

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity, Terrigal
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
27th August, 2023



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

Organist – *Chris Sillince*

Hymns: NEH 336, 360, TIS 540, 221

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

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[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

Jesus said to them, 'Who do you say that I am?' Simon Peter answered, 'You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.'

Matthew 16.15–16

Prayer of the Day

O God, fount of all wisdom,
in the humble witness of the apostle Peter
you have shown the foundation of our faith:
give us the light of your Spirit,
that, recognising in Jesus of Nazareth the Son of the living God,
we may be living stones for the building up of your holy Church;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

A Reading from Isaiah Chapter 51, verses 1 – 6

- ¹ Listen to me, you that pursue righteousness,
you that seek the LORD .
Look to the rock from which you were hewn,
and to the quarry from which you were dug.
- ² Look to Abraham your father
and to Sarah who bore you;
for he was but one when I called him,
but I blessed him and made him many.
- ³ For the LORD will comfort Zion;
he will comfort all her waste places,
and will make her wilderness like Eden,
her desert like the garden of the LORD ;
joy and gladness will be found in her,
thanksgiving and the voice of song.
- ⁴ Listen to me, my people,
and give heed to me, my nation;
for a teaching will go out from me,
and my justice for a light to the peoples.
- ⁵ I will bring near my deliverance swiftly,
my salvation has gone out
and my arms will rule the peoples;

the coastlands wait for me,
and for my arm they hope.
⁶ Lift up your eyes to the heavens,
and look at the earth beneath;
for the heavens will vanish like smoke,
the earth will wear out like a garment,
and those who live on it will die like gnats;
but my salvation will be for ever,
and my deliverance will never be ended.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 138

- ¹ I will give you thanks, O Lord, with my whole heart:
even before the gods will I sing your praises.
- ² **I will bow down toward your holy temple
and give thanks to your name:
because of your faithfulness and your loving-kindness,
for you have made your name and your word
supreme over all things.**
- ³ At a time when I called to you, you gave me answer:
and put new strength within my soul.
- ⁴ **All the kings of the earth shall praise you, O Lord:
for they have heard the words of your mouth;**
- ⁵ And they shall sing of the ways of the Lord:
that the glory of the Lord is great.
- ⁶ **For though the Lord is exalted, he looks upon the lowly:
and he comprehends the proud from afar.**
- ⁷ Though I walk in the midst of danger,
yet will you preserve my life:
you will stretch out your hand against the fury of my
enemies, and your right hand shall save me.
- ⁸ **The Lord will complete his purpose for me:
your loving-kindness, O Lord, endures for ever;
do not forsake the work of your own hands.**

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Romans Chapter 12, verses 1 – 8

¹ I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. ² Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God—what is good and acceptable and perfect. ³ For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of yourself more highly than you ought to think, but to think with sober judgement, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. ⁴ For as in one body we have many members, and not all the members have the same function, ⁵ so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members one of another. ⁶ We have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us: prophecy, in proportion to faith; ⁷ ministry, in ministering; the teacher, in teaching; ⁸ the exhorter, in exhortation; the giver, in generosity; the leader, in diligence; the compassionate, in cheerfulness.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Alleluia, **alleluia!**

You are Peter, the rock on which I will build my Church.
The gates of hell will not hold out against it.

Alleluia!

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew Chapter 16 verses 13 – 20

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

¹³ Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, 'Who do people say that the Son of Man is?' ¹⁴ And they said, 'Some say John the Baptist, but others Elijah, and still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.' ¹⁵ He said to them, 'But who do you say that I am?' ¹⁶ Simon Peter answered, 'You are the Messiah, the Son of the living

God.’¹⁷ And Jesus answered him, ‘Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father in heaven.’¹⁸ And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not prevail against it.’¹⁹ I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.’²⁰ Then he sternly ordered the disciples not to tell anyone that he was the Messiah.

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

Offertories via Direct Debit

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ASDF Account: Parish of Terrigal, BSB:705-077
Account Number: 00040934.
Terry Rowe, Treasurer.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Michael Hort, Lynette Brennan, Shirley Kearns, Angarad O’Malley, Tania Howlett, Gloria & Albert Townsend, David Lamb, Jo, Ray Wilmot, Steve Taylor, Colleen Wells, Carmen McGee, Keith Carden, Pam Thomas, Bob Morgan, Stephen Durie, Jocelyn Mulcahy, John Sorensen, Sandy, Carol Owens and Family, Joan Maxwell, John Neil, Sue James, Ralph, Jackie Davidson, Gay Fletcher and Sharon Ackerman.

Prayer of the Week

Creator God,
you have made us for yourself,
and our hearts are restless until they find their rest in you:
teach us to offer ourselves to your service,
that here we may have your peace,
and in the world to come
may see you face to face;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

'WHISPERS OF LOVE' A MEDITATION

'Whispers of Love' Meditation Group meets each Monday at 10am at Holy Trinity Church.

Reflection:

All Christian prayer is basically the experience of being filled with the Spirit, and so, in any talking or thinking about prayer, we should fix the spotlight firmly on the Spirit, not ourselves. In Romans Chapter 8 Paul puts it in this way:

'We do not even know how to pray, but through our inarticulate groans the Spirit Himself is pleading for us, and God who searches our inmost being knows what the Spirit means''.

John Main - Word into silence.

Prayerfully, Reverend Ann.

SAMARITANS

Thank you to the congregation for being excellent givers of donations for the Samaritans. Items are urgently needed now and include clean blankets, soups, tinned vegetables, spaghetti & sauce. Thank you.

Margaret Maclachlan.

PRAYER LIST

I am revising the prayer list in the Pew Bulletin so as of next week the 3rd September, the Pew Bulletin will only have names that have been updated in the prayer book (located on the table at the doorway to church) under 'September'. If you would like someone to be on the list, please get their permission first and write their name legibly in the book under 'September'. Thank you very much.

Cal Priest – Office Admin.

THANK YOU BOXES AND POUCHES

This year's support for literacy and numeracy programs in New Guinea will change to a new program at our Anglican Women's Spring Rally in September.

If you wish to support the New Guinea program, please take a box or pouch and return it by the end of August.

When you receive a blessing pop a coin in your box or pouch to help our friends in New Guinea. Thank you.

Elsa Sorensen

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

We encourage and welcome ladies from all services to join us in Women's Fellowship. We generally meet on the second Monday of the month. Our next meeting will be held on **Monday 11th September at 1pm** in the foyer.

Wendy Eades will be instructing the group in making a simple bag. Bring along a piece of fabric and a sewing machine, if available.

All women in the parish are welcome. Afternoon tea will be served after the meeting. Please join us. We would love to see some new faces.

ANGLICAN WOMEN OF AUSTRALIA IN THE DIOCESE OF NEWCASTLE ANNUAL SPRING CELEBRATION 2023

Place: St Peters Anglican Church, East Maitland

47 William Street, East Maitland (Limited transport available.)

Date and Time: Tuesday 5th September, 2023 9.30am to 2pm

Program: 9.30am – Morning Tea

10.30am – Eucharist

12.00pm - Guest Speaker: Kylie Harrod – Newcastle
Diocesan Domestic Abuse Project

12.30pm – 1.15pm – Lunch (BYO) & Fellowship

2.00pm – Home time.

All welcome to attend. For more information please contact Elsa Sorensen on 0417 063 286. Thank you.

DINNER AT TERRIGAL BOWLING CLUB

Please join us for dinner at Terrigal Bowling Club at 'Bec's Kitchen' on Sunday 3rd September, 2023 from 6pm.

If you would like to attend, please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the notice board. Thank you.

GARDEN BEE

Our next working bee will be on SATURDAY 30th SEPTEMBER. Spring is here so we should be inspired! Please come if you can, even for an hour or so. The more people we have the more work we get done. We look forward to seeing you there.

Jackie 0417413771

MARKET DAY THANK YOU

A very big thank you to everyone who helped set up, work and clean up market day on Saturday 19th August. Your help is always very much appreciated. It wouldn't run without all of our wonderful volunteers. Thank you.

Ian Wolstenholme.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The new offertory envelopes are now available. They will be handed out with the Pew Bulletins. If you don't get one, please ask a church warden for one. Thank you.

MARKET DAY HOMEMADE GOODS

There have been requests for the sale of cakes, slices, biscuits, and other homemade and baked goods at Market Days. If you love baking and you consider you're very good at it, could you please help us out? If you can, please talk to our Market Day Co-ordinator Ian Wolstenholme. Thank you for your consideration.

WILL YOU HELP US?

Serving others gives us a deeper purpose. It helps us establish a connection with others. It allows us to follow God's example, teaches us about humility and helps us make a difference in other people's lives.

Can you use your God-given talents to help others? At the moment we are in need of people to serve in the following roles:

- *Greeters
- *Sidespersons
- *Operating the slides and assisting in video recording
- *Roster co-ordinator for Greeters and Sidespersons
- *Op Shop volunteers

To adhere to the regulatory bodies and to keep our children and vulnerable people safe, our volunteers need to undergo a Crim Check and Safe Ministry Training. You will be supported through both of these requirements and they will be of no financial cost to you.

If you would like to know more, please speak to Fr Mark, a church warden or contact me in the office on Tuesday or Thursday on 4365 1115 or email me at

admin@terrigalanglican.org.au

We thank you for your consideration in helping us and look forward to assisting you in serving.

Cal Priest – Office Administration.

MARKET DAY DATES FOR 2023

Mark your calendars for the following Saturdays:

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.

ATTENTION EVERYONE WHO SERVES

If you serve **in any capacity** at the church on a rostered basis you need to have a Crim Check done and complete the latest Safe Ministry training. It is urgent that you do this ASAP if you haven't already.

If you don't have access to a computer or are not confident on the computer, I am happy to help you in the office.

Instructions for both CrimCheck and Safe Ministry Training are as follows:

Online visit the Diocese's Online Self-Service Portal here:

crimcheck.org.au/check/newcastleanglican

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

admin@terrigalanglican.org.au If you have any problems doing this, please call me on 4365 1115 or email me at

admin@terrigalanglican.org.au between 9.30am – 2.30pm Tuesday or Thursday.

The **Safe Ministry training** can be accessed by following this link:

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

The course you will need to choose is called:

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

Volunteers will need to complete the first 9 modules, not 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 but it is a requirement to keep our children and vulnerable people safe. We are so grateful for your co-operation and time.

Thank you.

Cal Priest – Office Admin.



ANGLICAN BOARD OF MISSION
Working for Love, Hope & Justice

Ordinary Sunday Pentecost 13 – Sunday 27 August 2023

- Exodus 1.8 – 2.10; Psalm 124; Romans 12.1-8; Matthew 16.13-20

Sometimes life can feel overwhelming – as if we are in a small boat being buffeted this way and that by forceful waves and strong winds and that there is nobody to help us. The Psalmist tells us where help is to be found: the name of the Lord who has made heaven and earth. That same help allowed the Psalmist to write: 'We have escaped like a bird from the snare of the fowler; the snare is broken, and we have gone free'. Being able to be at complete liberty and escape from certain doom is available to all who need it today.

- Thank you, Lord, for your offer of freedom to all who need it in their lives today
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea.

Text: Robert McLean

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Next Sunday – 3rd September

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8.00am – Sung Eucharist – Presiding & Preaching – Fr Mark Watson
Organist – Chris Sillince

9.30am – Holy Eucharist – Presiding & Preaching – Fr Mark Watson
Organist – Sharon Sandstrom

Readings: Jeremiah 15.15-21, Psalm 26.1-8, Romans 12.9-21

Gospel: Matthew 16.21-28

This Week

Monday 28th August

Augustine of Hippo, bishop and teacher (d. 430)

10.00am – Whispers of Love – A Meditation – Rev. Ann Watson

Tuesday 29th August

Beheading of John the Baptist

7.00pm – Trinity Band Rehearsal

Wednesday 30th August

5.00pm - Eucharist is now in recess
and will resume on 6th September.

Thursday 31st August

John Bunyan, preacher, spiritual writer (d. 1688)

Aidan of Lindisfarne, bishop and missionary (d. 651)

8.30am – Eucharist in the chapel – Fr Mark Watson

Friday 1st September

10.30am – Friday Eucharist – Fr Mark Watson

1 Thessalonians 4.9-12, Psalm 97.6-12

Gospel: Matthew 25.1-13

Saturday 2nd September

MARTYRS OF NEW GUINEA (d. 1942)

Rosters for next week

Friday 1st September – 10.30am

Reader
Robyn Smith

Sunday 3rd September - 8.00am

Readers	Intercessions	Servers
1 st – Jocelyn Mulcahy 2 nd – Lorraine Zahra	-	-

Sunday 3rd September – 9.30am

Readers	Intercessions	Servers
1 st – Evelyn White 2 nd – Elsa Sorensen	-	-

Sunday 3rd September

Flowers	9.30am Morning Tea
Jackie Davidson	Jocelyn Mulcahy Lynette Brennan

We are renewing the Parish Contact booklet and need to make sure everyone's details are up to date. If you are a member of Terrigal Parish, please fill in the below form, sign it and place it in the box provided on the table at the entry way to the church or hand it to a warden by 27th August, 2023 or email it to: admin@terrigalanglican.org.au If you need extra forms, there are some on the table in the foyer. Thank you.

STARTING OR RENEWING HOLY TRINITY CONTACT INFORMATION

Surname.....

Christian Names.....

Other family members names: (please supply ages of children)

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Emergency contact and phone number (only for the office/clergy)

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Address.....

.....Postcode.....

Postal Address (if different

.....

.....Postcode.....

Home phoneMobile

Email address.....

Permission to post photos of you on our Facebook page/website? (Please circle.)

Yes/No

Permission to post your name on rosters (within the Pew Bulletin) on our website? (Please circle.)

Yes/No

Happy to have your name included in our Parish Contacts booklet, which will be distributed to all parishioners who participate in this initiative.

(Please circle.)

Yes/No

* Please note: All information is confidential. Unless you give us permission, we will not include your contact details in our Parish Contacts Booklet, only in the Office copy.

Signature..... Date.....

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Parish Treasurer - Terry Rowe 4365 0430

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Julie Laird/Glenn Reid - 4365 1280

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