



**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER  
17<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2016**

**Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity**

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

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

**3.30-5.30pm – Messy Church**

**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 9, verses 36-43.**

Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, 'Please come to us without delay.' So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, 'Tabitha, get up.' Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

Hear the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God**

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### **Psalm: 23**

The Lord is my shepherd:  
therefore can I lack nothing.

**He will make me lie down in green pastures:  
and lead me beside still waters.**

He will refresh my soul:  
and guide me in right pathways for his name's sake.

**Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil:  
for you are with me,  
your rod and your staff comfort me.**

You spread a table before me in the face of those who trouble me:

you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup shall be full.

**Surely your goodness and loving-kindness  
will follow me all the days of my life:  
and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.**

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### **A Reading from Revelation 7:9-17**

After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

'Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!'

And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshipped God, singing,

'Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom

and thanksgiving and honour

and power and might

be to our God for ever and ever! Amen.'

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, 'Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?' I said to him,

'Sir, you are the one that knows.' Then he said to me, 'These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

For this reason they are before the throne of God,

and worship him day and night within his temple,  
and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.  
They will hunger no more, and thirst no more;  
the sun will not strike them,  
nor any scorching heat;  
for the Lamb at the centre of the throne will be their shepherd,  
and he will guide them to springs of the water of life,  
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.'

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Alleluia. **Alleluia.**

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;  
I know my sheep, and mine know me. **Alleluia.**

**The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ  
according to St John,  
Chapter 10: verses 22 -30.**

At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, 'How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly.' Jesus answered, 'I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one.' 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, John Dent, Carolyn Fraser Neil, Sandra Smith, Andrew Smith, Maureen Howard, John Maxwell



Today 17<sup>th</sup> April

3.30 - 5.30pm

Please join us for this different service

and invite a family with young children to come along with you!

## MORNING TEAS

We would like to thank all of our parishioners who willing make the tea and coffee for us after the services. This is a ministry which is appreciated. We would also like to thank those who 'just give a hand' in the kitchen and the folk who provide refreshments for us at these times.

Please remember it is not for the person **making** the tea to provide the food. **If you find you are short of 'The Anglican biscuit' and you cannot find any in the kitchen cupboard there is a supply in the inner office. They are only kept there, as there is insufficient room in the kitchen cupboards, so please feel free to use them.**

If you find you are in need of supplies on any morning, and do not know where to look, please speak to

Barb Matthews or Kyara Newport who will show you where to find them.

*Thank you, Bev Broadley*

## MARKET DAY THANK YOU

Thank you to all who helped with our market day preparations and for the clearing up afterwards.

## The Fourth Week of Easter

### Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April

10.00am - 'Whispers of Love'

### Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April

8.00am - Morning Prayer

7.00pm – Trinity Band & Singers rehearsal

### Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April

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 21<sup>st</sup> April

8.00am – Morning Prayer

9.15-10.30am – Maestro Possums

### Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> 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 13.26-33; Ps : 2.6-11; John 14: 1-6

11.45am – Bible Study

### CONCERT - 1 MAY 2016

Due to unforeseen circumstances, this concert featuring Dr Cathy Aggett (Soprano) and Dr Diana Blom (Piano) has had to be postponed until a date yet to be fixed. Please accept their apologies for this and we look forward to seeing and hearing them perform at some future time.

Our next concert (on Sunday 14 August) will feature Pastor de Lasala (Organ & Piano) with associate artists.

*Chris Sillince*

## THE HEALING MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH

Sickness is one of the most debilitating aspects of our lives. It makes us feel alone, afraid and vulnerable. During his earthly life Jesus healed many who were sick. He brought hope and new life to those afflicted in mind and body. By his death on the cross and his resurrection from the grave he brought healing and deliverance from the greatest sickness that afflicts us – sin.

Mark's Gospel tells how Jesus sent his disciples out on their mission which included healing the sick and anointing them with oil (Mark 6:13). The Letter of James says, "Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven" (James 5:14, 15).

The sacrament of anointing is a sign of Christ's healing care for us. It tells us that it is only in his strength that we can be delivered from suffering into peace and wholeness. It provides comfort in the knowledge that God loves us and desires what is best for us, even when life seems unfair or painful. People have experienced physical healing as a result of receiving this sacrament. The important thing, however, is surrender to the will of God who suffers with us. Healing involves more than a physical cure – it includes spiritual healing as well, as St James reminds us. It includes peace in the midst of physical suffering even if we are not healed physically. It also includes healing of soured relationships; healing of the brokenness of creation; healing of painful memories.

Anointing is available here at Holy Trinity, Terrigal within the context of the Eucharist. This way we are able to receive God's healing through three of the church's sacramental rites: confession and absolution, anointing and Eucharist. **After receiving Communion, move to the left side of the Altar step and a Priest will come and pray with you and anoint you with the Oil of the Sick. Receiving the sacrament of anointing with prayer is an act of faith in the healing power of Christ as well as a calm surrender to his loving purposes.**

The oil used is the Oil of the Sick. Fresh oil is blessed by the Bishop each year during Holy Week at a special Eucharist at the Cathedral called the Chrism Mass. Priests of the Diocese then take it back to their Parishes.

*Fr Mark*

## **HOLY EUCHARIST – WEDNESDAY 5.00PM**

After Lent, those attending the 5.30pm Sacred Readings each Wednesday expressed the desire to continue the 5.00pm Eucharist the whole year through. Fr Roy is the celebrant and you are warmly invited to share in this time of quiet and worship in the middle of a busy week. **MORNING PRAYER** is said Tuesday to Friday at **8.00am**.

## **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.

## **ANGLICAN MEN'S WEEKEND 20-22<sup>ND</sup> 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.

**Cost: \$100-200** (depending on accommodation type/relevant concession)

**The closing date for registrations for the Tahlee Anglican Men's Weekend is  
25<sup>th</sup> April**

## **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 (27<sup>th</sup> April), Kincumber (3<sup>rd</sup> May), Bateau Bay (27<sup>th</sup> April) and Wyong (2<sup>nd</sup> 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.



**Next Sunday – 24th April, 2016**

## **Fifth 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 11:1-18; Psalm 148; Revelation 21:1-16; John 13:31-35

### **DATES FOR THE DIARY – 2016**

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April - 10.30am**– Eucharist at The Nursing Home(Aurrum)[*Fr.Mark*]

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> April - 10.00am** – Eucharist at The Pod [*Fr.Mark*]

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April – ANZAC Day**

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> April – 1.00pm** – Coffee,Craft & Chat

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May – 2.00pm** – Concert – **Cancelled**

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May – 2.00pm** – Eucharist at Tarragal Glen [*Revd.Ann*]

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May – Ascension Day**

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> May - 10.00am** – Messy Church Meeting

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May – 1.00pm** – Women’s Fellowship Meeting

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> May – 7.30pm** – Parish Council Meeting

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

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May - 10.00am** - Pastoral Care Meeting

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May - 11.00am** – Samaritans Link Day

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May – 8.00am** – Garden Working Bee

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May – Pentecost – Wear something red**

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May – 3.30-5.30pm** Messy Church

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May - 1.00pm** – Market Day Preparations

**Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May – 8.00am to 1.00pm** – Market Day

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May – 1.00pm** – Coffee, Craft and Chat

**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Trinity Sunday – Women’s Fellowship Luncheon**

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June** – Biggest Morning Tea

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July** – Women’s Fellowship – Soup & Sweet Luncheon

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

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## **'WHISPERS OF LOVE' MEDITATION GROUP**

Monday at 10.00am

All Welcome

Finding solitude

All human beings are alone. No other person will completely feel like we do, think like we do, act like we do. Each of us is unique, and our aloneness is the other side of our uniqueness. The question is whether we let our aloneness become loneliness or whether we allow it to lead us into solitude. Loneliness is painful; solitude is peaceful. Loneliness makes us cling to others in desperation; solitude allows us to respect others in their uniqueness and create community.

Letting our aloneness grow into solitude and not into loneliness is a lifelong struggle. It requires conscious choices about whom to be with, what to study, how to pray, and when to ask for counsel. But wise choices will help us to find the solitude where our hearts can grow in love.

*Henri Nouwen Bread for the Journey*

*Prayerfully Reverend Ann*

## **ANZAC DAY AND OUR POPPY CROSS**

We will be decorating our flower cross with Red Poppies and Rosemary on  
Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> April at 10.00am.

If you would like to assist with this could you please speak to Bev Broadley on  
4367 6066

## **SEAFARER'S MISSION BEANIE KNITTING PACKS**

There are some knitting packs - wool, needles and patterns available for you to take, with thanks to Coralie and Shirley Taylor. Why not pick up a pack and knit a beanie for our Seafarer's Mission Day in July?

Please record your name on the sheet next to the packs so that we know who has taken them.

**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**

**5.00pm – Wednesday – Holy Eucharist**

**3<sup>rd</sup> 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 (4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday at 1.00pm); Parish Council (2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday at 7.30pm); Trinity Band (Rehearsal - Tuesday at 7.00pm) (Playing at the 9.30am Sunday - 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays); Sacred Reading (Wednesday at 5.30pm); Bible Study (currently in recess); Pastoral Care (2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday at 10.00am); Bible Study (Friday at 11.30am); Messy Church Planning Meeting (1<sup>st</sup> Saturday at 10.00am) ; Gardening (2nd Saturday from 8.00am); Market Day (3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday from 8.00am)**

*Parish contact - (02) 4365 1115 or mobile 0434 431 400*

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

**Parish Website – [www.terrigalanglican.org.au](http://www.terrigalanglican.org.au)**

## **Parish Directory**

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### **Associate Priests**

**The Reverend Ann Watson –4365 1065 or 0427 135 771**

**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**

**Parish Secretary - Kyara Newport (4384 3997)**

**Parish Treasurer - Terry Rowe (4365 0430)**

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Parish Organist - **Chris Sillince** - 0422 225 849

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### **Parish Opportunity Shop**

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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