



## **The Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost [OS22]**

**30th August, 2015**

**Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity**

**7.30am - Holy Eucharist - *sung* - [RH/AW] {CS}**

**9.30am - Holy Eucharist - *said* - [FR.R/AW]{CS}**

[Symbols Key - [ / ] denotes celebrant / preacher; { } denotes musician(s)]

### **Our Parish Identity**

**We are the body of Christ. His Spirit is with us.**

### **Our Parish Vision**

**We desire to shine as one in Christ  
that God's will be done.**

## **A Reading from the Song of Songs Chapter 2, verses 8 to 13.**

The voice of my beloved!  
Look, he comes,  
leaping upon the mountains,  
bounding over the hills.  
My beloved is like a gazelle  
or a young stag.  
Look, there he stands  
behind our wall,  
gazing in at the windows,  
looking through the lattice.  
My beloved speaks and says to me:  
'Arise, my love, my fair one,  
and come away;  
for now the winter is past,  
the rain is over and gone.  
The flowers appear on the earth;  
the time of singing has come,  
and the voice of the turtle-dove  
is heard in our land.  
The fig tree puts forth its figs,  
and the vines are in blossom;  
they give forth fragrance.  
Arise, my love, my fair one,  
and come away.

Hear the word of the Lord / **Thanks be to God**

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## **Psalm 45, verses 1 to 2, 6 to 9**

My heart is astir with fine phrases,  
I make my song for a king:  
my tongue is the pen of a ready writer.  
**You are the fairest of men,  
grace flows from your lips:  
therefore has God blessed you for ever and ever.**

Your throne is the throne of God, it endures for ever:  
and the sceptre of your kingdom is a righteous sceptre.  
**You have loved righteousness and hated evil:  
therefore God, your God, has anointed you  
with the oil of gladness above your fellows.**

All your garments are fragrant with myrrh,  
aloes and cassia:  
music from ivory palaces makes you glad.  
**Kings' daughters are among your noble women:  
the queen is at your right hand in gold of Ophir.**

**Glory to God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit  
as in the beginning, so now and forever. Amen**

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## **A Reading from the Letter of James Chapter 1, verses 17 to 27**

Every generous act of giving, with every perfect gift, is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change. In fulfilment of his own purpose he gave us birth by the word of truth, so that we would become a kind of first fruits of his creatures.

You must understand this, my beloved: let everyone be quick to listen, slow to speak, slow to anger; for your anger does not produce God's righteousness. Therefore rid yourselves of all sordidness and rank growth of wickedness, and welcome with meekness the implanted word that has the power to save your souls.

But be doers of the word, and not merely hearers who deceive themselves. For if any are hearers of the word and not doers, they are like those who look at themselves in a mirror; for they look at themselves and, on going away, immediately forget what they were like. But those who look into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and persevere, being not hearers who forget but doers who act—they will be blessed in their doing.

If any think they are religious, and do not bridle their tongues but deceive their hearts, their religion is worthless. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to care for orphans and widows in their distress, and to keep oneself unstained by the world.

Hear the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God**

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**The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ  
according to St Mark,  
Chapter 7, verses 1-8,14-23**

Now when the Pharisees and some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered around him, they noticed that some of his disciples were eating with defiled hands, that is, without washing them. (For the Pharisees, and all the Jews, do not eat unless they thoroughly wash their hands, thus observing the tradition of the elders; and they do not eat anything from the market unless they wash it; and there are also many other traditions that they observe, the washing of cups, pots, and bronze kettles.) So the Pharisees and the scribes asked him, *'Why do your disciples not live according to the tradition of the elders, but eat with defiled hands?'* He said to them, ***'Isaiah prophesied rightly about you hypocrites, as it is written***

***"This people honours me with their lips,  
but their hearts are far from me;  
in vain do they worship me,  
teaching human precepts as doctrines."  
You abandon the commandment of God and hold to  
human tradition.'***

Then he called the crowd again and said to them, '**Listen to me, all of you, and understand: there is nothing outside a person that by going in can defile, but the things that come out are what defile.**'

When he had left the crowd and entered the house, his disciples asked him about the parable. He said to them, '**Then do you also fail to understand? Do you not see that whatever goes into a person from outside cannot defile, since it enters, not the heart but the stomach, and goes out into the sewer?**' (Thus he declared all foods clean.) And he said, '**It is what comes out of a person that defiles. For it is from within, from the human heart, that evil intentions come: fornication, theft, murder, adultery, avarice, wickedness, deceit, licentiousness, envy, slander, pride, folly. All these evil things come from within, and they defile a person.**'

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

**Please pray for**

Fr. Stephen Pullin, Lionel & Beth, Natalie, Anne and Maureen Hazlewood,  
Joel, Merv & Joan Singh, Kyara, Barbara & Des,  
Shirley Evans, Will & Marion, The Pilon Family, Ilaria, Tammy Fanelli

**We prayerfully remember**

**Nancy Langbecker, Neil Willis and Wendy Hill**

**ANGLICAN WOMEN'S SPRING RALLY**

**at St. Luke's Parish 151 Blackwall Rd., Woy Woy**

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> September. 10am for morning tea and 10.30am Eucharist**

**Bring and share Lunch**

**Guest Speaker: Michaela Sorensen**

Please speak to Irene Neville 4365 3782 if you would like to go  
and in need of transport. Sign up list on the noticeboard.

# The Week of Pentecost Fourteen, 2015

## Monday 31st August

10.00am 'Whispers of Love' [AW]

## Tuesday 1st September

2.00pm - Tarragal Glen Eucharist [AW]-at Joan Maxwell's

7.00pm - Trinity Band and Singers rehearsal

## Wednesday 2nd September

9.30am to 12.15pm - Maestro Possums [Multi-Purpose Room]

5.30pm – Sacred Reading [Fr.R]

## Friday 4th September

9.15am - 12.00pm - Maestro Possums [Multi-Purpose Room]

10.30am - Holy Eucharist [AW] and morning tea

Readings – Colossians 1. 15-20; Ps 100; Luke 5: 33-39

11.45am - Bible Study [AW] - *The Gospel of St John*

## Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> September

10.00am - Messy Church Meeting

6.00pm - 'Saturday @ 6'

**TUESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER - 2.00PM - TARRAGAL GLEN EUCHARIST**

### CHANGE OF VENUE

Please note this will be held at Joan Maxwell's home this Tuesday at Villa 203

## **MARKET DAY SATURDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER is not far away**

**Our Market Days are a wonderful outreach into the community and also help to keep our parish financial. However....**

With Fr. Brian on leave prior to retirement, we are desperately in need of men who can help with the lifting of boxes on the set up day (Friday 1.00pm) and with the packing up on the Saturday again at 1.00pm.

**Please pray about this need in our parish.**

***Vale Nancy Miller***

**Nancy Miller, former choir member, Women's Fellowship member and office volunteer at St Mark's Terrigal, died on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> August after suffering with Alzheimer's for some years. Nancy had been a family friend for almost 60 years, and Brian and I had been her only family for the last six years. Thank you to those dear, caring friends from Holy Trinity who supported us at Nancy's funeral on Monday, and afterwards, as we sought to honour and farewell her, a fellow pilgrim and faithful servant of our Lord.**

***Margaret Gibbs***

**FROM THE BISHOP**

Dear Brothers & Sisters,

It is with sadness that I announce that The Venerable Stephen Pullin has decided to retire from full time active ministry on 31 August. Stephen is an outstanding priest and his leadership in many parishes has greatly benefited this Diocese. As Archdeacon of Newcastle over the last seven years he has shown leadership right across the Diocese and this will be greatly missed.

There will be a Thanksgiving Service on Saturday 12 September at 11.30am at St Andrew's Church, Mayfield. Please let members of your parish know of this event as many people across the Diocese have been blessed by Stephen's ministry and may wish to attend and give thanks to God on this occasion. This service will be followed by a light luncheon.

For catering purposes please RSVP to the Diocesan Office no later than **Tuesday 8 September** to: [events@newcastleanglican.org.au](mailto:events@newcastleanglican.org.au)

With every blessing,  
+Greg

**ANGLICAN WOMEN 'THANK YOU BOXES'**

We would be grateful if you could return your Thank You Boxes as soon as possible. We would like to get the money organised prior to the Anglican Women's Spring Celebration on the 11<sup>th</sup> September.

*Thank you, Lesley Gosling, Women's Fellowship*

## **Next Sunday – 6th September, 2015**

### **Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

**7.30am - Holy Communion [sung][ AW/RH] {Chris Sillince}**

**9.30am – Holy Communion [said][AW/Fr.R] {S. Sandstrom}**

#### **Eucharistic Readings:**

Proverbs 22.1-2, 8-9, 22-23; Ps.125; James 2.1-10, 14-17; Mark 7.24-37

### **DATES FOR THE DIARY – 2015**

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> September - 6.00pm - Parish Dinner at the Bowlo**

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> September - 7.30pm - Parish Council Meeting**

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> September - 10.00am -Tarragal House Eucharist/Concert [AW]**

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> September 10.00am - Pastoral Care Meeting**

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> September - 11.00am - Samaritans Link Day**

**Friday 11th September –10.00am - Anglican Women’s Spring Rally-Woy Woy**

**Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> September - 8.00am - Spring Garden Working Bee**

**Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> September - 3.00pm - Jubila Singers [Director Jane Becketl]**

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> September - 1.00pm - Women’s Fellowship Meeting**

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> September - 1.00pm - Coffee, Craft & Chat**

**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> Sept. - 10.30am - Eucharist at the Nursing Home (Aurum)**

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> September - 10.00am - Eucharist at The Pod (Aurum) [AW]**

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September – 1.00pm – Market Day Preparations**

**Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> September – 8.00am – 1.00pm – Market Day**

**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> September – 3.30-5.30pm – Messy Church**

**Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> September – 2.00pm – Inter.Denom. Serv. Tarragal Manor[AW]**

**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October – 10.00am – Messy Church Meeting**

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October – 6.00pm – Dinner at the Bowlo**

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> October – 2.00pm – Tarragal Glen Eucharist [AW]**

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> October – 10.00am – Pastoral Care Meeting**

**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> October – 2.00pm – Blessing of the Pets Service**

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> October – 2.00pm – Concert with Peter Guy**

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> to Sunday to 25<sup>th</sup> October - Diocesan Synod**

### **FROM THE BOOKSHOP**

**"The New Daylight Sept - Dec 2015**

These issues have arrived. Please collect & pay for your copy at the bookshop.

*Thank you, Julie-Ann O'Regan*

## **SACRED READING**

**WEDNESDAY: 5.30PM**

*Lectio Divina*, translated Divine Reading or Sacred Reading, is a way of prayerfully reading the Bible. It is an unhurried reading of a portion of Scripture. This kind of reading of the Scriptures may be done privately or in a group situation. Our group meets on Wednesdays at 5.30pm at Holy Trinity where we use as our source for Sacred Reading, the Gospel reading for the following Sunday.

Sacred Reading helps you to build that bridge between your encounters with and experiences of God and everyday life with its joys, sorrows, humdrums and challenges. It is nourishment for the soul.

You are invited to participate in our parish group as we meet on Wednesdays at 5.30pm for approximately an hour.

*Fr. Roy*

## **ANZAC CENTENARY FLOWER FESTIVAL CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL SEPTEMBER 4<sup>TH</sup> TO 7<sup>TH</sup>**

A Floral tribute to our servicemen & women over the past 100 years.  
All proceeds go towards the ongoing restoral of Christ Church Cathedral  
Entry – Adults \$10 and Concession \$7

## **SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB**

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2015, 7.30pm - 9.00pm

**Guest Speakers:** Michael Davies and Fr Rod Bower

The Grange Hotel Function Room  
Cnr: Renwick St & Pacific Hwy, WYOMING

## **BCA BOXES**

It is time again to return your BCA boxes for counting. I would be grateful if you could return them over the next few weeks

*Thank you, Kath Connor-Brown*

## **JUBILA SINGERS CONCERT**

**SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 13<sup>TH</sup> AT 3.00PM**

Special Guest Organist: Heather Moen Boyd

\$5.00 Donation.

Everyone is invited to stay at the conclusion of the concert for afternoon tea.

## **WHISPERS OF LOVE' MEDITATION GROUP**

**A Reflection**

**YOU ARE MOST WELCOME**

Gateway to Silence

"We are living in a world that is absolutely transparent and the divine is shining through it all the time." --Thomas Merton.

*Prayerfully Revd. Ann*

## **PARISH DINNER AT THE TERRIGAL BOWLO**

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> September at 6.00pm

All welcome - please place your name on the sign up sheet on the noticeboard

## **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

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**The Parish of Terrigal warmly welcomes you.**

We offer many opportunities for meeting together ...

**to worship and pray; to study Scripture and theology; to share fellowship, caring and support; and to celebrate real relationships which are divinely life-giving.**

These opportunities normally include ...

**Sunday Worship at Holy Trinity**

**7.30am - Sung Eucharist and 9.30am – Said Eucharist**

**2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month - Evensong –In recess**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in the month - Messy Church**

between 3.30pm and 5.30pm

**Weekly Worship at Holy Trinity**

**Friday at 10.30am - Eucharist**

**1st Tuesday at 2.00pm - Tarragal Glen Eucharist**

**2nd Wednesday at 10.00am - Tarragal House Eucharist/concert**

**3rd Wednesday at 10.30am - The Nursing Home Eucharist**

**[Aurrum]**

**3rd Thursday at 10.00am - Eucharist at The Pod [Aurrum]**

**VARIOUS PARISH MINISTRIES**

**‘Whispers of Love’ - a meditation (Monday at 10.00am); Women’s Fellowship (2nd Monday at 1.00pm); Coffee and Craft (3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday at 1.00pm); Parish Council (2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday at 7.30pm); Trinity Band (Rehearsal - Tuesday at 7.00pm) (Playing at the 9.30am Sunday - 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays); Sacred Reading (Wednesday at 5.30pm); Bible Study (currently in recess); Pastoral Care (2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday at 10.00am); Bible Study (Friday at 11.30am); Messy Church Planning Meeting (1<sup>st</sup> Saturday at 10.00am) ; Gardening (2nd Saturday from 8.00am); Market Day (3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday from 8.00am)**

*Parish contact - (02) 4365 1115 or mobile 0427 135 771*

**Holy Trinity Opportunity Shop ... contact (02) 4365 1280**

**Parish Website – [www.terrigalanglican.org.au](http://www.terrigalanglican.org.au)**

## **Parish Directory**

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### **Associate Priests**

*(The Reverend)* **Roy Hazlewood** - 4393 0114

*(The Reverend)* **Richard Harvey** – 0422 109 262

### **Parish Executive**

**Keith Watson** (4365 1065) - Rector's Warden

**Terry Rowe** (4365 0430) - People's Warden

**Kyara Newport** (4384 3997) - People's Warden

**Parish Secretary - Julie-Anne O'Regan**

**Parish Treasurer - Terry Rowe** (4365 0430)

### **Parish Ministries**

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### **Parish Opportunity Shop**

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The Op Shop is open Tuesday to Friday from 9.00am to 4.00pm  
and each Saturday from 10.00am to 1.00pm