

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity, Terrigal

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

5th March, 2023



8.00am – Sung Eucharist *Presiding and Preaching* – **Fr Mark Watson**

Organist – Chris Sillince

Hymns: TIS 131, 234, 343, 246

9.30am – Holy Eucharist *Presiding and Preaching* – **Rev'd Ann Watson**

Organist – Sharon Sandstrom

Hymns: TIS 131, 234, 343, 246

[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

Suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him!"

Matthew 17.5

Prayer of the Day

O God,
in the transfiguration of your Son
you confirmed the mysteries of the faith
by the witness of Moses and Elijah,
and in the voice from the cloud
you foreshadowed our adoption as your children:
make us, with Christ, heirs of your glory,
and bring us to enjoy its fullness;
through the same Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

A Reading from Genesis Chapter 12, verses 1 – 4a

1 Now the LORD said to Abram, 'Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. ²I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you, and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. ³I will bless those who bless you, and the one who curses you I will curse; and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed.'

4 So Abram went, as the LORD had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he departed from Haran.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 121

1 I lift up my eyes to the hills:
but where shall I find help?

**2 My help comes from the Lord:
who has made heaven and earth.**

3 He will not suffer your foot to stumble:
and he who watches over you will not sleep.

**4 Be sure he who has charge of Israel:
will neither slumber nor sleep.**

5 The Lord himself is your keeper:
the Lord is your defence upon your right hand;

**6 The sun shall not strike you by day:
nor shall the moon by night.**

7 The Lord will defend you from all evil:
it is he who will guard your life.

**8 The Lord will defend your going out and your coming in:
from this time forward for evermore.**

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Romans, Chapter 4 verses 1 – 5, 13 – 17

¹What then are we to say was gained by Abraham, our ancestor according to the flesh? ²For if Abraham was justified by works, he has something to boast about, but not before God. ³For what does the scripture say? 'Abraham believed God, and it was reckoned to him as righteousness.' ⁴Now to one who works, wages are not reckoned as a gift but as something due. ⁵But to one who without works trusts him who justifies the ungodly, such faith is reckoned as righteousness.

¹³ For the promise that he would inherit the world did not come to Abraham or to his descendants through the law but through the righteousness of faith. ¹⁴If it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. ¹⁵For the law brings wrath; but where there is no law, neither is there violation.

¹⁶ For this reason it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his descendants, not only to the adherents of the law but also to those who share the faith of Abraham (for he is the father of all of us, ¹⁷as it is written, 'I have made you the father of many nations')—in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

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From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard:

This is my beloved Son, hear him.

Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

The Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew
Chapter 17, verses 1 – 9

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

¹⁷ Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. ²And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white. ³Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. ⁴Then Peter said to Jesus, 'Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three dwellings here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.' ⁵While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, 'This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!' ⁶When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. ⁷But Jesus came and touched them, saying, 'Get up and do not be afraid.' ⁸And when they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone.

⁹ As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, 'Tell no one about the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead.'

For the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Michael Hort, Lynette Brennan, Shirley Kearns, Angarad O'Malley, Tania Howlett, David Lamb, Gloria and Albert Townsend, Irene Neville, Michelle Davies, Jo, Ray Wilmot, Steve Taylor, Di. M, Jeannie Hilton, Colleen Wells, Harvey Boardman, Neil Ewer, Carmen McGee, Keith Carden, Emma Horton, Merv Singh, Maureen. W, Pam Thomas, Bob Morgan, Julie Rowe, Pamela and Geoff Dove, Stephen Durie and Pam Flegg.

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Terry Rowe, Treasurer.

Prayer of the Week

Remember, O Lord,
what you have wrought in us
and not what we deserve,
and, as you have called us to your service,
make us worthy of our calling;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

'WHISPERS OF LOVE' A MEDITATION

We meet each Monday morning at 10am.

Meditation Reflection:

Loving and gracious God,

Here I am being led to the wilderness of this Lenten experience.

May I be open to the changes You wish to work in me over these forty days. Accompany me through my own desert experiences, where there is dryness, emptiness or hurt.

Be my guide towards healing and peace.

Prayerfully, Reverend Ann.

BADGES HAVE ARRIVED

Badges have arrived for those who requested them. Please collect them from the table where the prayer request book is kept. Thank you.

Cal Priest.

SAMARITANS

Samaritans are back at work at Wyoming. Donations suggestions are breakfast cereal, tin fruit, pasta/sauce spaghetti, baked beans, tin vegetables, tomatoes, packet noodles, toilet paper, soap and toothpaste. Thank you.
Margaret MacLachlan.

9.30AM READERS PLEASE NOTE

Pam Flegg is improving after a fall in Sydney and will be unable to return to the Central Coast for a few weeks. Please contact Reverend Ann if you need to speak with anyone about the Reader's Roster. Thank you.

MARKET DAY DATES FOR 2023

Mark your calendars for the following Saturdays:

18th March, 15th April, 20th May, 17th June,
15th July, 19th August, 16th September, 21st October,
18th November, 9th December.

Market Day hours are 8am until 1pm in our new building at the rear of the Church. The Op Shop will also be open this day.
We look forward to seeing you there.

DINNER AT TERRIGAL BOWLING CLUB

Please join us for dinner at Terrigal Bowling Club at 'Bec's Kitchen' tonight, Sunday 5th March, 2023 from 6pm. If you are interested, please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the notice board immediately after the service. Thank you.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Our AGM will be held on Sunday 19th March, 2023 at 11am here at the church.

If you are responsible for submitting a report, please get it to Cal in the office by Tuesday 7th March at:

admin@terrigan.org.au

Thank you.

ATTENTION ALL VOLUNTEERS
NATIONALLY CO-ORDINATED CRIMINAL HISTORY CHECK AND
SAFE MINISTRY TRAINING IS OVERDUE

I cannot express how urgent it is that ALL Volunteers and Employees under the Anglican Diocese of Newcastle undertake a Nationally Coordinated Criminal History Check and do the Safe Ministry training. This was supposed to be completed prior to 15th December, 2022. If you serve **in any capacity** at the church, this means you. If you haven't already, please:

1. Visit the Diocese's Online Self-Service Portal:

crimcheck.org.au/check/newcastleanglican

and complete an application for a Criminal History Check. (Using this link means the Diocese will pay for it.)

2. CrimCheck will then review the application and verify the applicant's identity before submitting the application for processing on behalf of the Diocese and the applicant.

3. The applicant and the Diocesan Office will be notified of the results and will receive a final Criminal History Check Certificate which will need to be forwarded to our office (by you) at admin@terrigalanglican.org.au

Please note: This process requires you to upload identity documents during the Crim Check application and take a photo of yourself during the process. Please read the information carefully about the ID you need to provide and have it uploaded to your computer/device prior to attempting the crim check as there is a 30-minute limit once you start. If you require help with this process, please let me know by telephone on 4365 1115 between 10am – 2pm Tuesday or Thursday or email admin@terrigalanglican.org.au

As the training for Safe Ministry training has changed, ALL clergy, staff and volunteers are required to complete the new training.

This training is now only online and is free. Here is the link:

<https://ocg.nsw.gov.au/training-and-resources/elearning>

If you need to search for the course name, it is called:

OCG – Child Safe – Keeping children safe in organisation e-Learning modules.

Volunteers need to complete the first 9 modules and Clergy need to complete all 11 modules.

Once you have completed the training, please either email the letter of completion or bring a hard copy into the office so that I can update your record with the new date of completion. I am here to assist you so please ask for help if you need it. We know it is a lot to ask and we are so grateful for your co-operation and time. Thank you.

Cal Priest – Office Admin.

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP AGM AND MARCH MEETING

**Our March meeting is on Monday 13th March,
commencing at 1pm in the church foyer.**

We will be holding our AGM (moved from February) followed by our monthly meeting and afternoon tea. All women are welcome to join us for a shared time of Christian Fellowship.



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The Second Sunday in Lent – Sunday 5 March 2023

- Genesis 12.1-4a; Psalm 121; Romans 4.1-5, [6-12], 13-17; John 3.1-17 or Matthew 17.1-9

One can feel for Nicodemus seeking out Jesus for enlightenment, understanding, only to be confronted with the idea of being 'born again? Today we'd ask Google only to be given thousands of options to choose from. My choice of explaining Born Again, would be *Kintsugi* – the Japanese art of repairing a broken pot by joining the pieces together with gold, with us as the pot, and the Spirit of God being the gold that holds us together.

- Pray for understanding and welcoming being born again – the Holy Spirit into our lives.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Japan, the *Nippon Sei Ko Kai*.

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This Week

Monday 6th March

10.00am – Whispers of Love – A Meditation [Rev'd Ann Watson]

Tuesday 7th March

Perpetua and her companions, martyrs at Carthage (d. 203)

7.00pm – Trinity Band Rehearsal

Wednesday 8th March

John of God, worker among the sick and poor, Spain (d. 1550)

5.00pm - Eucharist

Thursday 9th March

Sister Emma SSA, superior of the Society of the Sacred Advent, Queensland (d. 1939)

Friday 10th March

10.30am – Holy Eucharist [Fr Mark Watson]

Readings: Genesis 37.3-4, 12-13, 17-28, Psalm 105.16-22

Gospel: Matthew 21.33-43, 45-46

11.00am – Morning Tea

Saturday 11th March

Rosters for next week 10th and 12th March

Friday 10th March 10.30am Eucharist

Reader
Ann West

Sunday 12th March 8.00am Sung Eucharist – Third Sunday in Lent

Readers	Servers
1 st – Margaret Maclachlan 2 nd – Neil Ewer	C

Sunday 12th March 9.30am Holy Eucharist – Third Sunday in Lent

Readers	Servers
1 st – Marie Partier 2 nd – Evelyn White	C

Flowers	Morning Tea
Lent	Joann Lilly Anna Holt

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