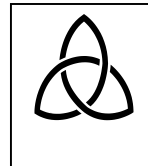


**The Anglican Diocese of Newcastle
The Parish of Terrigal**



The Third Sunday in Lent

28th February, 2016

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity

7.30am – Sung Eucharist - *Presiding & preaching – Fr Mark*

Congregational Hymns

227, 368, 508, 215 *Organist – Chris Sillince*

Baroque Postlude: Prelude & Fugue in E Minor ('The Cathedral')(J S Bach)

9.30am - Holy Eucharist - *Presiding & preaching – Fr Mark*

Congregational Hymns

179, 407, 609, 754 *Music - Trinity Band & Singers*

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

Our Parish Identity

We are the body of Christ. His Spirit is with us.

Our Parish Vision

**We desire to shine as one in Christ
that God's will be done.**

A Reading from the book of Isaiah
Chapter 55, verses 1-9.

Ho, everyone who thirsts,
 come to the waters;
and you that have no money,
 come, buy and eat!
Come, buy wine and milk
 without money and without price.
Why do you spend your money for that which is not
bread,
 and your labour for that which does not satisfy?
Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good,
 and delight yourselves in rich food.
Incline your ear, and come to me;
 listen, so that you may live.
I will make with you an everlasting covenant,
 my steadfast, sure love for David.
See, I made him a witness to the peoples,
 a leader and commander for the peoples.
See, you shall call nations that you do not know,
 and nations that do not know you shall run to you,
because of the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel,
 for he has glorified you.

Seek the LORD while he may be found,
 call upon him while he is near;
let the wicked forsake their way,
 and the unrighteous their thoughts;
let them return to the LORD, that he may have mercy
on them,
 and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.
For my thoughts are not your thoughts,
 nor are your ways my ways, says the LORD.
For as the heavens are higher than the earth,
 so are my ways higher than your ways
 and my thoughts than your thoughts.

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

Psalm: 63.1-9

O God, you are my God:
eagerly will I seek you.

**My soul thirsts for you, my flesh longs for you:
as a dry and thirsty land where no water is.**

So it was when I beheld you in the sanctuary:
and saw your power and your glory.

**For your unchanging goodness is better than life:
therefore my lips shall praise you.**

And so I will bless you as long as I live:
and in your name will I lift my hands on high.

**My longing shall be satisfied as with marrow and
fatness:
my mouth shall praise you with exultant lips.**

When I remember you upon my bed:
when I meditate upon you in the night watches,

**How you have been my helper:
then I sing for joy in the shadow of your wings,**

Then my soul clings to you:
and your right hand upholds me.

**Glory to God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit
as in the beginning, so now and forever. Amen**

A Reading from the first letter to the Corinthians Chapter 10, verses 1 to 13

I do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that our ancestors were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea, and all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea, and all ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same

spiritual drink. For they drank from the spiritual rock that followed them, and the rock was Christ. Nevertheless, God was not pleased with most of them, and they were struck down in the wilderness.

Now these things occurred as examples for us, so that we might not desire evil as they did. Do not become idolaters as some of them did; as it is written, '*The people sat down to eat and drink, and they rose up to play.*' We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in a single day. We must not put Christ to the test, as some of them did, and were destroyed by serpents. And do not complain as some of them did, and were destroyed by the destroyer. These things happened to them to serve as an example, and they were written down to instruct us, on whom the ends of the ages have come. So if you think you are standing, watch out that you do not fall. No testing has overtaken you that is not common to everyone. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tested beyond your strength, but with the testing he will also provide the way out so that you may be able to endure it.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

**The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to St Luke,
Chapter 13, verses 31–35.**

At that very hour some Pharisees came and said to him, 'Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you.' He said to them, 'Go and tell that fox for me, "Listen, I am casting out demons and performing cures today and tomorrow, and on the third day I finish my work. Yet today, tomorrow, and the next day I must be on my way, because it is impossible for a prophet to be killed away from Jerusalem." Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often have I desired to gather your children together as a hen gathers her

brood under her wings, and you were not willing! See, your house is left to you. And I tell you, you will not see me until the time comes when you say, "Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord." "

For the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Please pray for

Fr. Stephen Pullin, Joel, Anne & Noel, Jim & Pat, Will & Marion,
Lesley & Lou, Keith Williams, Merv & Joan Singh, Ilara, Rachel,
Robert Vallance, Marie Hawes, Elsie Patterson, Simon Argue,
Baby Andre, Ron Readman, Martin Collett

Rain for New England Area

We prayerfully Remember

Margaret Luig

LENTEN STUDIES

WEDNESDAY 5.30PM – SACRED READING- Fr. Roy

FRIDAYS AT 11.45AM - 'WALKING HUMBLY WITH GOD' – Fr. Mark

Why not include one of these bible studies in this year's Lenten journey?

All Welcome.

'WHISPERS OF LOVE' MEDITATION GROUP

Monday 10.00am

A warm welcome to attend.

Reflection

During these days of Lent we are invited to spend time reflecting on God's great and unconditional love for each of us. We are called to express our love for God by prayer, meditation, fasting, good works and almsgiving.

Prayerfully Reverend Ann

The Week of the Third Sunday in Lent

Monday 29th February

10.00am - 'Whispers of Love'

Tuesday 1st March

8.00am – Morning Prayer

7.00pm – Trinity Band & Singers rehearsal

Wednesday 2nd March

8.00am – Morning Prayer

9.15am - 12.15pm - Maestro Possums [Multi-Purpose Room]

5.00pm - Holy Eucharist [*Fr. Roy*]

5.30pm - Sacred Readings [*Fr. Roy*]

Thursday 3rd March

8.00am – Morning Prayer

Friday 4th March

8.00am – Morning Prayer

9.15am - 12.00pm - Maestro Possums [Multi-Purpose Room]

10.00am - World Day of Prayer – Narara Uniting Church

10.30am - Holy Eucharist [*Fr. Mark*] and morning tea

Readings – Hosea 14: 2-10; Ps : 81.6-10; Mark 12: 28-34

11.45am - Bible Study [*Fr. Mark*] – *Lenten Studies-[Walking Humbly with God]*

Saturday 5th March

10.00am – Messy Church Meeting

SATURDAY 5TH MARCH 6.00pm

Praise + Music

A service of Contemporary Worship for all

Why not join us.

A BIG THANK YOU to our Op. Shop Volunteers who have worked so hard in the heat over the past few weeks. You are appreciated!

Next Sunday – 6th March, 2016

The Fourth Sunday in Lent

7.30am – Sung Eucharist *Presiding & preaching – Fr Mark- Organist - C. Sillince*

9.30am – Holy Eucharist *Presiding & preaching – Fr Mark - Organist - S. Sandstrom*

Eucharistic Readings:

Joshua 5.2-12; Ps. 32; 2 Corinthians 5.16 -21; Luke 15. 11-32.

DATES FOR THE DIARY – 2016

Sunday 6th March – 6.00pm – Parish Dinner at the Bowlo

Tuesday 8th March – 3.00pm – Eucharist at Tarragal Glen

Tuesday 8th March – 7.30pm – Parish Council Meeting

Wednesday 9th March - 10.00am -Tarragal House Eucharist/Concert *[Fr.Mark]*

Thursday 10th March - 10.00am - Pastoral Care Meeting

Thursday 10th March 11.00am – Samaritans Link Day

Saturday 12th March – 8.00am – Garden Working Bee

Saturday 12th March – 3.30pm – Wedding - Nathan Rea and Lisa Timbrell

Sunday 13th March – 11.30am – Parish Annual General Meeting

Monday 14th March - 1.00pm – Women’s Fellowship Meeting

Wednesday 16th March–10.30am– Eucharist at The Nursing Home(Aurum)*[Fr.Mark]*

Thursday 17th March – 10.00am – Eucharist at The Pod *[Fr.Mark]*

Friday 18th March – 1.00pm – Market Day Preparations

Saturday 19th March – 8.00am – 1.00pm – Market Day

Sunday 20th March – 3.30pm – 5.30pm – Messy Church

Tuesday 22nd March 1.00pm – Coffee, Craft & Chat

Friday 25th March – Good Friday

Sunday 27th March – Easter Day

Sunday 22nd May – Trinity Sunday – Women’s Fellowship Luncheon

PARISH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - ELECTORAL ROLL

13th MARCH, 2016 at 11.30am

In order to vote at this meeting your name must be on the electoral roll. **This is a totally separate roll from the Parish Contact Book.** A list has been placed on the table outside the church for you to check if your name is on the roll. There are also forms to be completed if your name is not on this roll. Please complete the form and place it on the collection plate or give it to a sidesperson.

Thank you, Kyara Newport, Acting Parish Council Secretary

PARISH DINNER AT THE BOWLO

Sunday 6th March – 6.00pm

Please join us! For catering purposes we will need to have you place your name on the sign-up sheet on the board.

BCA BOXES

It is time to bring in your boxes for counting so the money can be forwarded to BCA.

Thanks, Kath Connor-Brown

MISSING ITEMS

In the office are copies of a number of music books which we use for our music in the parish and these are required to be kept in one place for copyright purposes.

We have now found there are two books missing

‘One Voice For Kids’ & ‘As One Voice’

If you have borrowed these books could you please return them or advise Barbara Matthews immediately. These books have been especially purchased for copyright and are needed. If you need to borrow a book from the office, or other items from the Parish there are books in the office to record what you have borrowed.

Thank you, Bev Broadley

SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB

THE GRANGE HOTEL FUNCTION ROOM, WYOMING

Tuesday 1st March, 2016, 7.30pm - 9.00pm

Speakers: Msgr. Tony Doherty: Dean of St. Marys Cathedral 1995-2004.

Kay Morrison: Active in promoting drama within her church, schools and local community.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER- 4th MARCH 10.00am

NARARA UNITING CHURCH, 91 Wyoming Rd., Wyoming

THEME: Jesus said: ‘**Receive Children – Receive Me**’.

FROM THE RECTOR

A number of parishioners asked for this quote from Fr Mark's homily last Sunday to be placed in today's bulletin:

"Are you willing, in your heartache and struggles, for God to take time from you, or to take time for you, or to give time to you? Are you able, in the time that God gives to you, to take time for God?" - William H. Willimon

DONATE TO THE FIJI CYCLONE APPEAL

ABM is looking to raise \$10,000 to support the victims of the recent cyclone that hit Fiji over the weekend.

ABM is in discussion with the Anglican Church of Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia (of which the churches in Fiji and Tonga are a part) and also with the Anglican Alliance about the most effective and efficient way to provide the necessary support.

Initial reports say that 29 people have died and there has been a lot of damage to homes and infrastructure.

Visit the [Anglican Board of Mission's](#) website to donate today.

FLOWER ROSTER

The ladies who do the flowers for the church would love to have some more people to assist them. You would be rostered on approximately once per month and would have the full support of the current team members.

If you would feel you would like to support this ministry please speak to Jan Bolte, Jackie Davidson, or Kyara Newport. They would love to hear from you.

NAME BADGES

We will be placing an order for name badges in the next week or so. If you do not have one and would like one, could you please speak
Kyara Newport or Bev Broadley

Thank you

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ABM Lent Appeal

COMMUNITY CAPACITY BUILDING – PHILIPPINES

ABM and its two partners in the Philippines focus on strengthening and building community capacity through the Assets-Based Community Development (ABCD) approach.

ABCD looks at community strengths and builds on these to help lift households out of poverty. This year the program will target 2,434 households in all parts of the Philippines.

Every new community undergoes a process of consultation where they discuss a common history, common goals and their vision. Members of the community then identify resources already available to them and think of possible economic activities based on their findings.

This project trains community members in the preparation of feasibility studies and choosing a specific economic activity which they then implement.

Your support of this project will empower communities to work together to solve problems and change their lives for the better.

Coralie Taylor – Mission Secretary.

HOLY TRINITY LENDING LIBRARY AND CARD SHOP

If you are unable to attend one of our Lenten Bible Studies, you may like to peruse our lending library. There are many books available for you to study during Lent and they may be of help with your Lenten journey. Simply mark your name in the book when you borrow.

Wonderful Easter Cards are also available, and if you are looking for a 'special' card you cannot find in the shops, you will probably find it our card shop.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

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The Parish of Terrigal warmly welcomes you.

We offer many opportunities for meeting together ...

to worship and pray; to study Scripture and theology; to share fellowship, caring and support; and to celebrate real relationships which are divinely life-giving.

These opportunities normally include ...

Sunday Worship at Holy Trinity

7.30am - Sung Eucharist and 9.30am – Holy Eucharist

6.00pm - 1ST Saturday in the month – ‘Praise + Music’

3rd Sunday in the month - Messy Church

between 3.30pm and 5.30pm

Weekly Worship at Holy Trinity

Tues to Friday - 8.00am - Morning Prayer

Friday at 10.30am - Eucharist

1st Tuesday at 2.00pm - Tarragal Glen Eucharist

2nd Wednesday at 10.00am - Tarragal House Eucharist/concert

3rd Wednesday at 10.30am - The Nursing Home Eucharist[Aurrum]

3rd Thursday at 10.00am - Eucharist at The Pod [Aurrum]

VARIOUS PARISH MINISTRIES

‘Whispers of Love’ - a meditation (Monday at 10.00am); Women’s Fellowship (2nd Monday at 1.00pm); Coffee and Craft (4th Tuesday at 1.00pm); Parish Council (2nd Tuesday at 7.30pm); Trinity Band (Rehearsal - Tuesday at 7.00pm) (Playing at the 9.30am Sunday - 2nd and 4th Sundays); Sacred Reading (Wednesday at 5.30pm); Bible Study (currently in recess); Pastoral Care (2nd Thursday at 10.00am); Bible Study (Friday at 11.30am); Messy Church Planning Meeting (1st Saturday at 10.00am) ; Gardening (2nd Saturday from 8.00am); Market Day (3rd Saturday from 8.00am)

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Holy Trinity Opportunity Shop ... contact (02) 4365 1280

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The Reverend Roy Hazlewood - 4393 0114

The Reverend Richard Harvey – 0422 109 262

Parish Executive

Keith Watson (4365 1065) - Rector's Warden

Terry Rowe (4365 0430) - People's Warden

Kyara Newport (4384 3997) - People's Warden

Parish Secretary - Kyara Newport (4384 3997)

Parish Treasurer - Terry Rowe (4365 0430)

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Copyright Compliance Officer - Barbara Matthews

Parish Bookshop –Barbara Matthews

Parish Opportunity Shop

Carolyn Shields / Christine De Gans - 4365 1280

**The Op Shop is open Tuesday to Friday from 9.00am to 4.00pm
and each Saturday from 10.00am to 1.00pm**