

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



**Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity
29th October, 2017
Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost**



**7.30am - Sung Eucharist – *Presiding & Preaching – Fr Mark Watson*
Organist – *Chris Sillince***

**9.30am - Holy Eucharist -*Presiding & Preaching – Fr Mark Watson*
Organist – *Chris Sillince***

11.00am – Holy Baptism

3.00pm – Concert – ‘In all things Exalt’

[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.

BAPTISM

We welcome Eleanor Tucker into the Body of Christ through Holy Baptism at 11.00am this morning. Welcome also to Eleanor's parents, Andrew and Sharon, and to the Godparents and other family members and friends.

A reading from the book of Deuteronomy

Chapter 34: verses 1-12.

Then Moses went up from the plains of Moab to Mount Nebo, to the top of Pisgah, which is opposite Jericho, and the LORD showed him the whole land: Gilead as far as Dan, all Naphtali, the land of Ephraim and Manasseh, all the land of Judah as far as the Western Sea, the Negeb, and the Plain—that is, the valley of Jericho, the city of palm trees—as far as Zoar. The LORD said to him, ‘This is the land of which I swore to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, saying, “I will give it to your descendants”; I have let you see it with your eyes, but you shall not cross over there.’ Then Moses, the servant of the LORD, died there in the land of Moab, at the LORD’s command. He was buried in a valley in the land of Moab, opposite Beth-peor, but no one knows his burial place to this day. Moses was one hundred and twenty years old when he died; his sight was unimpaired and his vigour had not abated. The Israelites wept for Moses in the plains of Moab for thirty days; then the period of mourning for Moses was ended.

Joshua son of Nun was full of the spirit of wisdom, because Moses had laid his hands on him; and the Israelites obeyed him, doing as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Never since has there arisen a prophet in Israel like Moses, whom the LORD knew face to face. He was unequalled for all the signs and wonders that the LORD sent him to perform in the land of Egypt, against Pharaoh and all his servants and his entire land, and for all the mighty deeds and all the terrifying displays of power that Moses performed in the sight of all Israel.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 90.1-6, 13-17

Lord, you have been our refuge:
from one generation to another.

**Before the mountains were born
or the earth and the world were brought to be:
from eternity to eternity you are God.**

You turn us back into dust:
saying 'Return to dust, O children of Adam.'

**For a thousand years in your sight
are like yesterday passing:
or like one watch of the night.**

You cut them short like a dream:
like the fresh grass of the morning;

**In the morning it is green and flourishes:
at evening it is withered and dried up.**

Relent, O Lord; how long will you be angry?:
take pity on your servants.

**O satisfy us early with your mercy:
that all our days we may rejoice and sing.**

Give us joy for all the days you have afflicted us:
for the years we have suffered adversity.

**Show your servants your work:
and let their children see your glory.**

May the gracious favour of the Lord our God be upon us:
prosper the work of our hands,
O prosper the work of our hands!

A reading from the first letter of Paul to the Thessalonians, Chapter 2: verses 1-13.

You yourselves know, brothers and sisters, that our coming to you was not in vain, but though we had already suffered and been shamefully maltreated at Philippi, as you know, we had courage in our God to declare to you the gospel of God in spite of great opposition. For our appeal does not spring from deceit or impure motives or trickery, but just as we have been approved by God to be entrusted with the message of the gospel, even so we speak, not to please mortals, but to please God who tests our hearts. As you know and as God is our witness, we never came with words of flattery or with a pretext for greed; nor did we seek praise from mortals, whether from you or from others, though we might have made demands as apostles of Christ. But we were gentle among you, like a nurse tenderly caring for her own children. So deeply do we care for you that we are determined to share with you not only the gospel of God but also our own selves, because you have become very dear to us.

You remember our labour and toil, brothers and sisters; we worked night and day, so that we might not burden any of you while we proclaimed to you the gospel of God. You are witnesses, and God also, how pure, upright, and blameless our conduct was towards you believers. As you know, we dealt with each one of you like a father with his children, urging and encouraging you and pleading that you should lead a life worthy of God, who calls you into his own kingdom and glory.

We also constantly give thanks to God for this, that when you received the word of God that you heard from us, you accepted it not as a human word but as what it really is, God's word, which is also at work in you believers.

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

Alleluia, **alleluia**,
All who love me will keep my words,
and my Father will love them and we will come to them.
Alleluia!

**The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Matthew 22: verses 34–46.**

When the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, and one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. 'Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?' He said to him, ' "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind." This is the greatest and first commandment. And a second is like it: "You shall love your neighbour as yourself." On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.'

Now while the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them this question: 'What do you think of the Messiah? Whose son is he?' They said to him, 'The son of David.' He said to them, 'How is it then that David by the Spirit calls him Lord, saying,

"The Lord said to my Lord,
'Sit at my right hand,
until I put your enemies under your feet' "?

If David thus calls him Lord, how can he be his son?' No one was able to give him an answer, nor from that day did anyone dare to ask him any more questions.

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

SEASONS ENDINGS AND BEGINNINGS

Towards the end of the church year, our lectionary readings focus on the end times and the reign of Christ in glory.

At the beginning of November we celebrate the Feast of All Saints on November 1st. This is an opportunity to celebrate those heroes of faith who by the witness of their lives and often by their deaths, serve as examples of faithfulness to Our Lord in all circumstances.

All Souls' Day, the 2nd November, gives us an opportunity to remember with gratitude those known personally to us who have entered the nearer presence of God. They are often the "unsung heroes" of faith whom we have known and whose memory we hold dear.

The last Sunday of the church year is Christ the King, looking to the fulfilment of all things in the reign of Christ in glory. It is also a time to reaffirm our allegiance to the kingdom of God as opposed to those "lesser kingdoms" that seek to control our lives. We then move into Advent, the season of waiting and preparation for the coming of God among us in the incarnation of Jesus and his coming again in glory.

Fr Mark

ALL SOULS' DAY

The Holy Eucharist service for All Soul's Day will follow Morning Prayer
on Thursday 2nd at 8.30am.

There is a board outside the church if you would like to have a loved one
remembered.

Please pray for

Barbara Matthews, Denise King, Patricia Luxford, Maureen H.,
Marie Partier, Joel, Ron Flegg, David

MELBOURNE CUP LUNCHEON

TUESDAY 7TH NOVEMBER, 2017 – 11.30AM FOR A 12.30PM LUNCH

COST: \$25.00 PER HEAD

**Please purchase your tickets today from Irene Neville
and Lesley Gosling as we have to advise the caterer of numbers.**

Prizes for best/funniest hat and best dressed lady/man
Fashion parade from our Op. Shop ladies.

Funeral for Joan Singh – Thursday 2nd November 2017 – 11:00am

The parish will serve refreshments it would be appreciated if ladies could assist with this by bringing a plate.

PARISH MONTHLY DINNER AT TERRIGAL BOWLO

This evening of food and fellowship will be held on 5th November at 6.00pm.

Please place your name on the sign-up sheet on the notice board.

All Welcome

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP NEWS

Our next meeting is 13th November at 1.00pm. Our meeting will commence with a Holy Eucharist service to be led by Rev. Loy Buckley. Afternoon tea follows the service and meeting. All Welcome.

MARKET DAYS

Our next Market Day will be 18th November. The Market Day in December will be on 9th, one week earlier, because of Christmas.

This Week

Monday 30th October

10.00am - 'Whispers of Love'

Tuesday 31st

8.45am-1.30pm – Maestro Possums [Multi Purpose Room]

7.00pm – Trinity Band & Singers rehearsal

Wednesday 1st November - All Saints Day

8.00am – Morning Prayer

5.00pm – Holy Eucharist [*Fr. Roy*]

5.30pm – Sacred Reading [*Fr. Roy*]

Thursday 2nd - All Souls Day

8.00am – Morning Prayer

8.30am – Holy Eucharist

11:00am Funeral – Joan Singh

Friday 3rd

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

Readings – Romans 9. 1-5. Psalm: 147.12-20; Luke 14. 1-6

11.45am – Friday Bible Study

Saturday 4th

10.00am – Messy Church Meeting

SAMARITANS EMERGENCY RELIEF, WYOMING – CHRISTMAS APPEAL

Samaritans are asking for donation during November for Christmas Hampers.

These hampers are in addition to the usual food support.

Let us try to make Christmas a little better for those in need.

They would appreciate any of the following items:

Christmas pudding, Christmas Cake, Tinned Ham, Tinned Fruit, Long-life

Custard, Lollies, Biscuits and cans of soft drink

Thank you

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7.30am – Sung Eucharist - Presiding & Preaching – Fr Mark Watson
Organist – Chris Sillince

9.30am – Holy Eucharist - Presiding & Preaching – Fr Mark Watson
Organist – Sharon Sandstrom

Eucharistic Readings:

Joshua 3.7-17; Psalm 107.1-7, 33-37; 1 Thessalonians 3.5-13:
Matthew 23:1-12.

DATES FOR THE DIARY – 2017

Sunday 5th November – 6.00pm – Parish Dinner at the Bowlo
Tuesday 7th November – 11.30am - Melbourne Cup Luncheon
Thursday 9th November - 10.00am - Pastoral Care Meeting
Saturday 11th November – 8.00am – Garden Working Bee
Monday 13th November - 1.00pm – Women’s Fellowship Meeting
Tuesday 14th November – 2.00pm – Eucharist at Tarragal Glen [*Revd Ann*]
Friday 17th November –1.00pm – Market Day Set-up
Saturday 18th November – 8.00am – 1.00pm - Market Day
Sunday 19th November – 3.30-5.30pm - Messy Church

WHISPERS OF LOVE
10.00am Monday

Reflection

No words can express the tenderness which Our Lord devotes to our spiritual
growth

Julian Norwich

Prayerfully Reverend Ann

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

4th Friday at 11.00am – Eucharist at Woodport Aged Care

VARIOUS PARISH MINISTRIES

‘Whispers of Love’ - a meditation (*Monday at 10.00am*); **Women’s**

Fellowship (*2nd Monday 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*); **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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and each Saturday from 10.00am to 1.00pm**