

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity, Terrigal SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 20th July, 2025



8.00am – Sung Eucharist Presiding and Preaching – Fr Mark Watson Organist – Chris Sillince Hymns: TIS 433, 427, 209, 561

<u>9.30am</u> – Holy Eucharist - Presiding and Preaching – Fr Mark Watson Organist – Sharon Sandstrom Hymns: TIS 433, 427, 209, 561

[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>

Do to others as you would have them do to you. Love your enemies, do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return.

Luke 6.31, 35

Prayer of the Day

Eternal God, you draw near to us in Christ and make yourself our guest: amid the cares of our daily lives, make us attentive to your voice and alert to your presence, that we may treasure your word above all else. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. **Amen.**

A Reading from Genesis Chapter 18, verses 1 – 10a

18 The Lord appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day.² He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them and bowed down to the ground. ³ He said, "My lord, if I find favour with you, do not pass by your servant. ⁴ Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree. ⁵ Let me bring a little bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." ⁶ And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah and said, "Make ready quickly three measures of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes." ⁷ Abraham ran to the herd and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. ⁸ Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared and set it before them, and he stood by them under the tree while they ate.

⁹ They said to him, "Where is your wife Sarah?" And he said, "There, in the tent." ¹⁰ Then one said, "I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son." And Sarah was listening at the tent entrance behind him.

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

Psalm 15

- 1 Lord, who may abide in your tabernacle: or who may dwell upon your holy hill?
- 2 Whoever leads an uncorrupt life and does the thing which is right: who speaks the truth from the heart, and has not slandered with the tongue;
- 3 Who has done no evil to a friend: nor vented abuse against a neighbour;
- 4 In whose eyes the worthless have no honour: but who makes much of those that fear the Lord;
- 5 Whoever has sworn to a neighbour: and will not go back on that oath;
- 6 Who has not put money to usury: nor taken a bribe against the innocent.
- 7 Whoever does these things: shall never be overthrown.

A Reading from Colossians Chapter 1, verses 15 – 29

¹⁵ He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation, ¹⁶ for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. ¹⁷ He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸ He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. ¹⁹ For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, ²⁰ and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

²¹ And you who were once estranged and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, ²² he has now reconciled in his fleshly body through death, so as to present you holy and blameless and irreproachable before him, ²³ provided that you continue securely established and steadfast in the faith, without shifting from the hope promised by the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed to every creature under heaven. I, Paul, became a minister of this gospel.

²⁴ I am now rejoicing in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am completing what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church.

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

Alleluia, **alleluia!**

You have received the Spirit which makes us God's children, and in that Spirit we call God our Father.

Alleluia!

The Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke, Chapter 10, verses 38 – 42

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

³⁸ Now as they went on their way, he entered a certain village where a woman named Martha welcomed him. ³⁹ She had a sister named Mary, who sat at Jesus's feet and listened to what he was saying. ⁴⁰ But Martha was distracted by her many tasks, so she came to him and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her, then, to help me." ⁴¹ But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things, ⁴² but few things are needed—indeed only one. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her."

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

Offertories via Direct Debit

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PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Kevin Thomas, Carolyn Gibbs, Angarad O'Malley, Gloria Townsend, Robyn Smith, Merv Singh, Janice Clark, Jackie Davidson, Malcolm Sandstrom, Lynette Brennan, Robert, David Lamb, Diana, Jean Carden, Charlotte Christie, George, Ben & family, Elsa & Peter Sorensen, Maureen Alais, Richard Gosling, Roberta Henderson, Margot Bilston, Joann, Cal & family, Jacquelyn Worthington, Robyn Morgan, Manfred, Judy, and Laurence Crombie.

Margot Bilston would like to thank the many people who have been praying for her and supporting her as she went in for heart surgery this week. The surgery went very well indeed and she hopes to look and feel like a new woman with lots of energy now.

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,

you alone can order our unruly wills and affections: teach us to love what you command, and to desire what you promise, that, among the changes and chances of this world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

WHISPERS OF LOVE – A MEDITATION

Our 'Whispers of Love' meditation meets each Monday at 10.00am. All are welcome. Reflection: God, of your goodness, give me yourself. For you are sufficient for me. To be worthy of you I cannot ask for anything less, If I were to ask less, I should always be in want, for in you alone do I have all. *Julian of Norwich Prayerfully, Reverend Ann Watson.*

WYOMING EMERGENCY RELIEF CENTRE

Items needed include canned goods such as tinned vegetables and fruits, cereal, pasta & sauce. Also needed are baby items and toiletries.

Thank you.

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 August, 2025 at 1.00pm at church with an interesting trivia afternoon.

Our meeting will be followed by afternoon tea.

<u>OP SHOP</u>

We have a great selection of **winter clothing starting from just \$2.00** — come and grab a bargain! Please visit and follow our Facebook page at:

https://www.facebook.com/TerrigalOpShop/

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

🜿 <u>GARDEN BEE – COME LEND A HAND</u> 🛫

Join us for our next Garden Bee on **Saturday, 2nd August from 8:30am** as we work together to keep our church gardens beautiful and welcoming. Whether you're a seasoned gardener or just happy to help, there's a task for everyone—and good company too! We'd love to see some new faces, so bring your gloves and your smile. Every pair of hands makes a difference. *Suzanne George – Garden Captain*

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.

Please contact Elsa Sorensen on 0417 063 286.

MISSION NEWS

Last Sunday we celebrated Sea Sunday. As you all know we had an appeal to knit beanies and donate other goods to give comfort to the seafarers who visit the Mission to Seafarers in the Port of Newcastle.

So far we have 302 beanies, 15 pairs of socks, 2 boxes of toiletries and a box of lollies and chocolates, and some bibles. There is still time to bring things in as I will not be delivering our gifts for a few weeks.

Thank you so much for your generosity and hard work. Also a special thanks to Coralie who donated much of the wool used to knit the beanies.

Libby Harvey – Missions Secretary



Ordinary Sunday 16 C – Sunday 20 July 2025

Amos 8.1-12; Psalm 52; Colossians 1.15-29; Luke 10.38-42

- Jesus is at Mary and Martha's home. Luke shows us how nonconforming Jesus' ministry was according to the times in which he lived in three ways: he is alone with women who are not related to him; a woman (not a slave) serves him; and he teaches a woman in her own house. Where should the Church reach out to today in unexpected ways?
- Lord, help me to surprise myself and others by doing things for you in new and atypical ways.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Amity Foundation, China

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Next Sunday – 27th July, 2025 SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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

9.30am – Holy Eucharist with Baptism– Presiding & Preaching – The Reverend Dr Richard Harvey

Trinity Band and Singers Readings: Genesis 18.20-32, Psalm 138, Colossians 2.6-15 Gospel: Luke 11.1-13

Friday 25th July - 10.30am

Readers	Flowers – 27 th July
Margaret Blanch	Reverend Ann Watson

SUNDAY 27th July - 8.00am

Readers	Servers
1 st – Chris Sillince 2 nd – Neil Ewer	Ronda and Neil

SUNDAY 27th July - 9.30am

Readers	Servers	Morning Tea
1 st – Catherine Taylor	Ronda and Neil	Betty Hancock
2 nd – Evelyn White		Audree Dash

<u>This Week</u>

Monday 21st July

10.00am – Whispers of Love - A Meditation – Reverend Ann Watson
3.30pm – Eucharist at Tarragal Manor – Reverend Ann Watson

Tuesday 22nd July

MARY MAGDALENE

7.00pm – Trinity Band and Singers Rehearsal

Wednesday 23rd July

Thursday 24th July

Friday 25th July JAMES, APOSTLE AND MARTYR

10.30am – Holy Eucharist - Fr Mark Watson
Readings: Jeremiah 45, Psalm 126, 2 Corinthians 4.7-15
Gospel: Matthew 20.20-28

11.00am – Eucharist at Woodport – Reverend Ann Watson

Saturday 26th July

Anne, mother of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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