

## **RICHMOND E-NEWS**

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*“Not only with our lips but in our lives”*

### **RICHMOND CHRISTMAS WEEK**

- TODAY (Christmas Eve), Communion at **Holy Trinity** (4 pm), **St John’s** (6 pm) & **St Mark’s** (8 pm)
- On Christmas day, Communion at **St John’s** (10 am)
- On Sunday, Communion at **Holy Trinity** (9 am) & **St John’s** (11 am); Morning Prayer at **St Mark’s** (9 am)

Among those we hold up in prayer: **Billie, Carolyn, Cathy, Cole, Connie, Danielle, Doreen, Frankie, Freda, Gary, Glenn, Graeme, Helen, Jack, James, Jason, Jean, Jeremy, Joanne, John, Katherine, Kevin, Lawrence, Lewis, Linda, Marg, Margaret, May Izabella, Meghann, Melba, Melissa, Nadine, Pauline, Peter, Robert, Russel, Steven**

This coming week’s birthdays: **Ernest Clarke, Andrew Bell**

Four Christmas-week meditations, each a sublime excerpt from **Messiah** by Georg Handel. Contemplate and give thanks.

- *“He shall feed his flock like a shepherd”/“Come unto Him all ye that labour”*: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l-bAXm-A3Ls>
- *“He was despised and rejected of men”/“He gave his back to the smiters”*: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pzeZsDfoLXU>

- *“I know that my redeemer liveth”:*  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aW6zJA8W-v8>
- *“The trumpet shall sound and the dead shall be raised incorruptible”:*  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OM2yUH3E4JA>