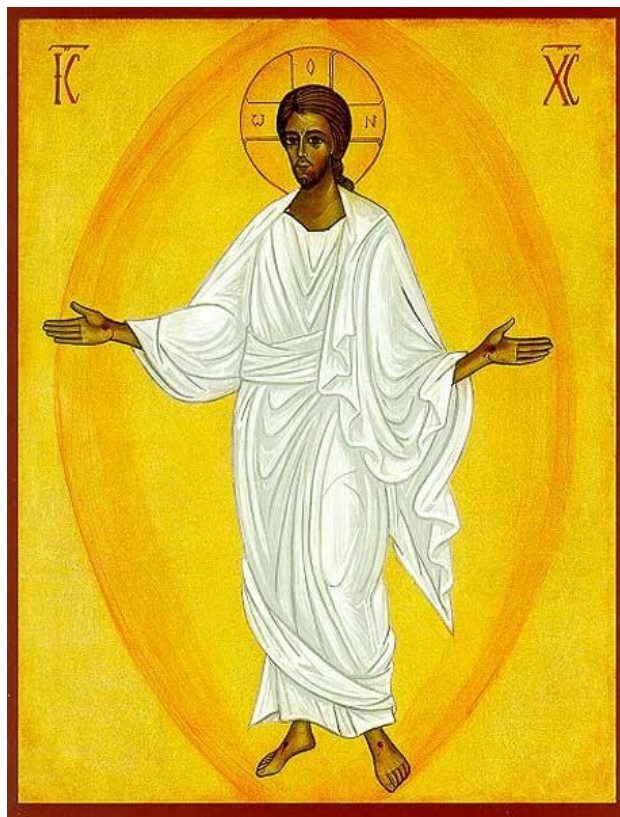


**Welcome to worship at  
Holy Trinity, Terrigal**

**SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
**11<sup>th</sup> April 2021**



**8.00am – Sung Eucharist**

**Presiding and Preaching** – Fr Mark Watson

**Organist** – Chris Sillince

**Hymns** – TIS 360 (part 2), 386, 372, AHB 303

**9.30am – Holy Eucharist with Holy Baptism**

**Presiding and Preaching** – Fr Mark Watson

Trinity Band and Singers

**Hymns** – TIS 390, 535, 392

(All Hymns are from Together in Song unless otherwise specified.)

## **HOLY BAPTISM**

We welcome Meevel Susan Joy who will be received into the Body of Christ through the Sacrament of Baptism this morning at 9.30am. We welcome also Meevel's parents, Jay and Manju, the Godparents, Fr Roy and Maureen Hazlewood, and members of her family and friends. God bless you as you make these important promises on behalf of Meevel.

**Fr. Roy writes:** Welcome to the Second Sunday of Easter and hopefully the joy of Easter Day and Easter Week met your expectations for your worship which you experienced as awesome, and for the love of family and friends and for the New Life in Christ that has come your way.

We may look for the New Life of Resurrection upon our death and the death of our loved ones. We look, also, for the New Life of the Resurrection in the NOW with our daily death to sin and all evil. When we pray "Your kingdom come your will be done, on earth as in heaven " we are praying that the same death to sin and all evil will apply to all the people of the world and New Life in Christ will emerge. It is God's love for the world and its people that He sent His only Son born of the Virgin Mary to live as one of us, to be tempted but without sin, to teach, to be humiliated, to suffer and to die a cruel death nailed to a cross made from a tree. It is for you and me that He did this and was raised to new life to be alive with us now.

The world is going through a very difficult, stressful and dark time in history with Coronavirus, death, war, natural disasters, and violence of every description. It is a time when the Church should be a light and give hope to a waiting world for the Peace that only God can give. We believe that the message of Easter is about light, hope, love and New Life in Christ Jesus who is alive.

Here is a prayer for you to use during this week:

May the risen Lord Jesus bless us.

May he watch over us and renew us  
as he renews the whole of creation.

May our hearts and lives echo his love.

**Amen.**

From the Daily Office of the Church of England.

Come, Son of God Incarnate, Jesus of Nazareth, come and touch the lives of your people.

Keep well, keep safe and the blessing of God be upon you and on all who you love and may your days and nights be holy, good and peaceful. AMEN.

### **Sentence**

'Peace be with you,' says the Lord. 'As the Father has sent me, so I send you.'

John 20.21

### **Prayer of the Day**

Risen Christ,  
whose absence leaves us in despair  
but whose presence is overwhelming:  
breathe on us with your abundant life,  
that where we cannot see  
we may have courage to believe  
that we may be raised with you. **Amen.**

### **A reading from Acts Chapter 4 verses 32 to 37**

Now the whole group of those who believed were of one heart and soul, and no one claimed private ownership of any possessions, but everything they owned was held in common. With great power the apostles gave their testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great grace was upon them all. There was not a needy person among them, for as many as owned lands or houses sold them and brought the proceeds of what was sold. They laid it at the apostles' feet, and it was distributed to each as any had need. There was a Levite, a native of Cyprus, Joseph, to whom the apostles gave the name Barnabas (which means 'son of encouragement'). He sold a field that belonged to him, then brought the money, and laid it at the apostles' feet.

Hear the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## Psalm 133

1 Behold how good and how lovely it is:  
when families live together in unity.

**2 It is fragrant as oil upon the head,  
that runs down over the beard:  
fragrant as oil upon the beard of Aaron,  
that ran down over the collar of his robe.**

3 It is like a dew of Hermon:  
like the dew that falls upon the hill of Zion.

**4 For there the Lord has commanded his blessing:  
which is life for evermore.**

### **A reading from the First Letter of John Chapter 1 verse 1 to chapter 2 verse 2.**

We declare to you what was from the beginning, what we have heard, what we have seen with our eyes, what we have looked at and touched with our hands, concerning the word of life— this life was revealed, and we have seen it and testify to it, and declare to you the eternal life that was with the Father and was revealed to us— we declare to you what we have seen and heard so that you also may have fellowship with us; and truly our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ. We are writing these things so that our joy may be complete.

This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light and in him there is no darkness at all. If we say that we have fellowship with him while we are walking in darkness, we lie and do not do what is true; but if we walk in the light as he himself is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin. If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

Hear the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

Alleluia, **alleluia!**

You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me; happy those who have not seen me, but still believe!

**Alleluia!**

The Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to John  
Chapter 20 verses 19 to 31

**Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.'

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.' Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.'

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

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

**Prayer for those suffering severe illness** (adapted from *A Prayer Book for Australia*, p. 692)

Healing Spirit,

we pray for those suffering from serious diseases and for those who are terminally ill, and those living with the COVID-19 virus. We pray for skill and patience for the doctors and nurses who care for them. We pray that their relatives and friends may be strengthened and comforted. May their faith not falter as they support each other through testing times. We pray for those engaged in research that by your inspiration and their skill the scourges of this generation may be overcome. Help us to live in your way and to seek health in body, mind and spirit. **Amen.**

**Please pray for**

Graeme Patterson, Ken Hope, Norm Williams, Emma Horton, Isobel Hargraves, Jean Jackson, Marian French, Aaron Lane, Pat Lindsay, Toby Lindsay, Gloria Townsend, Margaret Willard, Pat Stokes, Kathy Oakes, Tania Howlett, Ian Kidson, Maureen Hazlewood, Patricia Bailey, Shirley Taylor, Andrew Smith, Des Matthews, Peter and Robyn Vukasovic, Kate Ross (Holt) and Adrian Baldwin.

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***'Whispers of Love' Meditation*****Reflection:**

The greatest gift of Easter is hope-  
Christian hope, which makes us have the confidence  
In God, in his ultimate triumph, and in his goodness  
and love, which nothing can shake.

*Basil Hume*

Prayerfully, Reverend Ann

**HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES**

Thank you for the hard work done by many of you over the Easter period. Cal Priest, our Wardens, organists, Sacristan, servers, flower arrangers, clergy, those who looked after the children's activities on Sunday, and others did a splendid job. Services were well-attended with a number of them seeing increases over the last Easter we celebrated in 2019. There was very warm feedback from both regular attenders and visitors. My heartfelt thanks and appreciation to you all.

Our apologies for the incorrect time of services for Easter Day on the website.

Fr Mark.

**Samaritans**

We have our basket for food donations available for those wishing to bring items. Some suggestions are baked beans, spaghetti, soup, salmon, tuna, tinned fruit and tinned vegetables. Also, long life milk, pasta, soap and toilet paper. Please NO nappies at this stage. Thank you.

Margaret MacLachlan.



## **Spirituality in the Pub**

SIP CENTRAL COAST

The Grange Hotel Function Room

Cnr: Renwick St & Pacific Hwy, WYOMING

**Tuesday 4th May, 2021, 7.30pm - 9.00pm**

*Theme 2021: "Influences on my Spiritual Journey"*

***Debra Lansdowne:*** *Author, dancing-yogi and art therapist, Debra was raised Catholic. Wanting to explore other cultural beliefs, she studied Yoga and Meditation and trained in Ancient Mystery School Wisdom secrets, and Shamanic practices. An initiation awakened her to be a voice for the voiceless. Walking consciously and respecting all species are the heart of her spirituality.*

***SIP Central Coast is an Ecumenical & Interfaith Speakers Forum with Q's & A's.***

*The focus is on developing understanding & encouraging conversation about Spirituality through sharing one's life journey. We meet 1st Tuesday in the month from March to October and 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday in November.*

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### **Women's Fellowship**

Women's Fellowship will meet the second Monday of each month at 1pm in the church foyer. All women are welcome to join us then. This month's meeting is on the 12<sup>th</sup> April.

Pam Flegg

### **Prayer of the week**

Almighty God,  
whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life  
of all who put their trust in him:  
raise us, we pray, from the death of sin  
to the life of righteousness;  
that we may ever seek the things which are above,  
where he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**





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## **The Second Sunday of Easter**

### **– Sunday 11 April 2021**

- Acts 4.32-37; Psalm 133;  
1 John 1.1 – 2.2; John 20.19-31

Today the Psalmist extols the notion of families living together in unity. It's the same for the Church – unity (not uniformity) means that our ecclesiastical life ought to be one of supporting one another and building each other up in Christ's name. As the old hymn says, *The Church's one foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord*. May we remember that in everything we do as members of the Church.

- May everything I do work towards the unity and growth of my parish and my diocese.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Melanesia.

*Text:* Robert McLean  
ABM's Partnerships Coordinator  
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**Next Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 – Second Sunday of Easter**

**8.00am – Sung Eucharist**

Presiding & Preaching – *Fr Mark Watson*

Organist – *Chris Sillince*

**9.30am – Sung Eucharist**

Presiding & Preaching – *Fr Mark Watson*

Organist – *Sharon Sandstrom*

**Readings:** Acts 3.12-20, Psalm 4, 1 John 2.15-17; 3.1-6

**Gospel:** Luke 24.36b-48

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Fridays open from 9.00am to 10.15am and from 11:15am to 4.00pm

(Please note Friday between 10.15am-11.15am the Op Shop is CLOSED)

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