I was a child, I spoke like a

child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child; when I became an adult, I put an end to childish ways. For now we see in a mirror, dimly, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known. And now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Lord sent me to bring the Good News to the poor and freedom to prisoners.

Alleluia!

Gospel

Lk. 4:21-30

✠ The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

Jesus began to speak in the synagogue, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They said, "Is not this Joseph's son?" He said to them, "Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, 'Doctor, cure yourself!' And you will say, 'Do here also in your hometown the things that we have heard you did at Capernaum.'"

And he said, "Truly I tell you, no prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown. But the truth is, there were many widows in Israel in the time of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, and there was a severe famine over all the land; yet Elijah was sent to none of them except to a widow at Zarephath in Sidon. There were also many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha, and none of them was cleansed except Naaman the Syrian."

When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with rage. They got up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they might hurl him off the cliff. But he passed through the midst of them and went on his way.

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

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Prayers & Responses This Week

Response to Intercessions

God of grace, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Praying For Those in Need

Allen, Natasha, Carolyn, Lindsay, Bree,
Bev, Evelyn, Olga.

Praying for the Memory of

Vida Maser, May Butler, Rodney Culph,
Enid Lazarus

PRAYER FOR THE HOLY LAND

O God of justice and peace.

*We cry out to you in the midst of the
pain and trauma of violence and fear
which prevails in the Holy Land.*

*Be with those who need you in this
time of suffering.*

*We pray for peoples of all faiths:
Jews, Muslims and Christians
and all the people of the land.*

*We pray to you O Lord
for an end to the violence and
the establishment of peace.*

*We also call for you to bring justice
and equity to the peoples.*

*Guide us into your kingdom where all
people are treated as your children.*

*For to all of us,
you are our heavenly Father.*

In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

OUR GIVING LAST SUNDAY

	<i>Actual</i>	<i>Budget pw</i>
9.00am	\$ 160.00	\$ 192.30
10.30am	\$ 265.95	\$ 769.23
2.00pm	\$ 482.00	\$ 288.45
Total	\$907.95	\$1249.98
Missions	\$ 0.00	\$ 23.07
Op Shop	\$ 1246.84	\$ 961.53

Kid's Church resumes today.

Parents, please make sure your
child has been signed in and
registered for the day.

Server Training

Held after church each Sunday in
February.

Fr Fan on leave to 11 Feb.

Fr Chaplain on leave to 20 Feb.

2pm Mandarin Eucharist

There will be no 2pm Eucharist on
2/2 and 9/2. Resumes on 16/2.

Position Vacant

Coordinator

St George's Op Shop.

Applications are invited for this
volunteer role to oversee and
coordinate all aspects of the Parish
Op Shop located at St George's.

If you are interested, please obtain
a Position Description from
Archdeacon Michael.

Written applications addressing the
criteria in the PD will close on the
31st January 2025.

Programs closed in January

Weekday Services resume 03/02

Aged Care Services resume 03/02

Dates for the Diary

Next Executive Meeting 8 February

Next Parish Council Meeting 23 Feb

Next Parish Lunch Sunday 30 March

Ash Wednesday 5 March

Maundy Thursday 17 April

Good Friday 18 April

Easter Day 20 April

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