

# St George's Magill

Seventh Sunday After Easter

17 May 2026

**Welcome** to church this morning, whether you are joining us in person or online! To join us online (at 8:30 am and 10:30 am), please go to [www.stgeorgesmagill.org](http://www.stgeorgesmagill.org) for the Zoom link.



## Adam and Christ

### Bible Readings

**Romans 5:12–21**

Genesis 3:1–13

Matthew 4:1–11

**The Sentence** | For if, by the trespass of the one man, death reigned through that one man, how much more will those who receive God's abundant provision of grace and of the gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man, Jesus Christ! **Romans 5:17**

**The Collect** | O God the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven. We pray, do not leave us comfortless, but send to us your Holy Spirit to comfort us and exalt us to the same place where our Saviour Christ has gone before, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. **Amen.**

**Vision Statement:** St George's will be a prayerful family which brings glory to Jesus Christ, by applying God's word to our lives, and using our gifts and resources to proclaim the gospel at every opportunity in Magill and beyond.

# *Adam and Christ*

**Next week's topic:** Scott on The Holy Spirit in Romans



**Praying for Our Church People:** Barbara Dick, Bill Dickson, Linda Dickon, David Duell, Mary Duell, Nancy pope, Violetta Eade

**Mission Partners** – Please pray for our friends:

- Maggie Crewes (With CMS)
- M (With CMS)
- David & Tamra Purton (FOCUS International Student Ministry - AFES)
- Dave & Margie Wood (Cooper Pedy – BCA)
- Pray for the team involved in ministry to internationals here at St George's

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**New Testament (8:30 am) / First Reading (10:30 am) — Romans 5:12–21 — Linda Dickson, Alana Wong**

(Page 914 of the red Bible)

12 Therefore, just as sin entered the world through one man, and death through sin, and in this way death came to all people, because all sinned—

13 To be sure, sin was in the world before the law was given, but sin is not charged against anyone's account where there is no law. 14 Nevertheless, death reigned from the time of Adam to the time of Moses, even over those who did not sin by breaking a command, as did Adam, who is a pattern of the one to come.

15 But the gift is not like the trespass. For if the many died by the trespass of the one man, how much more did God's grace and the gift that came by the grace of the one man, Jesus Christ, overflow to the many! 16 Nor can the gift of God be compared with the result of one man's sin: The judgment followed one sin and brought condemnation, but the gift followed many trespasses and brought justification. 17 For if, by the trespass of the one man, death reigned through that one man, how much more will those who receive God's abundant provision of grace and of the gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man, Jesus Christ!

18 Consequently, just as one trespass resulted in condemnation for all people, so also one righteous act resulted in justification and life for all people. 19 For just as through the disobedience of the one man the many were made sinners, so also through the obedience of the one man the many will be made righteous.

20 The law was brought in so that the trespass might increase. But where sin increased, grace increased all the more, 21 so that, just as sin reigned in death, so also grace might reign through righteousness to bring eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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**Old Testament (8:30 am) / Second Reading (10:30 am) — Genesis 3:1–13 — Pam Higgins, Amy Atkins**

(Page 2 of the red Bible)

<sup>3</sup> Now the serpent was more crafty than any of the wild animals the LORD God had made. He said to the woman, “Did God really say, ‘You must not eat from any tree in the garden?’”

<sup>2</sup> The woman said to the serpent, “We may eat fruit from the trees in the garden,<sup>3</sup> but God did say, ‘You must not eat fruit from the tree that is in the middle of the garden, and you must not touch it, or you will die.’”

<sup>4</sup> “You will not certainly die,” the serpent said to the woman. <sup>5</sup> “For God knows that when you eat from it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil.”

<sup>6</sup> When the woman saw that the fruit of the tree was good for food and pleasing to the eye, and also desirable for gaining wisdom, she took some and ate it. She also gave some to her husband, who was with her, and he ate it. <sup>7</sup> Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they realized they were naked; so they sewed fig leaves together and made coverings for themselves.

<sup>8</sup> Then the man and his wife heard the sound of the LORD God as he was walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and they hid from the LORD God among the trees of the garden. <sup>9</sup> But the LORD God called to the man, “Where are you?”

<sup>10</sup> He answered, “I heard you in the garden, and I was afraid because I was naked; so I hid.”

<sup>11</sup> And he said, “Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree that I commanded you not to eat from?”

<sup>12</sup> The man said, “The woman you put here with me—she gave me some fruit from the tree, and I ate it.”

<sup>13</sup> Then the LORD God said to the woman, “What is this you have done?” The woman said, “The serpent deceived me, and I ate.”

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**Gospel (8:30 am) / Third Reading (10:30 am) — Matthew 4:1–11 — Ryan Graetz, David Purton**

(Page 785 of the red Bible)

4 Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. <sup>2</sup>After fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. <sup>3</sup>The tempter came to him and said, “If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread.”

<sup>4</sup>Jesus answered, “It is written: ‘Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.’”

<sup>5</sup>Then the devil took him to the holy city and had him stand on the highest point of the temple. <sup>6</sup>“If you are the Son of God,” he said, “throw yourself down. For it is written:

“He will command his angels concerning you,  
and they will lift you up in their hands,  
so that you will not strike your foot against a stone.”

<sup>7</sup>Jesus answered him, “It is also written: ‘Do not put the Lord your God to the test.’”

<sup>8</sup>Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their splendor. <sup>9</sup>“All this I will give you,” he said, “if you will bow down and worship me.”

<sup>10</sup>Jesus said to him, “Away from me, Satan! For it is written: ‘Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.’”

<sup>11</sup>Then the devil left him, and angels came and attended him.



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Mon 7:30pm	Hazelwood Park	Bill Dickson
Tue 7:30pm	Marden	David Purton
Wed 7:30pm	People's homes	Mike & Ally
Thu 12:30pm	Magill	Linda Dickson
Thu 7:00pm (Young Adults)	Magill	Ryan Graetz

### The week ahead in the Church: 18 May—24 May

#### Mon

<b>Tue</b>	10:00 am	Buzz Music & Play
	10:30 am	Tuesday Prayer Group

**Wed** 11:00 am Third Wednesday Chapel

#### Thu

<b>Fri</b>	3:30 pm	Kids Club
	6:00 pm	Youth Group

**Sat** 9:30 am Zoom Prayer Meeting

<b>Sun</b>	8:30 am	Communion
	10:30 am	Prayer & Praise
	12:30 pm	Community Lunch

### Service Times

#### Sunday 8:30 am

- Traditional Service with Holy Communion

#### Sunday 10:30 am

- Contemporary Service (inc. Children's and Youth Programs)



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