

**Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity, Terrigal
Eighth Sunday after Pentecost
4th August, 2019**



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

Organist – Chris Sillince

Hymns: TIS 118, 598, 237, 611 (Tune: Regent Square 142)

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

Organist - Sharon Sandstrom

Hymns: TIS 118, 598, 237, 611 (Tune: Regent Square 142)

[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

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.

Colossians 3.1

Prayer of the Day

Living God, Judge of us all,
you have placed in our hands the wealth we call our own:
through your Spirit give us wisdom,
that our possessions may not be a curse,
but a means of blessing in our lives.
Grant this through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, forever and ever. **Amen.**

A reading from Ecclesiastes

Chapter 1, verses 2, 12 – 14

Chapter 2, verses 18 – 23

Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher, vanity of vanities! All is vanity.

I, the Teacher, when king over Israel in Jerusalem, applied my mind to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven; it is an unhappy business that God has given to human beings to be busy with. I saw all the deeds that are done under the sun; and see, all is vanity and a chasing after wind.

I hated all my toil in which I had toiled under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to those who come after me —and who knows whether they will be wise or foolish? Yet they will be master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under the sun. This also is vanity. So I turned and gave my heart up to despair concerning all the toil of my labours under the sun, because sometimes one who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave all to be enjoyed by another who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. What do mortals get from all the toil and strain with which they toil under the sun? For all their days are

full of pain, and their work is a vexation; even at night their minds do not rest. This also is vanity.

Hear the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Psalm 49, verses 1 – 12

O hear this, all you peoples:
give ear, all you inhabitants of the world,

**All children of earth, offspring of Adam:
both rich and poor alike.**

For my mouth shall speak wisdom:
and the thoughts of my heart
shall be full of understanding.

**I will incline my ear to a riddle:
and unfold the mystery to the sounds of the harp.**

Why should I fear in the evil days:
when the wickedness of my deceivers surrounds me,

**Though they trust to their great wealth:
and boast of the abundance of their riches?**

No one may ransom another:
or give God a price for them,

**So that they may live for ever:
and never see the grave;**

For to ransom a life is so costly:
that it must be abandoned for ever.

**For we see that the wise die:
and perish with the foolish and the ignorant,
leaving their wealth to others.**

The tomb is their home for ever,
their dwelling-place throughout all generations:
though they called estates after their own names.

**The rich without understanding:
are like the beasts that perish.**

**A reading from the Letter of Paul to the Colossians
chapter 3, verses 1 – 11**

So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. But now you must get rid of all such things—anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

Hear the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Alleluia, **alleluia!**

Happy the poor in spirit;
the kingdom of heaven is theirs!

Alleluia!

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke,
Chapter 12, verses 13-21

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

Someone in the crowd said to him, 'Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.' But he said to him, 'Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?' And he said to them, 'Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.' Then he told them a parable: 'The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, "What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?" Then he said, "I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry." But God said to him, "You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?" So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich towards God.'

For the Gospel of the Lord
Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Please pray for

Ken Hope, Joel, Mandy, Joan & Norman Williams, Bill Howard, Isobel Horsley and Emma Horton, Barbara Matthews, Maureen H, Jean Easy, Paul Naylor, Bill Moss, Patricia Bailey.

VALE Tony Cronin

'Whispers of Love' Meditation –

Reflection

'No words can express the tenderness which Our Lord devotes to our spiritual growth'. Julian of Norwich

Prayerfully Reverend Ann

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP MEETING 12TH AUGUST 2019

WE WILL BE HAVING A SPEAKER AT 2.00PM.

ALL ARE INVITED.

"Radio through the Years"

Gary Gilday from RADIO 50+

Gary will talk about his memories from early days of radio and move up to the community station of today.

Anyone who has grown up with radio will be interested and we look forward to you joining us.

It is open to all parishioners; men are included, and we would like you all to join us. Followed by a delicious afternoon tea.

Housekeeping

Please don't put anything other than paper cups in the bin next to the water cooler. Thank you.

Market Day – Saturday 17th August 2019

Once again, we will need all the help we can get when setting up on Friday 16th and especially with packing away and clearing up on Saturday 17th. Your help is always appreciated. If you can come at 12.30pm for an hour on Saturday to pack up, we would love to see you.

Dinner at Terrigal Bowling Club

Please join us for dinner at Terrigal Bowling Club at 'Bec's Kitchen' tonight, 4th August from 6pm. Sign-up sheet on notice board.

Multi-Purpose Shed at Rear of Property

Currently the plans are with council for DA approval. This has been delayed due to some council regulations i.e.

Payment for advertising

Position of building to boundary

Clarification of sewage works

Some internal fit outs

Once Council have sent the DA approval the project co-ordinator will proceed with the build.

In the interim Terry Rowe has placed the drawings of the building on our notice board.

Parish Contact List

We are in the process of updating the Parish Contact List for 2019. If you would like to be included, please complete the Renewing Contact Information Form available today. Any questions, please contact Terry Rowe or Kyara Newport. Thank you.

Cal Priest

First Aid Certificates

As part of WHS for Holy Trinity we would like to know if any Parishioners hold a current First Aid Certificate.

It will be possible for the Church to hold a first aid course (min 10 people) at our centre, should you be interested in completing a first aid course with the group.

Please advise Terry Rowe, Neil Ewer, Kyara Newport or Cal Priest in the office.

2019 Diocesan Convention



**The Rev'd Dr
Donna Lazenby**
Author of '*Divine
Sparks: Everyday
encounters with God's
incoming kingdom*'

**SATURDAY AUGUST 17, 2019
9.30AM - 3.30PM**

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Anglican Church office on 4926 3733
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**Should you be interested in attending the Diocesan
Convention, please advise Terry Rowe or Kyara Newport
so this information can be passed to Newcastle.**

Prayer for the week

Almighty God,
whose beloved Son for our sake
willingly endured the agony and shame of the cross:
give us courage and patience
to take up our cross daily and follow him;
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

MONEY, MONEY, MONEY

Jesus says in today's Gospel: "Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions" (Luke 12:15). When the subject of money is raised in the Church, there is a nervous shifting in the seat and a lowering of the eyes as though something uncomfortable or unseemly is being brought up for discussion. We think church is all about 'spiritual' matters (whatever that means) so any talk of earthly and material things like money or sex is regarded as taboo. In an individualistic society like ours, there is also a widespread belief that money is *mine* to do with as I please. After all, I earned it so I suppose I can do what I like with it.

Discussing the subject in a church context also gives people a faint impression that the Church has an ulterior motive – "they want your money." We should never be coy about money and challenging people regarding stewardship for the simple reason that the Bible and Jesus himself have plenty to say on the subject. Years ago I heard Dr Han Kyung Chik speaking on stewardship. He was the Pastor of Young Nak Church in Seoul, South Korea, the largest Presbyterian Church in the world. He pointed out that **Jesus spoke five times as much about material things as he did any other subject**. He mentioned it 91 times in Matthew, 57 times in Mark, 94 times in Luke and 88 times in John. In fact, one out of every six verses in the Gospels refers to the right and wrong use of material possessions. I haven't done the maths, but I would suggest that if Jesus taught more about money and our use of material

possessions than any other subject, it would only seem reasonable for us to give the same serious attention to it.

Money is not good or bad in itself. Many commodities in life are neutral, but they can be *used* for good or evil purposes. For example, a knife is a neutral object that can be used to stab someone or be used to slice bread. Money can be used to benefit and help people, or it can be used selfishly. A verse in the Bible that's often misquoted as "money is the root of all evil" actually says, "For the *love* of money is a root of all kinds of evil" (1 Tim. 6:10 emphasis mine). Money as a means of exchange is neutral and can be used for good or evil.

Jesus said some pretty unequivocal things about money which go against the general consensus in our society, especially one in which economics and finance receive so much attention and dominate political discourse as well as our lives.

Jesus said, "Freely you have received, freely give" (Matthew 10:8). Our stewardship is ultimately an expression of our gratitude. When we reflect on the goodness of God and the abundant provision of God in our lives, we are moved to praise and thanksgiving. This will be expressed in our singing, our witnessing, in showing hospitality (especially to the stranger) and in the giving of our money.

Fr Mark

Pew Reflections

The Eighth Sunday After Pentecost [Pentecost 8] – Sunday 04 August 2019

- Hosea 11.1-11; Psalm 107.1-9, 43;
Colossians 3.1-11; Luke 12.13-21

Paul urges us to reject 'earthly' values and centre our lives on Christ who himself in the Gospel points out the foolishness of depending on the material possessions of this life and forgetting that we are dependent on God for our life, the God who is loving and compassionate (despite his people's unfaithfulness) as stressed by Hosea.

- 'O give thanks to the Lord for he is good: for his loving mercy is for ever.' (Psalm)
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of the Province of Myanmar.

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Rosters for next week

11th August – Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

7.30am

Greeter	Sidesperson	Readers	Servers
Terry Rowe	Neil Ewer	Chris Sillince Coralie Taylor	Coralie Taylor Rhonda Kiss

9.30am

Greeter	Sidesperson	Readers	Servers
Lesley Gosling	June Timms Ellie Murphy	Terry Rowe Mark Timms	Jan Bolte John Henwood
Morning Tea	Counting Roster		Flowers
Anna Holt Judy Thompson	John Holt Betty Hancock		Robyn Smith

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Trinity Band and Singers

Readings: Genesis 15:1-6, Psalm 33. 13-21, Hebrews 11. 1-3, 8-16

Gospel: Luke 12. 32-40

This Week

Monday 5th August

Oswald, king and martyr (d. 642)

10.00am – Whispers of Love Meditation – Rev Ann

3.00pm – Tarragal Manor & Tarragal Glen Eucharist

Tuesday 6th August

8.00am – Morning Prayer – Rev Ann

7.00pm - Trinity Band and Singers

Wednesday 7th August

8.00am – Morning Prayer [Fr Mark]

5.00pm - Holy Eucharist (Fr Roy)

5.30pm - Sacred Reading (Fr Roy)

Thursday 8th August

Dominic, priest and friar (d. 1221)

8.00am – Morning Prayer – Fr Mark

10.00am - Pastoral Care Meeting

Friday 9th August

Mary Sumner, founder of the Mothers' Union (d. 1921)

8.00am – Morning Prayer – Fr Mark

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

Readings – Deuteronomy 4.32-40, Psalm 77. 11-15, Matthew 16. 24 –28

11.45am – Bible Study

Saturday 10th August

Laurence, deacon and martyr at Rome (d. 258)

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)

Parish contact - (02) 4365 1115 or mobile 0427 135 771

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

Parish Website – www.terrigalanglican.org.au

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Parish Executive

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Copyright Compliance Officer – Terry Rowe

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Market Day Co-ordinator –

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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