Welcome to
The Anglican parish of St John the Evangelist
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our mission statement

What we have seen and heard we announce to you also, so that you will join us in the fellowship that we have with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ.

1 John 1.3

First Sunday in Lent
14th February 2016

8am Holy Communion
10am Sung Eucharist
St John’s Toorak

9.00am Holy Communion
All Saints’ Kooyong

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Music during Lent
During the Season of Lent we sing the following movements for the Ordinary from Together in Song. Kyrie 758, Sanctus 762, Memorial Acclamations 757, Agnus Dei 757. Please join in lustily, despite the reserved nature of the Season!
During Lent the psalm will be sung by the choir, to allow greater space to meditate on this ancient wisdom. The sparse texture of these musical tones allows the words to resonate in a fresh yet timeless way. In a similar vein, the Gospel Reading will be unadorned by any music.
This reduction of “noise” during Lent makes the darkened, joyful proclamation of the Exultet, and blaze of light at the first Gloria of the Easter Vigil, that much more arresting.

Music Today
The Secret Sins     William Mundy
Call to Remembrance   Richard Farrant
Prelude in F BWV 534     J. S. Bach

Probably composed by William Mundy (c1529–1591) The Secret sins is one of two verse anthems by Mundy, and are early examples of the genre invented by Farrant. In the following century Gibbons was a fine exponent of the Verse Anthem, hence the attribution to him. These works allow individual members of the choir to hone their skill against the forces of the full choir. Due to the language the text is included below:
The secret sins that hidden lye within my pensive heart.
Procures great heaps of bitter thoughts and fills my soul with smart;
And yet the more my soul doth seek some sweet relief to find,
the more doth sin, with vain delights,
Alas, still keep me blind.

Thou see’st, O God, the strifes there are between my soul and sin:
Thy grace doth work, but sin prevails and blinds my soul therein.
Wherefore, sweet Christ, thy grace increase, my faith augment withal,
And for Thy tender mercy’s sake,
Lord, hear me when I call.
Amen.
Organ Postludes during Lent at 10am
J.S. Bach wrote music which is not just good music but exudes a Christian and theological quality. It bears not only the hallmarks of a skilled craftsman, but of a creator who continued the traditions of the civilising and evangelising properties of Fine Art. Bach’s manuscripts are invariably notated SDG and JJ [To God alone be glory & Jesu, help]. As postludes to the five Sundays before Passiontide, five of the more serious Organ Preludes will be played following the 10am Liturgy. You’re invited to submit to the magnificence of J.S. Bach, before refreshments in the Guild Room.

Dem höchsten Gott allein zu Ehren, Dem Nächsten draus sich zu belehren.
To the Most Highest God alone be praise, and that my neighbour may be benefited thereby.

Liz Hawthorne
Will be talking about her missionary work in Africa on Sunday 14 February in the church after the 10.00am service.

Prayers for Christian Unity
Thursday 25 February, 10.00am at the Swedish Church.
### WORSHIP at St John’s

#### This Sunday: 14 February
- **First Sunday in Lent**
  - **(violet)**
  - **8.00am - Holy Communion**

*Hymns:* 591, 125, 580
Deuteronomy 26.1-11 (T Mouritz)
Psalm 91.1-2, 9-16
Romans 10.4-13 (T Craddock)
Luke 4.1-15

**Celebrant:** The Revd Dr Peter French  
**Preacher:** The Revd Dr Peter French  
**Intercessor:** Carmen Papageorge

#### Next Sunday: 21 February
- **Second Sunday in Lent**
  - **(violet)**
  - **8.00am - Holy Communion**

*Hymns:* 349, 232, 631
Genesis 15.1-12, 17-18 (V Randall)
Psalm 27
Philippians 3.17-4.1 (L Hosking)

**Celebrant:** The Revd Dr Peter French  
**Preacher:** The Revd Dr Peter French  
**Intercessor:** Viv Randall

#### 10.00am - Sung Eucharist

*Hymns:* 591, 223, 125, 580
Deuteronomy 26.1-11 (K Beecher)
Psalm 91.1-2, 9-16
Romans 10.4-13 (G Gould)
Luke 4.1-15

**Anthem:** The secret sins (Orlando Gibbons)  
**Communion:** Call to remembrance (Richard Farrant)  
**Postlude:** Prelude in f [BWV 534] (Joh Seb Bach)  

**Celebrant:** The Revd Dr Peter French  
**Preacher:** The Revd Dr Peter French  
**Intercessor:** Liz Hawthorne

#### 10.00am - Sung Eucharist

*Hymns:* 349, 453, 232, 631
Genesis 15.1-12, 17-18 (J Griffith)
Psalm 27
Philippians 3.17-4.1 (R Williams)

**Anthem:** Thou knowest, Lord (Henry Purcell)  
**Communion:** Ave verum corpus (Edward Elgar)  
**Postlude:** Prelude in f [BWV 534] (Joh Seb Bach)  

**Celebrant:** The Revd Dr Peter French  
**Preacher:** The Revd Dr Peter French  
**Intercessor:** John Horan

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**Morning tea volunteers:**
- Nona Wilson, Sarogini Maclarn  

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- Kari Kongshem, Volunteer required

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**Director of Music –**  
**Mr Christopher Cook**
WORSHIP at All Saints’ Kooyong
Organist – Margaret Orr

This Sunday: 14 February
First Sunday in Lent
(violet)

Deuteronomy 26.1-11 (J Lall)
Psalm 91.1-2, 9-16
Romans 10.4-13 (S Khan)
Luke 4.1-15

Celebrant: The Revd Hilary Roath
Preacher: The Revd Hilary Roath
Intercessor: S Khan

Next Sunday: 21 February
Second Sunday in Lent
(violet)

9.00am - Holy Communion

Genesis 15.1-12, 17-18 (A Prentice)
Psalm 27
Philippians 3.17-4.1 (M Richardson)

Celebrant: The Revd Hilary Roath
Preacher: The Revd Hilary Roath
Intercessor: M Richardson
PRAYER NOTES

World & Nation:
We pray for Anglican Christians working for peace in so many troubled parts of the world.
Church of the Province of Central Africa (Abp Albert Chama); Theological Colleges, Church Schools & Church Kindergartens; ACCESS ministries (Dawn Penney, CEO); Mullum Mullum Anglican Parish, Ringwood (Michael Lazarus, Shannon Lee, David Lual); St Philip’s Deep Creek - pastoral visit (Bp Genieve Blackwell).

Those being married:
Charles Jenkins & Kylie Billman; Peter Terrill & Anne Gronow.

Those being baptised:
Primrose Phillips.

For schools in the community:
Geelong Grammar School Toorak Campus (Glamorgan), Head of Campus Garry Pierson; St Catherine's School, Principal Michelle Carroll; Toorak Primary School, Principal Julie Manallack. Scotch College, Principal Tom Batty.

For those who lead us in the Anglican Church:

The Toorak Ecumenical Movement:
Pray for our partner churches: St Peter’s Roman Catholic Church, Toorak Uniting Church, The Swedish Church.

For Those In Mission Work:
CMS Link Missionaries; Andrew, Helen, Jacqueline and Alyssa. Liz Hawthorne.

For the sick and all in need:
Matthew; John Saunders; Susan; Alan; Paul Dalton; Samuel; Robert John; Peter Leeton; Julia Hyde; Mark Lincoln; Kate; Michael Collins Persse; Geoffrey Clinton; Philip Trealor; Marie Dieni; Michael Morgan; Karen Lammers; Grace.

For those in nursing homes and those who are house bound:
Nan Milner; Randall Watt; Lorna Mirfield; Dorothy Hughes; Michael Moore; Don Sawers; Thelma Freeman; Ken Hyden.

Give thanks for those whose Anniversary of death is this week:
Nanette Long; Peter Moss; Victoria Maclarn; Diana Coate; Hugh Henderson; Peter Williams; Jennifer Ballantyne; Judith Morgan; Dorothy Wilson.
The flowers by the Book of Remembrance are in loving memory of Victoria Maclarn.
February

Sunday 14 February
Liz Hawthorne to talk about her missionary work after the 10.00am service, in the church.
12.00pm - Baptism of Primrose Phillips.

Thursday 18 February
11.00am - Holy Communion.
7.00pm - Parish Council meeting.

Saturday 20 February
2.00pm - Wedding of Charles Jenkins and Kylie Billman.
4.00pm - Wedding of Peter Terrill and Anne Gronow.