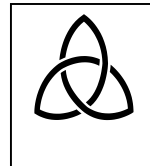


**The Anglican Diocese of Newcastle
The Parish of Terrigal**



SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

3rd APRIL, 2016

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity

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

Congregational Hymns

360 (Part 2), 368, 517, 365 (Tune: 219 ii)

English Postlude: Festive Trumpet Tune (David German)

Organist – Chris Sillince

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

Congregational Hymns

360 (Part 2), 368, 517, 365 (Tune: 219 ii)

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 the Book of Acts Chapter 5, verses 27-32.

When they had brought them, they had them stand before the council. The high priest questioned them, saying, 'We gave you strict orders not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and you are determined to bring this man's blood on us.' But Peter and the apostles answered, 'We must obey God rather than any human authority. The God of our ancestors raised up Jesus, whom you had killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Saviour, so that he might give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him.'

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Psalm: 118. 14-29

The Lord is my strength and my song:
and has become my salvation.

**The sounds of joy and deliverance:
are in the tents of the righteous.**

The right hand of the Lord does mighty things:
the right hand of the Lord raises up.

**I shall not die but live:
and proclaim the works of the Lord.**

The Lord has disciplined me hard:
but he has not given me over to death.

**Open me the gates of righteousness:
and I will enter and give thanks to the Lord.**

This is the gate of the Lord:

the righteous shall enter it.

**I will praise you, for you answered me:
and have become my salvation.**

The stone that the builders rejected:
has become the head of the corner.

**This is the Lord's doing:
and it is marvellous in our eyes.**

This is the day that the Lord has made:
let us rejoice and be glad in it.

**O Lord, save us, we pray:
O Lord, send us prosperity.**

Blessed is he who comes, in the name of the Lord:
from the house of the Lord we bless you.

**The Lord is God, and he has given us light:
guide the festal throng up to the horns of the altar.**

You are my God and I will praise you:
you are my God, I will exalt you.

**O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good:
and his mercy endures for ever.**

A Reading from Revelation 1:4-8

John to the seven churches that are in Asia:

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds;
every eye will see him,
even those who pierced him;
and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail.
So it is to be. Amen.

'I am the Alpha and the Omega', says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Alleluia. **Alleluia.**

You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me;
happy those who have not seen me, but still believe!

Alleluia.

**The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to St John,
Chapter 20: verses 19-31.**

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.'

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.' Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.'

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

For the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Please pray for

Fr. Stephen Pullin, Joel, Keith Williams, Merv & Joan Singh, Ilara, Rachel, Robert Vallance, Elsie Patterson, Baby Andre, Vern Tucker, Gaynor Lowndes, Joan Monico, John Dent, Pat Jessup

HEALTHY AGING, DEMENTIA AND BRAIN TRAINING.

Workshops are being conducted in April/May for persons who would like to attend. They are free and are being held at Woy Woy (27th April), Kincumber (3rd May), Bateau Bay (27th April) and Wyong (2nd May).

There is a notice on the board for the Bateau Bay one but if you would like to attend another centre please speak to the office for further information.

Registration is essential.

Alzheimer's Australia NSW Memory Van is a mobile information service packed with helpful resources about memory concerns, dementia and information including the simple steps you can take to maintain brain health.

The Second Week of Easter

Monday 4th April

10.00am - 'Whispers of Love'

Tuesday 5th April

8.00am – Morning Prayer

2.00pm – Eucharist at Tarragal Glen *[Revd Ann]*

7.00pm – Trinity Band & Singers rehearsal

Wednesday 6th April

8.00am – Morning Prayer

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

11.30am Funeral (Harold Edward Bailey) – Palmdale Hillside Chapel *[Fr Mark]*

2.00pm – Interdenominational Serv. Tarragal Glen *[Fr Mark]*

5.00pm Holy Eucharist *[Fr Roy]*

5.30pm - Sacred Readings *[Fr Roy]*

Thursday 7th April

8.00am – Morning Prayer

Friday 8th April

8.00am – Morning Prayer

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

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

Readings – Acts 5.34-42; Ps : 27.1-5; John 6: 1-15

11.45am – **Bible Study**

Saturday 9th April

8.00am – Garden Working Bee

3.00pm – **Wedding** - Brent Weatherley/Melissa Brewer

SAMARITANS LINK REPRESENTATIVE

We would like to acknowledge and thank Anna Holt for being our representative to The Samaritans for many years.

Anna is no longer able to hold this position so we are looking for someone from our Parish Family to represent us at the meetings which are held every second month in various areas of the Deanery.

For further information or if you feel you would be interested to assist us with taking over this position please speak to Kyara Newport or Bev Broadley.

FROM THE RECTOR

THANK YOU to all who worked so hard in planning and preparation for the Holy Week and Easter liturgies: preparing orders of service, printing, supplying palms, making palm crosses, purchasing and arranging flowers, musicians, servers, readers, intercessors, fellow clergy, those who decorated the church and the Founders' Chapel, sides-people, morning teas, overheads and lighting operators and so many others. Special thanks particularly to Bev Broadley, Kyara Newport and Coralie Taylor. The feedback from those who attended the various liturgies was very warm and affirming. My deep and sincere thanks to all of you.

Fr Mark

'WHISPERS OF LOVE' MEDITATION GROUP

Monday at 10.00am

All Welcome

Prayer fastens the soul to God...When we come to heaven, our prayers shall be waiting for us as part of our delight with endless joyful thanks from God.

Julian of Norwich

Prayerfully Reverend Ann

Ecumenical Aussie TRIVIA NIGHT

Friday 15th April, 2016

at

St. Patrick's School Hall, Victoria Street, East Gosford

Parking in car park of school grounds

7pm with questions starting at 7.30pm

Entry \$5 per person for disaster relief

Maximum of 6 per table – bring nibbles and refreshments if desired

Please wear name badges - Light supper included

Lucky door and winners prizes

ANGLICAN MEN'S WEEKEND 20-22ND MAY, 2016

AT 'TAHLEE' via KARUAH

A weekend for Christian men to grow as followers of Jesus.

For further information there is a notice on the board and forms are available from the office.

MISSION REPORT 3rd April 2016

MISSION TO SEAFARERS.

As we ourselves have recently started to experience the wet weather and cool change in temperatures in the late evenings and early mornings, we can only imagine how bitterly cold and chilling it must be for the seafarers who work on deck around the clock, often in very extreme and harsh conditions, to ensure that the imports and exports that the businesses and consumers desire, reach their destinations.

Now is a great time to get out the knitting needles and wool to create a much loved beanie for one of the Seafarer's who visit our Mission to Seafarer's home in the Port of Newcastle. Sea Sunday is in July. This allows plenty of time to complete a hand knitted or crochet beanie (or more) with love.

Kits with wool and pattern, are now available for those who would like to be part of this very much appreciated mission project.

WORLD VISION – Djibril Blade.

Recently, one of the Parish sponsored World Vision children celebrated their birthday. The parish sent a birthday card to Djibril Blade, expressing our good wishes and prayers for him on his special birthday celebration. Djibril also was provided with a notebook. The sponsorship means that Djibril and other children living in his community can grow up healthy, gain an education, and have every chance to live a full and happy life, and help Djibril build a better future. **HAPPY BIRTHDAY DJIBRIL.**

GOOD FRIDAY & EASTER GIFTS

The ABM envelopes.

Good Friday – Palestine: Health Clinic in Ramallah, a small clinic within the **Diocese of Jerusalem.** The clinic is located within **St Andrew's Episcopal Church** hall. The clinic provides early detection of diabetes, management and treatment information is also offered to patients. Specialised equipment for diagnosing and assessing diabetes is required.

Easter Gift – Australia: Youth Engagement in remote communities.

In Northern Australia, over the last decade alarming youth suicide and self harm rates have increased, to the highest in the world. This emphasises that more needs to be offered to youth to find identity and purpose.

The focus is in remote communities of North Queensland, Torres Strait Islands and the Northern Territory. The initiatives will be implemented through local church consultation and NATSIAC and the Dioceses.

This project is currently being supported by our Parish Mission giving, please continue to support this vital missionary work to assist the Youth in need.

Coralie Taylor – Mission Secretary.

CHANGES FOR MARKET DAY.

Our next Market Day will be different. We are going to try to reduce double handling of items brought up for outside sales.

I will still bring up the trolleys for the books inside as usual and we will still have all the inside stalls as usual BUT all the furniture and heavy items will be displayed in the undercover areas and on shelving in the container and outside (weather permitting). We will try this once and await yours and buyers comments.

Our cake stall has been a wonderful success in the past. Ladies how about supporting the wonderful baking that Joan Monico has done over the years, by baking one cake for our Market Day.

Thank you again for your support.

Peter Hancock.

PARISH DINNER AT TERRIGAL BOWLO

3rd APRIL AT 6PM

For catering purposes please place your name on the sign up sheet on the notice board, If you haven't been before please join us!

That we as a faith community can meet socially and, over time, make it our business to get to know parishioners we normally only talk to at the handshake of peace or as we gather or depart, **is a precious gift we give each other**

NAME BADGES

Once again we are taking orders for name badges. If yours is missing or you are new to the parish please speak to Kyara Newport or Bev Broadley or ring the office. It is more cost effective financially to send for a number of badges rather than just for one or two. The order will go in next week.

Next Sunday – 10th April, 2016

Third Sunday of Easter

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

9.30am – Holy Eucharist *Presiding & preaching – Fr Mark - Music –Trinity Band & Singers*

Eucharistic Readings:

Acts 9:1-20; Psalm 30; Revelation 5:6-14; John 21:1-19

DATES FOR THE DIARY – 2016

Monday 11th April – 1.00pm – Women’s Fellowship Meeting

Tuesday 12th April – 7.30pm – Parish Council Meeting

Wednesday 13th - 10.00am -Tarragal House Eucharist/Concert [Fr.Mark]

Thursday 14th April - 10.00am - Pastoral Care Meeting

Thursday 14th - 11.00am – Samaritans Link Day

Friday 15th April – 1.00pm – Market Day Preparations

Saturday 16th April –8.00am – 1.00pm - Market Day

Saturday 16th April – Wedding – 3.00pm - Benjamin Harcombe/Patricia Tizard

Sunday 17th April - 3.30pm – 5.30pm - Messy Church

Wednesday 20th April - 10.30am– Eucharist at The Nursing Home(Aurum)[Fr.Mark]

Thursday 21st April - 10.00am – Eucharist at The Pod [Fr.Mark]

Monday 25th April – ANZAC Day

Tuesday 26th April – 1.00pm – Coffee,Craft & Chat

Sunday 1st May – 2.00pm – Concert – Soprano and Piano

Tuesday 3rd May – 2.00pm – Eucharist at Tarragal Glen [Revd.Ann]

Saturday 7th May - 10.00am – Messy Church Meeting

Monday 9th May – 1.00pm – Women’s Fellowship Meeting

Tuesday 10th May – 7.30pm – Parish Council Meeting

Wednesday 11th May - 10.00am -Tarragal House Eucharist/Concert [Fr.Mark]

Thursday 12th May - 10.00am - Pastoral Care Meeting

Thursday 12th May - 11.00am – Samaritans Link Day

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

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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

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

To be appointed - Rector's Warden

Terry Rowe (4365 0430) - People's Warden

Kyara Newport (4384 3997) - People's Warden

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Parish Treasurer - Terry Rowe (4365 0430)

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