

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity, Terrigal EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 31st July, 2022



8.00am – Sung Eucharist Presiding & Preaching – Fr Mark Watson
Organist – Ian Sell

Hymns: TIS 216 (Tune: Gopsal), 433, 540, 622.

<u>9.30am</u> – Holy Eucharist Presiding & Preaching – Fr Mark Watson Organist – Sharon Sandstrom

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[All hymns are from Together in Song unless otherwise specified.]

Prayer and anointing for healing are available at each Eucharist. If you would like prayer and anointing, please move in front of the step, at the left side of the altar, after receiving communion and a priest will come and minister to you.

Letter from the Archbishop of Canterbury

Dear sisters and brothers,

I am greatly looking forward to being with you in Canterbury next week. As you set out on your journeys from around the world, I thank God for this opportunity to be together in prayer, study and conversation.

This year's Lambeth Conference will be focussed on the major global crises of our time, their impact on the most vulnerable, and our Gospel imperative to serve a world in need. This is a historic opportunity to hear from each other about the opportunities and challenges we face in sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ in our diverse contexts around the world – and to pray for and affirm each other in those ministries.

I know that many of you are reading and praying about the draft Lambeth Calls that have been published this week – and they are naturally the subject of debate ahead of the conference. Indeed, these Calls have grown out of a process of discussion and encounter with one another. They are informed by the insights and themes of the online video conversations between bishops across the world over the past year. They have been drafted by a diverse group of Anglicans – male and female, lay and ordained, from different generations and from every part of the Communion. They are one part of a process that began before this part of the Conference, and will continue long after it formally finishes, as every Province discerns its own response to the Calls in their own contexts.

As you prepare your hearts and minds for this gathering, I pray that we all reflect on the draft Call on Anglican Identity, which states that Anglicans "belong to a tradition that seeks faithfulness to God in richly diverse cultures, distinct human experiences, and deep disagreements." That call also states: "The Anglican Communion is a gift from God. Governed by Scripture, affirming the ancient creeds, sacramentally centered, and episcopally led – Anglicans seek to be faithful to God in their agreement and in their disagreements."

Without ignoring those things on which we deeply disagree, I pray that we will approach this gathering with an even deeper sense of what unites us: the love of Jesus Christ and his calling to serve God's world.

Be assured of my continuing prayers for you all – now and in the weeks to come.

Yours as ever in the peace of Christ, ++Justin

Sentence

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.

Colossians 3.1

Prayer of the Day

Living God, Judge of us all, you have placed in our hands the wealth we call our own: through your Spirit give us wisdom, that our possessions may not be a curse, but a means of blessing in our lives. Grant this through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Anglican Women's Prayer

Eternal God, the light of the minds that know you. The light of the souls that love you, and the strength of the hearts that serve you, help us to know you, that we may truly love you, so to love you that we may fully serve you, for to serve you is perfect freedom, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

A Reading from Ecclesiastes Chapter 1 verses 2, 12-14 and chapter 2 verses 18-23

Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher, vanity of vanities! All is vanity.

I, the Teacher, when king over Israel in Jerusalem, applied my mind to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven; it is an unhappy business that God has given to human beings to be busy with. I saw all the deeds that are done under the sun; and see, all is vanity and a chasing after wind.

I hated all my toil in which I had toiled under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to those who come after me —and who knows whether they will be wise or foolish? Yet they will be master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under the sun. This also is vanity. So I turned and gave my heart up to despair concerning all the toil of my labours under the sun, because sometimes one who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave all to be enjoyed by another who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. What do mortals get from all the toil and strain with which they toil under the sun? For all their days are full of pain, and their work is a vexation; even at night their minds do not rest. This also is vanity.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 49.1-12

- 1 O hear this, all you peoples: give ear, all you inhabitants of the world,
- 2 All children of earth, offspring of Adam: both rich and poor alike.
- 3 For my mouth shall speak wisdom: and the thoughts of my heart shall be full of understanding.

4 I will incline my ear to a riddle: and unfold the mystery to the sounds of the harp.

5 Why should I fear in the evil days: when the wickedness of my deceivers surrounds me,

6 Though they trust to their great wealth: and boast of the abundance of their riches?

7 No one may ransom another: or give God a price for them,

8 So that they may live for ever: and never see the grave;

9 For to ransom a life is so costly: that it must be abandoned for ever.

10 For we see that the wise die: and perish with the foolish and the ignorant, leaving their wealth to others.

11 The tomb is their home for ever, their dwelling-place throughout all generations: though they called estates after their own names.

12 The rich without understanding: are like the beasts that perish.

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Colossians Chapter 3, verses 1-11

So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. But now you must get rid of all such

things—anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

Hear the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Alleluia, alleluia!

Happy the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs!

Alleluia!

The Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke, Chapter 12, verses 13 - 21.

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Someone in the crowd said to him, 'Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.' But he said to him, 'Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?' And he said to them, 'Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.' Then he told them a parable: 'The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, "What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?" Then he said, "I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry." But God said to him, "You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?" So it is

with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich towards God.'

For the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Please pray for:

Shirley Kearns, Sharon Sandstrom, Angarad O'Malley, Tania Howlett, David Lamb, Gloria Townsend, Irene Neville, Denise Perry, Ron Langley, Michelle Davies, Jo, Ray Wilmot, Steve Taylor, Lynette Brennan, Di. M, Jeannie Hilton, Robyn Smith, Carmen McGee and Bob Morgan.

Prayer of the Week

Almighty God, whose beloved Son for our sake willingly endured the agony and shame of the cross: give us courage and patience to take up our cross daily and follow him; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

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'WHISPERS OF LOVE' A MEDITATION

Vale Nancy Harris and Kathy Oakes, members of our meditation community, both died within the last week.

A Funeral Service will be held for Nancy on Monday 1st August, at 10am at Holy Trinity. The burial service for Nancy will be at Woronora Memorial Park Cemetery at Sutherland at 2pm the same day. There will be no Meditation meeting on that day.

Kathy Oakes' Funeral will be on Tuesday 2nd August at 10am at Holy Trinity. The burial service for Kathy will be at French's Forest at 2.30pm that day.

Please pray for their families and friends.

Reflection: Listening creates a holy silence. When you listen generously to people, they can hear the truth in themselves, often for the first time.

And in the silence of the listening, you can know yourself in someone. Eventually, you may be able to hear, in everyone and beyond everyone, the unseen singing softly to itself and to you.

Prayerfully, Reverend Ann.

RESUMPTION OF WEDNESDAY EUCHARIST AND SACRED READING

At the beginning of winter this group decided to close for the winter and resume in August. This winter has been a very cold and dark time. With this in mind we have postponed the resumption until Wednesday 7 September at 5.00pm for the Eucharist followed by Sacred Reading for approximately an hour. Both events are open to everyone. You are welcome to attend one and not the other if that suits your circumstances.

Is God asking you to participate in these events to enable you to grow further in your spiritual life and relationship with God through Jesus and the work of the Holy Spirit in your life? The requirements to participate in Sacred Reading is an openness to God's Word and a Bible from which you can read the Gospel for the following Sunday Eucharist.

Fr. Roy

VOLUNTEER NEEDED FOR ROSTER CO-ORDINATION

We need a volunteer to co-ordinate the monthly rosters for Greeters and Sidespersons. This will be an ongoing role where you will organise people for a monthly roster which will be sent to the office for printing. Please see Fr Mark or call Cal in the office on Tuesday or Thursday on 4365 1115 or email her at admin@terrigalanglican.org.au if you are interested in volunteering for this role. Thank you.

THANK YOU BOXES AND POUCHES

These are available to everyone, so please take one and place a coin in it whenever you receive a blessing. Money collected by the Anglican Women will go toward Numeracy and Literacy Programs in New Guinea late in 2022. Thank you.

SAMARITANS

Thank you to the congregation for being excellent givers of donations for the Samaritans. Items are urgently needed now and include soups, tinned vegetables, spaghetti & sauce, and items for the coming winter. Thank you.

OP SHOP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for more volunteers for our Op Shop on Thursday and Friday. Can you spare a few hours? We would be most grateful. Op Shop volunteers need to complete a Police Check and the Safer Ministry Course, along with some other requirements prior to commencement. If you are interested in joining our lovely team, please see one of our managers, Carolyn Shields or Julie Laird, in the Op Shop or call them on 4365 1280 for more details.

ONE USE PLASTIC BAGS FOR OP SHOP

Due to new laws on one-use plastics, when donating bags to the Op Shop or Market Day, we cannot accept thin ones that are one-use bags. Please don't donate them as they will have to go to landfill and will cost us to dispose of them. Thank you. Carolyn Shields.

DINNER AT TERRIGAL BOWLING CLUB

Please join us for dinner at Terrigal Bowling Club at 'Bec's Kitchen' on Sunday 7th August, 2022 from 6pm. If you are interested, please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the notice board. Thank you.

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

We encourage and welcome ladies from all services to join us in Women's Fellowship. We generally meet on the second Monday of the month at 1pm at Church, finishing with afternoon tea but. Our next meeting will be on the 8^{th of} August at 12pm. Please join us. Thank you. Pam Flegg.

Next Sunday – 7th August, 2022 NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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Organist - Cliff Bingham

<u>9.30am</u> – Holy Eucharist – Presiding & Preaching – Fr Mark Watson Organist – Sharon Sandstrom

Readings: Genesis 15.1-6 Psalm 33.13-21, Hebrews 11.1-3, 8-16

Gospel: Luke 12.32-40



Ordinary Sunday 18C Pentecost 8 - Sunday 31 July 2022

• Hosea 11.1-11; Psalm 107.1-9, 43; Colossians 3.1-11; Luke 12.13-21

Jesus tells us the Parable of the Rich Fool – someone who wants to store up his harvest rather than worrying about the state of his soul. How can we worry less about material things and concentrate on building up our love for God and for our neighbours?

- Jesus Christ, more precious than gold or diamonds, help me to seek those things that are worthy of storing up in my soul so that I will not live to die a rich fool.
- Give thanks for ABM's networking partner, Episcopal Relief and Development (ERD), based in the United States of America.

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Rosters for next week 5th and 7th August - Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Friday 5th August 10.30am Eucharist

Reader		
Margretta Haage		

Sunday 7th August

Flowers	
Jackie Davidson	

8.00am Eucharist

Readers	Servers
1 st – Jocelyn Mulcahy	Ronda & Neil
2 nd – Lorraine Zahra	

9.30am Eucharist

Readers	Servers	9.30am Morning Tea
1 st – Anna Holt	Ronda & Neil	Terry Rowe
2 nd – John Holt		Julie Rowe

This Week

Monday 1st August

Holy Men and Women of the Old Testament

10.00am – Whispers of Love – a meditation [Revd. Ann Watson]

Tuesday 2nd August

7.00pm – Trinity Band and Singers Rehearsal

Wednesday 3rd August STEPHEN, DEACON AND FIRST MARTYR

Thursday 4th August

John Baptist Vianney, parish priest of Ars, France (d. 1859)

Friday 5th August

Oswald, king and martyr (d. 642)

10.30am – Holy Eucharist [Fr Mark Watson]

Readings: Nahum 3.1-7, Psalm 106.49-50

Gospel: Matthew 16.24-28

11.00am – Morning Tea

Saturday 6th August THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD

6.00pm - Terrigal Bowling Club Dinner at 'Bec's Kitchen'.

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