

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity, Terrigal TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 3rd November, 2024



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

> **Organist** – *Chris Sillince* **Hymns:** TIS 118, 464, 584(i), 622

<u>9.30am</u> – Holy Eucharist Presiding and Preaching – Fr Mark Watson

> Organist – Sharon Sandstrom Hymns: TIS 118, 464, 584(i), 622

[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.

<u>Sentence</u>

Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength, and you shall love your neighbour as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these.

Mark 10.29-31

Prayer of the Day

God of peace, you taught us that in returning and rest we shall be saved, in quietness and confidence shall be our strength: by the power of your Spirit lift us to your presence, where we may be still and know that you are God; 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 Deuteronomy Chapter 6 verses 1 – 9

¹Now this is the commandment—the statutes and the ordinances—that the Lord your God charged me to teach you to observe in the land that you are about to cross into and occupy, ²so that you and your children and your children's children may fear the Lord your God all the days of your life, and keep all his decrees and his commandments that I am commanding you, so that your days may be long. ³Hear therefore, O Israel, and observe them diligently, so that it may go well with you, and so that you may multiply greatly in a land flowing with milk and honey, as the Lord, the God of your ancestors, has promised you.

⁴ Hear, O Israel: The Lord is our God, the Lord alone. ⁵You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might. ⁶Keep these words that I am commanding you today in your heart. ⁷Recite them to your children and talk about them when you are at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you rise. ⁸Bind them as a sign on your hand, fix them as an emblem on your forehead, ⁹and write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

Hear the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Psalm 119.1-8

- 1 Blessed are those whose way is blameless: who walk in the law of the Lord.
- 2 Blessed are those who keep his commands: and seek him with their whole heart;
- 3 Those who do no wrong: but walk in the ways of our God.
- 4 For you, Lord, have commanded us: to persevere in all your precepts.
- 5 If only my ways were unerring: towards the keeping of your statutes!
- 6 Then I should not be ashamed: when I looked on all your commandments.
- 7 I will praise you with sincerity of heart: as I learn your righteous judgements.
- 8 I will keep your statutes:
 - O forsake me not utterly.

A reading from The Letter to the Hebrews Chapter 9 verses 11 – 15

¹¹ But when Christ came as a high priest of the good things that have come, then through the greater and perfect tent (not made with hands, that is, not of this creation), ¹²he entered once for all into the Holy Place, not with the blood of goats and calves, but with his own blood, thus obtaining eternal redemption. ¹³For if the blood of goats and bulls, with the sprinkling of the ashes of a heifer, sanctifies those who have been defiled so that their flesh is purified, ¹⁴how much more will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself without blemish to God, purify our conscience from dead works to worship the living God! ¹⁵ For this reason he is the mediator of a new covenant, so that those who are called may receive the promised eternal inheritance, because a death has occurred that redeems them from the transgressions under the first covenant.

> Hear the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Alleluia, alleluia!

All who love me will keep my words, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them.

Alleluia!

A reading from the Gospel of Mark Chapter 12 verses 13 – 17 and 28 – 34

13 Then they sent to him some Pharisees and some Herodians to trap him in what he said. ¹⁴And they came and said to him, 'Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality, but teach the way of God in accordance with truth. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not? ¹⁵Should we pay them, or should we not?' But knowing their hypocrisy, he said to them, 'Why are you putting me to the test? Bring me a denarius and let me see it.' ¹⁶And they brought one. Then he said to them, 'Whose head is this, and whose title?' They answered, 'The emperor's.' ¹⁷Jesus said to them, 'Give to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's.' And they were utterly amazed at him.

²⁸ One of the scribes came near and heard them disputing with one another, and seeing that he answered them well, he asked him, 'Which commandment is the first of all?' ²⁹Jesus answered, 'The first is, "Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God, the Lord is one; ³⁰you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength." ³¹The second is this, "You shall love your neighbour as yourself." There is no other commandment greater than these.' ³²Then the scribe said to him, 'You are right, Teacher; you have truly said that "he is one, and besides him there is no other"; ³³and "to love him with all the heart, and with all the understanding, and with all the strength", and "to love one's neighbour as oneself",—this is much more important than all whole burnt-offerings and sacrifices.' ³⁴When Jesus saw that he answered wisely, he said to him, 'You are not far from the kingdom of God.' After that no one dared to ask him any question.

> The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Prayer of the Week

God our Father, whose will it is to bring all things to order and unity in our Lord Jesus Christ: may all the peoples of the world, now divided and torn apart by sin, be brought together under his sovereign rule of love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Carolyn Gibbs, Angarad O'Malley, John Sorensen, Emma Horton, Gloria Townsend, Robyn Smith, Merv Singh, Janice Clark, Jackie Davidson, Malcolm Sandstrom and Lynette Brennan.

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.

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.

WHISPERS OF LOVE' – MEDITATION

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

Reflection: The desire for happiness in every human being is perhaps the greatest proof of God's existence. *Thomas Keating* Prayerfully, Reverend Ann.

IS GOD CALLING YOU TO SERVE?

Training can be provided so if you have the will, we have the way! We need help 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).

Please note requirements to become a volunteer include:

Completing the first nine modules of the Safe Ministry course Undergoing a Crim Check

Being Together

Faithfulness in Service

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 next meeting will be held on **Monday 11th November, 2024 at 12.00pm at church**, for a Eucharist in the Chapel followed by the end of year luncheon. Please note 11th November is Remembrance Day.

This will be the last Women's Fellowship Meeting for 2024. The next meeting will be in February, 2025.

SAMARITANS IS NOW WYOMING EMERGENCY RELIEF CENTRE

Items needed for Christmas are long life custard, fruit salad, Christmas cakes and pudding and any other Christmas fare. Please donate before the 2nd week in December as they do Christmas parcels early. Thank you very much. Margaret Maclachlan.

MISSION NEWS

In October we have been thinking about and praying for our World Vision children.

We have had an update on Aisha, the other child we support. There will be an updated photo on the mission notice board. Aisha is from the Cumba community in Burundi. She is now 12 years old and engaged in non-formal education. Her health and wellbeing is regularly monitored and currently her health is good.

I will share a story about another child who was sponsored by World Vision.

Christine aged 15 reports, "When my mother left home, I dropped out of school to care for my four siblings. It was hard for us to get food and clothes." Many families in her area suffer from marital breakdown.

Christine goes on to say, "Sponsors like you helped us. My parents were selected for training on building more peaceful family relationships to give children a safe and caring environment. My parents came home together after the first day, chatting joyfully," she says. "My siblings and I now have hope. We feel the comfort and support of our parents." Your support for these children can help change lives. 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.

FOR ALL VOLUNTEERS – IMPORTANT

If you haven't completed both the Crim Check and Safe Ministry training course (first 9 modules), please check your email, including your spam folder, for an email from me. If you haven't received an email and you haven't completed <u>both</u> the Crim Check and Safe Ministry training, please contact me on 4365 1115 Tuesday or Thursday between 9.30am and 2.30pm or email me at:

admin@terrigalanglican.org.au

Thank you. Cal Priest

Administration Assistant.

DINNER AT TERRIGAL BOWLING CLUB

Please join us for dinner at Terrigal Bowling Club at **'Bec's Kitchen' tonight, Sunday 3rd November from 6pm.** If you are interested, please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the notice board directly after the service today. Thank you.



MARKET DAY - 16th NOVEMBER

Market day is coming up on Saturday 16th November.

Once again, we will need all the help we can get when setting up on Friday 15th and especially when packing away and clearing up. If you can come at 12.30pm for an hour on Saturday to pack up, we would love to see you. Your help is always appreciated.

If you can contribute some home-made cakes, slices, jams or chutneys for the cake stall, your help would be very much appreciated. Please label them with all ingredients and be sure to ask for a Holy Trinity Church sticker to put on your contribution upon arrival with your goodies.

Thank you.

Ian Wolstenholme.



Ordinary Sunday 31 B – Sunday 3rd November 2024

Ruth 1.1-18; Psalm 146; Hebrews 9.11-15; Mark 12.13-17, 28-34

The words about separating things belonging to the emperor from the things belonging to God point to the evil inherent in the emperor's way; corruption and oppression. Compare this with God's things. All that God has made is good. Christians are to affirm this goodness, and to challenge the political powers which destroy and oppress the poor and suffering and the weakest of society.

• Pray that we may know where there is good and affirm such goodness and also see where there is evil and speak against the powers of oppression.

• Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of the Province of Myanmar

Text: Brother Christopher John SSF © Anglican Board of Mission, 2024

This Week

Monday 4th November

Day for Australian Anglicans and Roman Catholics to pray for one another **10.00am** – Whispers of Love – A Meditation – Rev'd Ann Watson

Tuesday 5th November

7.00pm – Trinity Band rehearsals

Wednesday 6th November

Thursday 7th November

Friday 8th November

Saints, martyrs, missionaries and teachers of the Anglican Communion **10.30am** – Eucharist – Fr Mark Watson Readings: Philippians 3.17-4.1, Psalm 122 Gospel: Luke 16.1-8

Saturday 9th November

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<u>9.30am</u> – Holy Eucharist and Baptism – Presiding & Preaching – Fr Mark Watson Trinity Band and Singers

Readings: 1 Kings 17.8-16, Psalm 146, Hebrews 9.23-28 Gospel: Mark 12.38-44

Rosters for next week

<u>Friday 8th November – 10.30am</u>

Reader

Colleen Cronin

Sunday 10th November - 8.00am and 9.30am

Readers	Servers
8.00am	8.00am
1 st – Colleen Cronin	Ronda and Neil
2 nd – Ann West	
9.30am	9.30am
1 st – Elsa Sorensen	Ronda and Neil
2 nd – Catherine Taylor	

Flowers	Sunday Morning Tea
Jackie Davidson	Anna Holt
	Elsa Sorensen

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