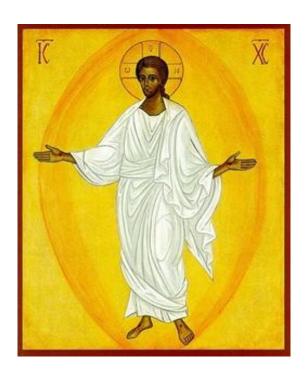


Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity, Terrigal SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 1st June, 2025



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

Organist – *Cliff Bingham* **Hymns:** TIS 371, 376, 520, 378

9.30am - Holy Eucharist Presiding and Preaching - Fr Mark Waston

Organist – *Sharon Sandstrom* **Hymns:** TIS 371, 376, 520, 378

[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

Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved.

Acts 16.31

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity – 1st June to 6th June

God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, our only Saviour, the Prince of Peace: give us grace seriously to lay to heart the great danger we are in by our divisions. Take away all prejudice and pride, and whatever else may hinder true harmony, for there is only one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of us all. Grant that we may glorify your name together that the world may believe in you. Amen.

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, whose blessed Son before his passion prayed for his disciples that they might be one, as you and he are one: grant that your Church, being bound together in love and obedience to you, may be united in one body by the one Spirit, that the world may believe in him whom you have sent, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

A Reading from Acts Chapter 16, verses 16 – 34

16 One day, as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave-girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. 17 While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, 'These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation.' 18 She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed,

turned and said to the spirit, 'I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her.' And it came out that very hour. 19 But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the market-place before the authorities. 20 When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, 'These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews 21 and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe.' 22 The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. 23 After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. 24 Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks. 25 About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. ²⁶ Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. 27 When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. 28 But Paul shouted in a loud voice, 'Do not harm yourself, for we are all here.' 29 The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. 30 Then he brought them outside and said, 'Sirs, what must I do to be saved?' 31 They answered, 'Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household.' 32 They spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house. 33 At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay. 34 He brought them up into the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 97

- ¹ The Lord is king; let the earth rejoice: let the multitude of islands be glad.
- ² Clouds and darkness are round about him: righteousness and justice are the foundation of his throne.
- ³ Fire goes before him: and burns up his enemies on every side.
- ⁴ His lightnings light the world: the earth sees it and quakes.
- ⁵ The mountains melt like wax before his face: from before the face of the Lord of all the earth.
- ⁶ The heavens have proclaimed his righteousness: and all peoples have seen his glory.
- ⁷ They are ashamed, all those who serve idols and glory in mere nothings: all gods bow down before him.
- 8 Zion heard and was glad, and the daughters of Judah rejoiced: because of your judgements, O God.
- ⁹ For you, Lord, are most high over all the earth: you are exalted far above all gods.
- ¹⁰ The Lord loves those that hate evil: the Lord guards the life of the faithful, and delivers them from the hand of the ungodly.
- 11 Light dawns for the righteous: and joy for the true of heart.
- ¹² Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous: and give thanks to his holy name.

A Reading from Revelation Chapter 22, verses 12 – 22

- ¹² 'See, I am coming soon; my reward is with me, to repay according to everyone's work.
- ¹³ I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.'

- ¹⁴ Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they will have the right to the tree of life and may enter the city by the gates.
- ¹⁵ Outside are the dogs and sorcerers and fornicators and murderers and idolaters, and everyone who loves and practises falsehood.
- ¹⁶ 'It is I, Jesus, who sent my angel to you with this testimony for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star.'
- ¹⁷ The Spirit and the bride say, 'Come.'

And let everyone who hears say, 'Come.'

And let everyone who is thirsty come.

Let anyone who wishes take the water of life as a gift.

- ¹⁸ I warn everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: if anyone adds to them, God will add to that person the plagues described in this book;
- if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God will take away that person's share in the tree of life and in the holy city, which are described in this book.
- ²⁰ The one who testifies to these things says, 'Surely I am coming soon.' Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!
- ²¹ The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all the saints. Amen.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Go and teach all people my gospel.

I am with you always, until the end of the world.

Alleluia!

The Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to John Chapter 17 verses 20 – 26

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

²⁰ 'I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, ²¹ that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent

me. ²² The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, ²³ I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. ²⁴ Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. ²⁵ 'Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. ²⁶ I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.'

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

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Kevin Thomas, Carolyn Gibbs, Angarad O'Malley, Gloria Townsend, Robyn Smith, Merv Singh, Janice Clark, Jackie Davidson, Malcolm Sandstrom, Lynette Brennan, David Lamb, Neville Clark, Linda Davies, Diana, Jean Carden, Lavi, Charlotte Christie, Elsa & Peter Sorensen, Maureen Alais, Richard Gosling, George, Roberta Henderson, Cal & Family, and Judy.

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.

Prayer of the Week

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: we pray you, leave us not comfortless, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to the same place where our Saviour Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

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WHISPERS OF LOVE - A MEDITATION

Our 'Whispers of Love' meditation meets each Monday at 10.00am. All are welcome.

Reflection:

Richard Leonard SJ wrote: As Christians we have personal faith, not private faith.

The quality of our relationships reflects to the world the quality of our prayer.

It's not what we say that people remember as much as who we are and what we do.

Prayerfully, Reverend Ann.

GARDEN BEE

Do you like to potter in the garden? We would love to see you at our next Garden Bee on Saturday, 7th June at 8.30am. All are welcome and your help will be very much appreciated. Thank you.

Suzanne George – Garden Captain.

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 16th June, 2025

(due to the public holiday on Monday 9th June), at 1.00pm at church.

Our meeting will be followed by afternoon tea.

DINNER AT TERRIGAL BOWLING CLUB

Please join us for dinner at Terrigal Bowling Club at 'Bec's Kitchen' tonight, 1st June, 2025 from 6pm.

If you would like to attend, please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the small notice board in the foyer immediately after today's service.

Thank you.

SPRING CELEBRATION FOR ANGLICAN WOMEN

A date for your diary. Please save the date.

The Annual Spring Celebration for Anglican Women

in the Diocese of Newcastle will be held on

Tuesday 2nd September, 2025 at East Maitland Anglican Church.

It is a wonderful day of fellowship and connection with the other women in the Diocese.

Limited transport can be arranged for those wishing to attend.

Contact Elsa Sorensen on 0417 063 286

for further information.

PATRONAL FESTIVAL - TRINITY SUNDAY 15th JUNE

Please join us for a simple morning tea after the 9.30am service on Sunday 15th June, 2025. You will be entertained with lovely singing from the Trinity Singers. Afterwards, everyone is welcome to stay for a soup and bread lunch. Please join us.

OP SHOP NEWS

Please follow our Facebook page for updates, sales, and op shop news. https://www.facebook.com/TerrigalOpShop/

Blessings, The Church of the Holy Trinity Op Shop Team.

MISSION NEWS

On July 13th we will be celebrating Sea Sunday.

The Mission to Seafarers has been operating in Australian ports since 1857. For the 1.8 million seafarers across the world life can be lonely, dangerous and uncertain. We might not realise that we all depend on seafarers. 90% of everything we use, from food and medication, to cars and household goods, reaches us via the sea.

Your support for the Mission to Seafarers enables us to care for the shipping industry's most valuable asset, its people.

The Mission to Seafarers in the Port of Newcastle provides a safe haven for seafarers to rest, have access to chaplaincy services and other spiritual care, be given simple pleasures like toiletries, chocolate, beanies, books to read, free bibles. They can relax in comfortable surroundings, watch TV or play snooker.

Our tradition has been to knit beanies, provide socks and toiletries.

Today the beanie kits are available for those that knit.

This is a gift of love from us to the seafarers that come into the Port of Newcastle.

Thank you for your support.

Libby Harvey - Missions Secretary.

MARKET DAY - 21st JUNE

Our next Market day is on the 21st June. We will need all the help we can get when setting up on Friday 20th.

We especially need help packing up after Market Day so, if you can come at 12.30pm for an hour on Saturday 21st, we would really appreciate it.

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

Thank you.

Ian Wolstenholme - Market Day Co-ordinator



Easter 7 C - Sunday 1st June 2025

Acts 16.16-34; Psalm 97; Revelation 22.12-22; John 17.20-26

In today's Gospel reading we find Jesus praying for the unity of the disciples, the Church. He prays that they may see him in glory. He prays that the love with which the Father loved him may be in them and that he himself may also be in them. May every denomination yearn for unity – not uniformity – so that God's will be done.

- Lord, inspire me to find out about denominations other than my own, and learn about the National Council of Churches in Australia, and the state ecumenical bodies.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia

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Rosters for next week

Friday 6th June - 10.30am

Readers	Flowers this week
Catherine Taylor	Libby Harvey

SUNDAY 8th June - 8.00am

Readers	Servers
1st - Terry Rowe	Neil
2 nd – Neil Ewer	

SUNDAY 8th June - 9.30am

Readers	Servers	Morning Tea
1 st – Mark Timms 2 nd – Sue James	Neil	Anna Holt and Catherine Taylor

Next Sunday –8th June, 2025

DAY OF PENTECOST

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

<u>9.30am</u> – Holy Eucharist with Baptism – *Presiding & Preaching* – *Fr Mark Watson*

Trinity Band and Singers

Readings: Genesis 11.1-9, Psalm 104.26-36, Acts 2.1-21

Gospel: John 14.8-17

This Week

Monday 2nd June

10.00am – Whispers of Love - A Meditation – The Reverend Ann Watson

Tuesday 3rd June

Martyrs of Uganda (d. 1886) Janani Luwum, archbishop of Uganda (d. 1963) John XXIII, bishop of Rome, Reformer (d. 1963)

7.00pm – Trinity Band and Singers Rehearsal

Wednesday 4th June

Thursday 5th June

Boniface of Mainz, bishop and martyr (d. 754)

Friday 6th June

10.30am – Holy Eucharist - Fr Mark Watson

Readings: Acts 25.13-21, Psalm 103.15-22

Gospel: John 21.15-19

Saturday 7th June

8.30am - Garden Working Bee

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