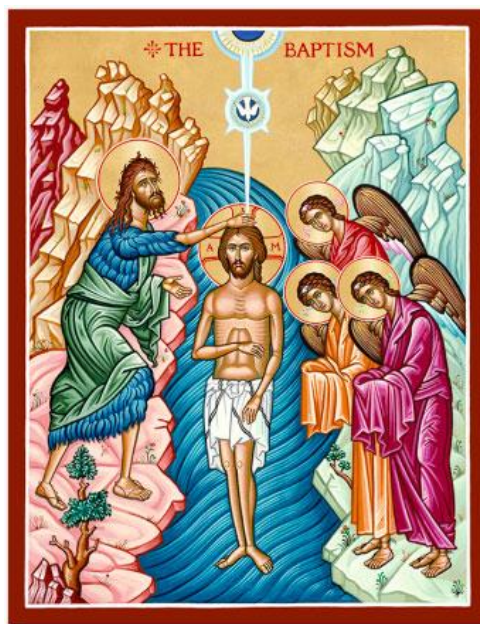


**Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity, Terrigal
The Baptism of our Lord
(First Sunday after Epiphany)
13th January, 2019**



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

Organist – Chris Sillince

Hymns: TIS 275, 250, 454, 310 (tune: Morning Star)

English Organ Postlude: *Trumpet Tune in E Flat* (David Johnson)

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

Organist – Sharon Sandstrom

Hymns: TIS 275, 250, 454, 310 (tune: Morning Star)

[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.

JESUS' BAPTISM AND OURS

Baptism is in many ways, a rather ordinary way to begin the Christian life. We do something pretty basic and ordinary and at the same time very physical and bodily. We take a bath. That's how Jesus begins his public ministry. But alongside the ordinary something quite extraordinary and unusual happens. The heavens are opened, a voice is heard, and the Holy Spirit descends. Heaven touches earth. Earth is being invaded by the heavenly.

The life given us in baptism is nourished and nurtured by the other sacraments, especially the Eucharist. In all the sacraments, heaven and earth meet. At his baptism Jesus heard the voice from heaven, "You are my beloved Son . . ." Everyone who's baptised is grafted onto the Son. We hear the same voice saying the same thing.

There are people who say they've never experienced an epiphany, a moment of divine revelation, a thin place where heaven and earth meet. We cannot demand or engineer or organise such moments. Any epiphany is a gift from God. What we can do is to make room, provide space for it.

Fr Mark

Sentence

The Holy Spirit descended on Jesus in bodily form like a dove and a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the beloved; with you I am well pleased.'

Luke 3.22.

Prayer of the Day

Loving God, your Son came to seek the lost,
and was baptised with sinners:
grant that we who have been baptised in his name,
may reach out in love to those in need
with the mercy of Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you, for ever and ever. **Amen**

A reading from Isaiah Chapter 43.

verses 1 – 7

But now thus says the Lord,
he who created you, O Jacob,
he who formed you, O Israel:
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;
I have called you by name, you are mine.
When you pass through the waters, I will be with you;
and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you;
when you walk through fire you shall not be burned,
and the flame shall not consume you.
For I am the Lord your God,
the Holy One of Israel, your Saviour.
I give Egypt as your ransom,
Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you.
Because you are precious in my sight,
and honoured, and I love you,
I give people in return for you,
nations in exchange for your life.
Do not fear, for I am with you;
I will bring your offspring from the east,
and from the west I will gather you;
I will say to the north, 'Give them up',
and to the south, 'Do not withhold';
bring my sons from far away

and my daughters from the end of the earth—
everyone who is called by my name,
whom I created for my glory,
whom I formed and made.'

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 29

Ascribe to the Lord, you powers of heaven:
ascribe to the Lord glory and might.

**Ascribe to the Lord the honour due to his name:
O worship the Lord in the beauty of his holiness.**

The voice of the Lord is upon the waters:
the God of glory thunders,
the Lord upon the great waters.

**The voice of the Lord is mighty in operation:
the voice of the Lord is a glorious voice.**

The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar-trees:
the Lord breaks in pieces the cedars of Lebanon.

**He makes them skip like a calf:
Lebanon and Sirion like a young wild ox.**

The voice of the Lord divides the lightning-flash:
the voice of the Lord whirls the sands of the desert,
the Lord whirls the desert of Kadesh.

**The voice of the Lord rends the terebinth trees,
and strips bare the forests:
in his temple all cry 'Glory.'**

The Lord sits enthroned above the water-flood:
the Lord sits enthroned as a king for ever.

**The Lord will give strength to his people:
the Lord will give to his people the blessing of peace.**

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Chapter 8, verses 14 – 17

Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit (for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus). Then Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Alleluia, **alleluia!**

John said: He who is to come is mightier than I;
he will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and with fire.

Alleluia!

**The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to
Luke , Chapter 3, verses 15 – 22**

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, 'I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing-fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing-floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.'

So, with many other exhortations, he proclaimed the good news to the people. But Herod the ruler, who had been rebuked by him because of Herodias, his brother's wife, and because of all the evil things that Herod had done, added to them all by shutting up John in prison.

Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.'

For the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Prayer in time of drought.

All things look to you, O Lord,
to give them their food in due season:
look in mercy on your people,
and hear our prayer for those whose lives and possessions
are threatened by drought.

In your mercy restore your creation and heal our land.

So guide and bless your people,
that we may enjoy the fruits of the earth
and give you thanks with grateful hearts,
through our Lord Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

(from *A Prayer Book for Australia*, p. 205).

Please pray for

Barbara Matthews, Maureen H, Joan and Norman Williams,
Bill Howard, Joel, Paul C, Reg Gill, Pat Jessup, Jan
Wendy and Alan Eades, Jean Easy, Lynn Cooke, Paul Naylor,
Isabel Horsley, Ian Frasier, Jack Kissack,
Julie and Richard T



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The Baptism of our Lord [First Sunday after Epiphany] – Sunday 13 January 2019

- Isaiah 43.1-7; Psalm 29;
Acts 8.14-17; Luke 3.15-22

In Baptism, Christ knits us all together into his body and in doing that we become a part of him here on earth. The Christian life is one in which we are called to follow Christ in everything that we do, and it's our belief that in us God will recognise Christ. When the Holy Spirit descends upon Jesus in his baptism by John the Baptist, the voice comes from heaven saying, 'You are my son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased'. In our baptisms as well as in our lives we can expect that God says much the same, that we are his beloved children and with us he is pleased.

- Pray that God may direct you towards new ways of life to live more closely to him and be more pleasing to him.
- Give thanks for the Anglican Church of Australia, and pray that in each of the dioceses God's love for the world may be made known.

*Text: The Rev Will Johnston,
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Rosters for 20th January 2019

7.30am

Greeter	Sidesperson	Readers	Servers
Charlotte and Eva Martin	Ulla Finlay	Carmen McGee Coralie Taylor	Rhonda Kiss Margaret MacLachlan

9.30am

Greeter	Sidesperson	Readers	Servers
Pat Jessup	Julie Rowe Terry Rowe	Jackie Davidson Stuart Broga	John Henwood Coralie Taylor
Morning Tea	Counting Roster		Flowers
Julie Rowe Terry Rowe	Terry Rowe Tricia Gray		Robyn Smith

Next Sunday – 20th January 2019

The Second Sunday after Epiphany

7.30am – Sung Eucharist - Presiding & Preaching – Dr Richard Harvey
Organist – Chris Sillince

9.30am – Holy Eucharist - Presiding & Preaching – Fr Bruce McAteer
Organist – Libby Harvey

Readings: Isaiah 62. 1-5, Psalm – 36. 5-10, 1 Corinthians 12. 1 -11

Gospel John 2. 1-11

This Week

Monday 14th January

Sava, first archbishop of the Serbian Church (d. 1235)

Meditation – Whispers of Love – *in recess until Feb 2019*

Tuesday 15th January

8.00am – Morning Prayer *in recess until 5th Feb 2019*

Wednesday 16th January 2019

8.00am – Morning Prayer *in recess until 5th Feb 2019*

5.00pm - Holy Eucharist (*Fr Roy*) *in recess until 23rd Jan 2019*

5.30pm - Sacred Reading (*Fr Roy*) *in recess until 23rd Jan 2019*

Thursday 17th January 2019

Anthony of Egypt, abbot (d. 356)

8.00am – Morning Prayer *in recess until 5th Feb 2019*

Friday 18th January 2019

8.00am – Morning Prayer *in recess until 5th Feb 2019*

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

Readings – Hebrews 4. 1-11, Psalm 78. 1-8, Mark 2. 1-12

11.45am – Bible Study *in recess until Feb*

Saturday 19th January 2019

DATES FOR THE DIARY – 2019

Sunday 27th January – 12.00pm – Australia Day Lunch

Please add your name to the list on the board if attending.

Cost is \$10 per person, any money left over after expenses will go to Samaritans

DATES FOR THE DIARY – 2019

Sunday 3rd March – 3.00pm – Concert

The first concert for the year. The performers will be Ian Cox (Trumpet), Glen Amer (piano & organ) and two singers.

**Dates for MARKET DAYS 2019
8.00am – 1.00pm**

No Market Day in January

February 16

March 16

April 13 (note: 2nd Saturday due to Easter)

May 19

June 15

July 20

August 17

September 21

October 19

November 16

December 14 (note: 2nd Saturday due to Christmas)

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

Every Wednesday at 5.00 pm - Eucharist

3rd Thursday at 10.30am - Eucharist at The Pod [Aurrum]

4th Friday – 10.30am – 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 11.45am*); **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

Parish Website – www.terrigalanglican.org.au

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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**