

# Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity, Terrigal MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2024



8.00am – Sung Eucharist

Presiding and Preaching – Fr Mark Watson

Organist – Chris Sillince Hymns: TIS 96, NEH 336, TIS 108, TIS 204

<u>9.30am</u> – Holy Eucharist

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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.

#### **MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS**

Michael, Gabriel and Raphael are the three named Biblical angels, depicted as the beloved messengers of God. Michael, which means 'Who is like God?', is portrayed as protector of Israel and leader of the armies of God, and is perhaps best known as the slayer of the dragon in the Revelation to John. Michael thus came to be regarded as the protector of Christians from the devil, particularly those at the hour of death. Gabriel, which means 'The Strength of God' is the one, according to the Gospel of Luke, who is sent by God to Mary to announce the birth of Christ. Raphael, which means 'The Healing of God', is depicted in the Book of Tobit as the one who restores sight to Tobit's eyes. A basilica near Rome was dedicated in the fifth century in honour of Michael on 30 September, with celebrations beginning on the eve of that day, with the result that 29 September came to be observed as a feast in honour of Michael and all Angels throughout the Western Church.

#### **Sentence**

And all the angels sang, 'Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honour and power and might be to our God for ever and ever! Amen.'

Revelation 7.12

#### Prayer of the Day

Everlasting God, you have ordained and constituted in a wonderful order the ministries of angels and mortals: grant that, as your holy angels stand before you in heaven, so at your command they may help and defend us here on earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.** 

#### A reading from Daniel Chapter 7 verses 9 - 10, 13 - 14

<sup>9</sup> As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne; his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire. <sup>10</sup> A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his presence.

A thousand thousand served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him.

The court sat in judgement, and the books were opened.

<sup>13</sup>As I watched in the night visions,

I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven.

And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him.

<sup>14</sup> To him was given dominion and glory and kingship,

that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him.

His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one

that shall never be destroyed.

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 Revelation Chapter 12 verse 7 - 12a

- And war broke out in heaven; Michael and his angels fought against the dragon. The dragon and his angels fought back, but they were defeated, and there was no longer any place for them in heaven.
- <sup>9</sup> The great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the Devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world—he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him.
- 10 Then I heard a loud voice in heaven, proclaiming, 'Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Messiah,
- for the accuser of our comrades has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God.
- But they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony,

for they did not cling to life even in the face of death.

and those who dwell in them!

But woe to the earth and the sea, for the devil has come down to you with great wrath,

because he knows that his time is short!'

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

#### Alleluia, alleluia!

Bless the Lord, all you his angels, his ministers who do his will.

#### Alleluia!

#### A reading from the Gospel of John Chapter 1 verses 45 – 51

<sup>45</sup> Philip found Nathanael and said to him, 'We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth.' <sup>46</sup> Nathanael said to him, 'Can anything good come out of Nazareth?' Philip said to him, 'Come and see.' <sup>47</sup> When Jesus saw Nathanael coming towards him, he said of him, 'Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!' <sup>48</sup> Nathanael asked him, 'Where did you come to know me?' Jesus answered, 'I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you.' <sup>49</sup> Nathanael replied, 'Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!' <sup>50</sup> Jesus answered, 'Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these.' <sup>51</sup> And he said to him, 'Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.'

### The Gospel of the Lord **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

#### **OFFERTORIES VIA DIRECT DEBIT**

Offering via direct debit. Direct debit details of account:

ASDF Account: Parish of Terrigal, BSB:705-077

Account Number: 00040934. - Terry Rowe, Treasurer.

#### **Prayer of the Week**

O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity: mercifully grant us such a measure of your grace that, running in the way of your commandments, we may obtain your gracious promises, and be made partakers of your heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

#### **PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

Carolyn Gibbs, Angarad O'Malley, John Sorensen, Emma Horton, Gloria & Albert Townsend, George, Robyn Smith, David Lamb, Colleen Cronin, Dianne, Pam Flegg, Jacqueline R, Merv Singh, Janice Clark, Jo, Lynette Brennan and Libby Fink. Please note: This prayer list will be updated at the beginning of each month. Please legibly print prayer recipients' names in the prayer book. Please get their permission first. Thank you.

#### **WHISPERS OF LOVE' - MEDITATION**

Our 'Whispers of Love' meditation meets each Monday at 10.00am. A warm welcome is extended to join us.

#### Reflection:

Julian of Norwich wrote:

Pray, even if you feel nothing, see nothing. For when you are dry, empty, sick or weak, at such a time is your prayer most pleasing to God, even though you may find little joy in it. This is true of all believing prayer.

Prayerfully, Reverend Ann.

#### **DINNER AT TERRIGAL BOWLING CLUB**

Please join us for dinner at Terrigal Bowling Club at 'Bec's Kitchen' on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2024 from 6pm. If you are interested, please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the notice board. Thank you.

#### **BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS**

2pm today, 29<sup>th</sup> September at
Our Lady Star of the Sea Oval, Terrigal
Small animals only. Dogs must be on a lead.
Please clean up after your animals.

#### **WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP**

We encourage and welcome ladies from all services, including both the 8.00am and 9.30am services, to join us in Women's Fellowship. We generally meet on the second Monday of the month, finishing with afternoon tea.

Our guest speaker will be Lorraine Phillips, the President of Women's Fellowship in the Newcastle Diocese.

Our next meeting will be held on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October, 2024 at 1.00pm at church, followed by afternoon tea.

#### **HELP NEEDED**

Help is needed in the following areas:

- Set-up and greeting on Sunday mornings.
- Audio visual/video recording of Eucharists on Sunday.
- Morning Tea on Sunday.

If you are able to help out, please see a Church Warden (Ronda, Neil or Terry). Thank you.

#### **SAMARITANS**

Thank you to the congregation for being excellent givers of donations for the Samaritans.

Items needed now include tinned vegetables and fruits, pasta & sauce and cereal. Thank you.

Margaret Maclachlan.

#### SIP - SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB

The next meeting of **Spirituality in the Pub** is 7.30-9.00pm on **Tuesday** 1<sup>st</sup> October at the Grange Hotel, Wyoming.

Guest speakers are **Margaret Allen**, who is a retired high school English teacher with a strong, diverse Christian background and **Paul Corkeron**, who was a member of a religious order for nearly 40 years, a teacher and coordinator of a social welfare program.

Hotel bistro opens at 5.30pm. SIP enquiries: 0415 129250 or 0439 678608

#### **ATTENTION ALL VOLUNTEERS**

It is a requirement from the Newcastle Diocese and the NSW Office of the Children's Guardian that <u>all</u> volunteers complete the first nine modules of the Safe Ministry course <u>and</u> have a current police check done.

The **Safe Ministry training** can be accessed by following this link: <a href="https://ocg.nsw.gov.au/training-and-resources/elearning">https://ocg.nsw.gov.au/training-and-resources/elearning</a>
The course you need to complete is called: OCG – Child Safe – Keeping children safe in organisation e-Learning modules.

Once you have completed the training, please email the letter of completion to the office at admin@terrigalanglican.org.au

The police check can be accessed at the following link.

#### crimcheck.org.au/check/newcastleanglican

Please read the ID requirements and have them uploaded prior to commencing the check. There is no charge for this check as the Diocese will pay for it <u>but only if you follow the link</u> provided.

I am here to help if you need it by calling me on 4365 1115 on either Tuesday or Thursday between 9.30am – 2.30pm. Thank you. Cal Priest – Administration Assistant.

#### **MISSION NEWS**

September is the month that we focus on the work of the Bush Church Aid Society.

James and Brittany Daymond serve in the Anglican Parish in Cobar which is in the Diocese of Bathurst.

It is hot and remote with an ever changing population looking for work.

Peoples' hearts have hardened to the Gospel.

Pray for God to soften the hearts of the people of Cobar as the Good News is shared with them. Much of the ministry in this area is through outreach visiting.

PLEASE BRING IN YOUR MONEY BOX IF YOU ARE YET TO DO SO.

Libby Harvey - MISSIONS SECRETARY

#### **THANK YOU BOXES**

New Thank You Boxes are now available.

Please take one and put some money in it whenever you receive a Blessing. From now until the end of August 2025, your donations will go to the Barbara May Foundation which builds Hospitals in Africa and staffs them with Doctors, Surgeons, Midwives, Nurses and other care staff.

These hospitals are supporting women by providing safe birth and maternal care. Some women, aged as young as 14 years, suffer horrific, life changing injuries giving birth and often the mother and baby die or become outcasts in their communities following childbirth due to their injuries.

Full Thank You Boxes may be placed in the offertory and a new one taken.

Thank you for your support.



#### St Michael and All Angels – Sunday 29th September 2024

Daniel 7.9-10, 13-14 or Ezekiel 1.4-12; Psalm 138;
 Revelation 12.7-12a; John 1.45-51

Christianity.com says that in an era of moral and ethical challenges, the Archangel Michael's example of unwavering devotion to God's will is a source of inspiration and strength.

- At a time when I called to you (my God), you gave me answer: and put new strength within my soul.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia

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### Next Sunday – 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2024 TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

<u>8.00am</u> – Sung Eucharist – Presiding & Preaching – Fr Mark Watson

Organist – Chris Sillince

<u>9.30am</u> – Holy Eucharist – Presiding & Preaching – Fr Mark Watson Organist – Sharon Sandstrom

**Readings:** Genesis 2.18-24, 13-14, Psalm 8, Hebrews 1.1-4; 2.5-12 Gospel: Mark 10.2-16

#### **This Week**

#### **Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September**

Jerome, priest and biblical scholar (d. 420)

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

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October
7.00pm – Trinity Band rehearsals

**Wednesday 2nd October** 

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October

#### Friday 4th October

Francis of Assisi, friar and preacher (d.1226)

10.30am - Eucharist - Fr Mark Watson

Readings: Job 38.1, 12-21 and Job 40.3-5, Psalm: 139.6-11

Gospel: Luke 10.13-16

**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October** 

#### Rosters for next week

#### Friday 4th October - 10.30am

Reader	
Colleen Cronin	

#### Sunday 6th October - 8.00am and 9.30am

Readers	Servers
8.00am	8.00am
1 <sup>st</sup> – Margot Bilston	- and Neil
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Ken Bilston	
9.30am	9.30am
1 <sup>st</sup> – Malcolm Sandstrom	- and Neil
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Wendy Eades	

Flowers	Sunday Morning Tea
Jackie Davidson	Jocelyn Mulcahy
	Evelyn White

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