Parish Directory

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Parish Organist – Chris Sillince - 0422 225 849
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Carolyn Shields / Christine De Gans - 4365 1280

The Op Shop is open Tuesday to Friday from 9.00am to 4.00pm and each Saturday from 10.00am to 1.00pm

The Anglican Diocese of Newcastle The Parish of Terrigal





Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

4th August, 2013

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity.

7.30am - Sung Eucharist [AW/AW]9.30am - Eucharist [RHw/AW]

Hymns

7.30am: 227, 611, 259, 501-v. 5-6, 545 (Chris Sillince)

Evening Prayer Today at 5.00pm in Chapel (for Winter)

This is a lovely, gentle way to complete our Sunday cycle of worship. Please consider coming along!

We welcome parents Nathan & Claudia, godparents Elliot, Callum, Karynne, and Zoe, family and friends to the baptism of Greta Poppy today at 11.30 am.

THIS WEEK

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

Please note the following in your diary.

Monday to Friday – Morning Prayer at 8.00am

Monday 5th August 10.00-10.45am - 'Whispers of Love' [AW]

Tuesday 6th August

2.00pm - Eucharist at Tarrigal Glen - B. Flood **7.00pm** - Trinity Band Practice

Wednesday 7th August

From 9.30am - Maestro Possums in Multi-Purpose Room

Thursday 8th August

10.00am - Pastoral Care Meeting

Friday 9th August

10.30am - Holy Eucharist - the Founders' Chapel [AW] Readings –Deuteronomy 4. 32-40 Ps. 77.11-15, Matthew 16. 24-28

11.30am - Bible Study in Meeting Room [AW]

7.00-9.00pm - Trinity Teens — Renewing Trinity Teens now meeting at Holy Trinity

SAFE MINISTRY TRAINING DAY - PLEASE NOTE THE

24TH August, 2013 at St. John's, Cooks Hill.

This day is for people involved in Messy Church

The Anglican 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 - Family Eucharist

1st Sunday of the month – Evensong at 5.00pm (Winter)

3rd Sunday in the month - Messy Church between 3.30pm and 5.30pm.

Weekly Worship at Holy Trinity

Friday at 10.30am - Eucharist

First Tuesday at 2.00pm - Tarragal Glen Eucharist
Second Wednesday at 10.00am - Tarragal House Eucharist/concert
Fourth Wednesday at 10.30am - Eucharist at Matthew John
Fourth Thursday at 10.00am - Eucharist at Maxine Louise

VARIOUS PARISH MINISTRIES

Pastoral Care (2nd Thursday at 10.00am); Bible Study (Friday at 11.30am); Women's Fellowship (2nd Monday at 1.00pm) and Men's Fellowship (3rd Thursday at 10.30am); Gardening (1st Saturday monthly); Coffee and Craft (3rd Tuesday at 1.00pm); Children's Program (9.30am Sunday), Trinity Band (rehearsal Tues. 7.00pm), Trinity Teens (2nd & 4th Friday 7.00-9.00pm in school terms at Holy Trinity); 'Whispers of Love' – a meditation (Monday at 10.00am); Messy Church (3rd Sunday 3.30-5.30pm); Parish Council (2nd Tuesday at 7.30pm)

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BCA BOXES

It is time to return those BCA boxers to Kath Connor-Brown so the money can be forwarded to BCA.

SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB

TUESDAY, 6TH AUGUST- 7.30-9.30PM AT THE GRANGE HOTEL, WYOMING Bistro opens 5.30pm

GUEST SPEAKERS: Meredith Brice, a Visual Artist, and Visual Art teacher. **Phillip Rutherford,** music composer and performer.

2013 DIOCESAN CONVENTION Saturday 17th August at

Bishop Tyrrell Anglican College Hall, Maryland. **Theme**: 'Singing the Lord's Song in a Troubled World'.

There is no cost for attending the convention but if you wish to attend we must advise the organisers by 5th August for catering purposes. Please speak to Kyara Newport.

NEW DAYLIGHT NOTES

The new copies are available and can be collected from Julie-Ann or the card book/stall.

`Whispers of Love' Our Meditation group meets on Mondays at 10.00 am.

'there is a deep well inside me where God is and sometimes I am there too'

Julian of Norwich
Prayerfully Reverend Ann

Next - "Whispers of Love" 5th August from 10.00 am to 10.45 am

Next Week

Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost 11th August, 2013 – Holy Eucharist

7.30am [AW/AW]; **9.30am -** [AW/RHw]

Eucharistic Readings

Isaiah 1. 1, 10- 20, Ps. 50.1-8, 23-24. Hebrews 11. 1 - 3, 8-16 Luke 12. 32 - 40

Forward Planning

Monday 12th August – 1.00pm – Women's Fellowship Meeting

Tuesday 13th August – 1.00 – 3.00pm - Craft & Coffee

Tuesday 13th August - 7.30pm - Parish Council Meeting

Wednesday 14th August – 10.00am – Tarragal House Eucharist/Concert

Thursday 15th August – 10.30am - Men's Fellowship Meeting

Saturday 17th August – Market Day

Sunday 18th August – 3.30-5.30pm - Messy Church

Wednesday 21st August – 10.30am – Eucharist at Matthew John

Thursday 22nd August – 10.00am - Eucharist at Maxine Louise

Saturday 24th August – Safe Ministry Training Day – St. John's, Cooks Hill

Sunday 25th August – Parish Fellowship Dinner at Terrigal Bowlo

7th **September** – Garden Working Bee

September 13th-**15**th – Election & Ordinary Sessions of Synod

September 22nd – Watch this space, and mark the day in your diary

ANGLICAN PARISH OF TERRIGAL

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WEEKLY GIVING BY DIRECT DEPOSIT REALLY
HELPS TO SECURE OUR VIABILITY.

A Reading from the Book of Hosea Chapter 11, verses 1 to 11.

When Israel was a child, I loved him, and out of Egypt I called my son. The more I called them, the more they went from me; they kept sacrificing to the Baals, and offering incense to idols.

Yet it was I who taught Ephraim to walk,
I took them up in my arms;
but they did not know that I healed them.
I led them with cords of human kindness,
with bands of love.
I was to them like those
who lift infants to their cheeks.

I bent down to them and fed them.

They shall return to the land of Egypt, and Assyria shall be their king, because they have refused to return to me.

The sword rages in their cities, it consumes their oracle-priests, and devours because of their schemes. My people are bent on turning away from me.

To the Most High they call, but he does not raise them up at all.

How can I give you up, Ephraim?
How can I hand you over, O Israel?
How can I make you like Admah?
How can I treat you like Zeboiim?
My heart recoils within me;
my compassion grows warm and tender.
I will not execute my fierce anger;
I will not again destroy Ephraim;

Mission to Seafarers

Once again, thank you to all who contributed to the Mission to Seafarers knitted beanie appeal, and also for the donations of Bibles, magazines, clothing and monetary offerings. Revd. Garry Dodd was overwhelmed by our Parish response, and its ongoing support in assisting the work of the Chaplains and volunteers in their mission work in the Port of Newcastle - Mission to Seafarers. Please continue to knit the beanies to be distributed by the mission.

The Anglican Women's donation boxes - which support the Mission to Seafarers will continue to be collected until the Anglican Women's Spring Rally in September.

Coralie Taylor.

SOME THOUGHTS TO THE PARISH WITH REGARD TO MESSY CHURCH.

Our Messy Church Families and teenagers continue to grow in number and enthusiasm, with a real core of attendance. We have been offering this different service now for 1 year and in this time our genuine want to reach out to families who would not ordinarily attend a Traditional Service is encouraging. These families are searching for a Christian experience that does not make them feel uncomfortable, where the family is welcomed and their worship time is spent together, with other likeminded people.

The dynamics of the Messy Church format are two fold, firstly we are providing a fun, family atmosphere in which people of all ages feel at home while they are learning about God and his kingdom. Secondly we are hopeful that this new generation of messy church goers will grow into a community of God, who will take our message forward as disciples.

continue to uphold the work of World Vision Australia, and WV globally as they continue to strive in improving the lives of impoverished people in Indigenous communities, and throughout the world.

Pray for

1 World Vision Target.

Children report an increased overall level of wellbeing between the ages of 12-18 years of age. This target focuses on the aspects of life that are important to children especially:

- 1. Positive relationships. 2. Hopes and Visions for the future.
- 3. Participation in community life. 4. Cared for. 5. Protected
- * Pray for children to grow in their interpersonal skills which will lead to a healthy self-esteem.
- * Pray for families in their ability to support children as they grow and develop.
- * Pray for children as they engage with others to build community life.
- * Pray for schools and their capacity to foster a learning environment for children .

M.D. Goal 1- Eradicate extreme Poverty & Hunger Targets

Halve between 1990 and 2015, the proportion of people whose income is less than \$1 a day.

- 2. Achieve full and productive employment and decent work for all, including women and young people.
- 3. Halve between 1990 and 2015, the proportion of people who suffer from hunger while the Millennium Development Goals aim to halve poverty. World Vision takes the bold view that all children should have life in all its fullness. Programs and advocacy are aimed at fighting child poverty at every level.

Pray for

- * All nations to work together to make extreme poverty a thing of the past.
- * All those who are empty handed, empty bellied and empty of choice.

for I am God and no mortal, the Holy One in your midst, and I will not come in wrath.

They shall go after the LORD, who roars like a lion; when he roars, his children shall come trembling from the west. They shall come trembling like birds from Egypt, and like doves from the land of Assyria; and I will return them to their homes, says the LORD.

Hear the word of the Lord, thanks be to God.

Psalm 107. 1-9, 43

O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good: for his loving mercy is for ever.

Let the Lord's redeemed say so: whom he has redeemed from the hand of the enemy,

And gathered in from every land, from the east and from the west: from the north and from the south.

Some went astray in the wilderness and in the desert: and found no path to an inhabited city;

They were hungry and thirsty: and their heart fainted within them.

Then they cried to the Lord in their distress: and he took them out of their trouble.

He led them by the right path: till they came to an inhabited city.

Let them thank the Lord for his goodness: and for the wonders that he does for the children of Adam;

For he satisfies the thirsty: and fills the hungry with good things. Whoever is wise, let them observe these things: and consider the loving-kindness of the Lord.

Glory to God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit as in the beginning, so now and forever. Amen

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 or 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.

responsibility of the Church is not simply to generate ideas (although there is a place for human creativity) nor to invent something but discover the vision which God has for the Church as a whole and for a particular local congregation. The vision will be a mixture of what we are called to be and what we are called to do.

Prayerfully Reverend Ann

Mission 4th August
This month's focus: **WORLD VISION**

In a recent newsletter from Tim Costello, World Vision Australia's Chief Executive, he expressed thanks for the Anglican Parish of Terrigal's ongoing support through child sponsorship. He states ' Every mother wants her child to grow up strong and healthy...... because of child sponsorship, many mothers are getting prenatal care, education on how to care for their babies, and nutrition information. It's just an example of the many ways your support is helping to change lives.'

Child Sponsorship - is about improving the wellbeing of children through relationships that enable transformation. World Vision has goals for children's wellbeing and uses the resources of sponsorship to assist and empower communities in the care of children. Child sponsorship inspires communities locally and globally for the wellbeing of children, through life-enriching experiences with children and supporters, and their families and communities.

Pray for enriched connections between children, communities and supporters, which amplify child and community voices for more effective engagement and the sustained wellbeing of children.

Pray for people to be inspired to defend the cause of children, and to promote justice and wellbeing, holding close to God's vision of life in all its fullness.

Throughout the month of August, our Parish Mission focus will be on World Vision - please support our Parish sponsorship, and

From the Locum

Continuing on from the article by Steven Croft on *Transforming Communities* there is much to reflect on what is our idea of vision and mission.

The term 'vision' is not the only piece of theological language to be used by the business community and therefore to be subject to this devaluation through being borrowed and borrowed back. 'Mission' has been treated in a similar way. The terms 'steward', 'servant', 'charismatic', 'community' and 'transformation' are all found in the secular leadership texts. It is the term 'vision', however, which has lost the most in the translation and whose biblical content and meaning needs to be recovered by the churches as we re-imagine what it means to be church. The danger is that we reduce the calling to be the people of God to the kind of vision which is appropriate for a commercial company, with all that this implies. In thinking about the process of developing fresh vision, it is therefore important to ask what may make a Christian vision for the church different from a vision for any other organization and to repossess some of the content of the biblical concept.

In the commercial world, the vision generated is normally simply for the benefit of the organization and its shareholders or employees. For the church, the vision must be for the benefit and blessing of the whole world, not simply for the Christian community or any particular part of it. Our horizon must be on the kingdom of God rather than the extension of influence of a congregation or denomination.

God's vision

In the world of business, organizations attempt to generate and discover their own vision and plan for the future. The

A reading from the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke, Chapter 12. 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

Kim Hinder, Natalie, Anne, Shaun, Fr. John West, Beverly Taylor, Joan Maxwell, Catherine Tizard, Desley Cook, Brenden, Sharon Bramwell, Patricia Luxford, Simon Argue, Angela, Joel, Beth Cross, Betty Lindsay, Maureen Howard, Enid, George,

PASTORAL CARE

At the last meeting of the Pastoral Care team it was decided to seek more members from the parish to be part of the Pastoral Care team.

Pastoral care is about ordinary people living ordinary lives and how ordinary, caring Christians can make a difference.

Each person's response will be distinctive it will have its own flavour.

Do we see pastoral care as part of our role not only to our family, extended family, our church community but also to all people?

Each of us has an image of what sort of people we believe we are. I read somewhere of six images I wonder if you can relate to one of these the shepherd, the wounded healer the host and guest the horse tram, the companion on the journey, the bridge or the bridge builder.

Please prayerfully consider whether God is calling you into this ministry

At the next meeting on Thursday 8 August 10.00 am we will hold an information morning and speak in more detail about Pastoral Care and answer any questions you may have.

Prayerfully Reverend Ann

Pastoral Care Prayer

Gracious and loving God

In you we have our life, our loves, and our being.

You weave us together into a family of joy and care.

Help us to love as you love.

Help us to care as you care.

Teach us your ways,

And grant us grace for the tasks to which we are called.

Be with those for whom we have special responsibility.

Grant them strength for the journey,

Wisdom in all their undertakings,

Faith in your power to save, and peace at the last, to know their home is sure

Through Christ we pray Amen