

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity, Terrigal Fifth Sunday in Lent 7th April, 2019



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

Organist – Chris Sillince

Hymns: TIS 347, 349, 515 (ii), 351.

English Organ Postlude: *March in C* (David Johnson)

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

Organist – Sharon Sandstrom

Hymns: TIS 347, 349, 515 (ii), 351.

- J S Bach

[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.

Sentence

Those who go out weeping, bearing the seed for sowing, shall come home with shouts of joy, carrying their sheaves.

Psalm 126.6

Prayer of the Day

Christ,
whose feet were caressed,
with perfume and a woman's hair,
you humbly took a basin and towel
and washed the feet of your friends:
wash us also in your tenderness,
that embracing your service freely,
we may accept no other bondage
in your name. **Amen**

A reading from Isaiah chapter 43, verses 16 - 21

Thus says the Lord, who makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters, who brings out chariot and horse, army and warrior; they lie down, they cannot rise, they are extinguished, quenched like a wick: Do not remember the former things, or consider the things of old. I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert. The wild animals will honour me, the jackals and the ostriches; for I give water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to give drink to my chosen people, the people whom I formed for myself so that they might declare my praise.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 126

When the Lord turned again the fortunes of Zion: then were we like those restored to life.

Then was our mouth filled with laughter: and our tongue with singing.

Then said they among the heathen: 'The Lord has done great things for them.'

Truly the Lord has done great things for us: and therefore we rejoiced.

Turn again our fortunes, O Lord: as the streams return to the dry south.

Those who sow in tears: shall reap with songs of joy.

They that go out weeping, bearing the seed: shall come again in gladness, bringing their sheaves with them.

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Philippians chapter 3, verses 3 – 14

For it is we who are the circumcision, who worship in the Spirit of God and boast in Christ Jesus and have no confidence in the flesh — even though I, too, have reason for confidence in the flesh.

If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless. Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on towards the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

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With all your heart turn to me,

for I am tender and compassionate.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John , Chapter 12, verses 1 – 8

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, 'Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?' (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) Jesus said, 'Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me.'

For the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Please pray for

Barbara Matthews, Maureen H, Joan and Norman Williams, Bill Howard, Joel, Paul C, Pat Jessup, Jean Easy, Paul Naylor, Sue Wilkinson, Isabel Horsley, Ken Hope, Carmen McGee, Bill Moss, David Franklin, Emma Horton, Simon Argue, Tony Cronin, Beth Allwood, Pam Flegg

WHY DO WE DO HOLY WEEK?

For Christians, Holy Week is a final and intense preparation for Easter that begins on Palm Sunday. We carry palms in procession as a reminder of Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem. Why palms? The palm branch was a symbol of triumph and victory. Jesus' procession was like a modern-day ticker tape parade. The people were celebrating because God had promised them a Messiah. And here he was. On Palm Sunday we read the Passion or Gospel Narrative of Jesus' last hours of earthly life. Christ came to us to establish God's peaceful kingdom in love but within a few days we turned on him.

On Holy Thursday (or Maundy Thursday) in the evening, we read about Jesus' washing the feet of his twelve Apostles. Why the feet washing? Love means serving others. Jesus gets down on his hands and knees, dressed as a slave with a towel around his waist, and serves us, commanding we do the same. "For I have set you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you" (John 13:15). On Holy Thursday we also commemorate the institution of the Eucharist at Jesus' Last Supper. Priests and deacons gather with the Bishop at the Cathedral and re-commit to their vows of service as we are reminded that Jesus continues serving us through the gift of the Eucharist. The oils for the sacraments are blessed at this special Chrism Mass during Holy Week.

On Good Friday Christians remember Jesus' crucifixion and death. On this day we do not celebrate the Eucharist but gather to recall Jesus' Passion, to pray for the world, and to venerate the cross. Veneration of the cross is done by approaching the cross and kneeling, kissing, standing or touching it out of respect. Why venerate the cross? As a piece of cloth (like a flag) is cherished for what it symbolises, a simple wooden cross is revered as a sign of Christ's victory. We receive Holy Communion using the Sacrament reserved from the Maundy Thursday Eucharist.

Holy Saturday – After letting go, before something new, there is an awkward in-between, Christ is in the tomb. When night falls,

we celebrate the Easter Vigil. New members are often initiated into the Church through baptism and/or confirmation and the community renews their baptismal vows, committing themselves to continue Jesus' work of building God's Kingdom through love.

Easter Day is not just the culmination of Holy Week but the beginning of a whole new *way* of life. Every time we celebrate Mass we celebrate these events; every Sunday is Easter. Every communion is a resurrection. Jesus' love, service, and sacrifice present to us. Always. Come along and have a blessed Holy Week and a Happy Easter!

Fr Mark

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES 2019 Maundy Thursday 18th April

7.00pm Liturgy of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday 19th April

9.00am Liturgy of the Passion and Death of the Lord

Holy Saturday 20th April

7.00pm The Great Vigil of Easter

Easter Day 21st April

7.30am Sung Eucharist 9.30am Holy Eucharist

Incense will be used at the 7.00pm Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday and at the 7.30am Sung Eucharist on Easter Sunday.



Pew Reflections

The Fifth Sunday in Lent - Sunday 7 April 2019

Isaiah 43.16-21; Psalm 126;
 Philippians 3.3-14; John 12.1-8

Love: Today we find ourselves at a dinner with Jesus, his disciples and Mary and Martha of Bethany. After dinner Mary shows her love for Jesus by anointing his feet with almost half a kilogram of perfume. The fragrance must have been utterly overwhelming in the house. Despite this being an act of sheer love, Judas carps about the cost.

- Pray that we might show our love for Jesus every day, no matter the cost, no matter who carps on the sidelines.
- Give thanks for Nungalinya College in Darwin, remembering especially the students who will begin their studies at the college in 2019.

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'Whispers of Love' Meditation

Reflection: Lent is a time to acknowledge the crosses of others, even while we carry our own. In the midst of his own agony, Jesus' interaction with the thief on the crosses is one of mercy and compassion.

Prayerfully Reverend Ann

Tonight - 6.00pm - Dinner at the Bowlo

Please add your name to the list if you plan to attend

Market Day Saturday 13th April 2019

Market Day will be next Saturday rather than the 3rd Saturday due to Easter. If you can help with setting up on Friday and with packing away and clearing up on Saturday, your help will be very much appreciated.

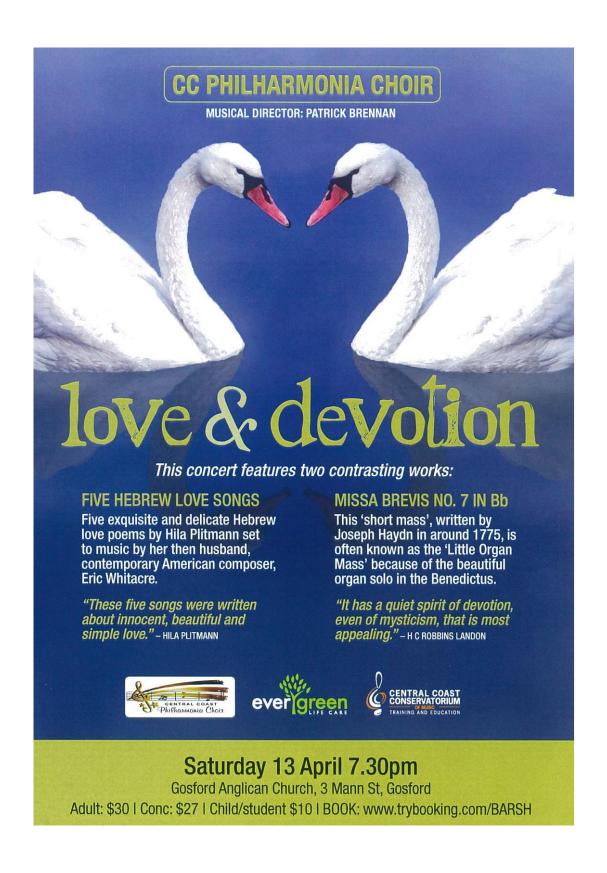


Preparations for Palm Sunday 14th April

Palm fronds are required at the Church Thursday Evening on the 11th April, to enable time to clean and prepare the fronds.

Decoration of the worship space

Help is required for the decoration of the worship centre with the palm fronds. Please speak to Coralie Taylor if you are able to assist by providing fronds, or with the decorations



Sunday 26 May 2019 at 2:30pm 'Community Hymnfest'

An early note for your diaries.

Rosters for 14th April 2019 – Sixth Sunday in Lent – Palm Sunday

7.30am

Greeter	Sidesperson	Readers	Servers
Terry Rowe	Neil Ewer	Margaret	
		MacLachlan	
		Charlotte Martin	

<u>9.30am</u>

Greeter	Sidesperson	Readers	Servers
Lesley Gosling	June Timms		
	Ellie Murphy	Terry Rowe	
Morning Tea	Counting Roster		Flowers
Anna Holt	John Holt		
Judy Thompson	Ellie Murphy		

Next Sunday – 14th April 2019

Sixth Sunday in Lent – Palm Sunday

- 7.30am Sung Eucharist Presiding & Preaching Fr Mark Watson
 Organist Chris Sillince
- 9.30am Holy Eucharist Presiding & Preaching Fr Mark Watson
 Trinity Band and Singers

Readings: Isaiah 50. 4-9a, Psalm – 31. 9-18, Philippians 2. 5-11

Gospel Luke 22.14 – 23.56

This Week

Monday 8th April

Georgiana Molloy, pioneer church leader and botanist from WA (d. 1843)

Meditation – Whispers of Love – Rev Ann

1.00pm – Women's Fellowship meeting

Tuesday 9th April

William Lau, priest and teacher (d. 1761) Dietrich Bonhoeffer, theologian (d. 1945)

8.00am – Morning Prayer – *Rev Ann*

7.00pm - Trinity Band and Singers

7.30pm - Parish Council Meeting

Wednesday 10th April

Richard of Chichester, bishop (d. 1256)

8.00am – Morning Prayer [Fr Mark]

5.00pm - Holy Eucharist (Fr Roy)

5.30pm - Sacred Reading (Fr Roy)

Thursday 11th April

George Augustus Selwyn, first missionary bishop of New Zealand (d. 1878)

8.00am – Morning Prayer – *Fr Mark*

10.00am – Pastoral Care meeting

7.00pm – Lenten Study - *Fr Mark* Rectory

Friday 12th April

8.00am - Morning Prayer - Fr Mark

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

Readings – Wisdom 2.1. 12-22, Psalm 34. 15-22; John 7. 1-2, 10. 25-30.

11.45am - Lenten Study - Fr Mark

11.00am – Eucharist at Woodport Aged Care

Saturday 13th April

8.00am - Gardening

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 Monday at 3.00pm Monday Tarragal Manor & Tarragal Glen Eucharist
Every Wednesday at 5.00 pm - Eucharist

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

4th Friday - 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 Service - 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 (as arranged); 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 – <u>www.terrigalanglican.org.au</u>

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