



## **The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost [OS24]**

**13<sup>th</sup> September, 2015**

**Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity**

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

**9.30am - Holy Eucharist - *said* - [Fr.R/AW]{Trinity Band & Singers}**

**11.00am – Parish Consultation**

[Symbols Key - [ / ] denotes celebrant / preacher; { } denotes musician(s)]  
[All hymns are from Together in Song unless otherwise specified.]

### **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 Book of Proverbs**

### **Chapter 1, verses 20 to 30**

Wisdom cries out in the street;  
in the squares she raises her voice.  
At the busiest corner she cries out;  
at the entrance of the city gates she speaks:  
'How long, O simple ones, will you love being simple?  
How long will scoffers delight in their scoffing  
and fools hate knowledge?  
Give heed to my reproof;  
I will pour out my thoughts to you;  
I will make my words known to you.  
Because I have called and you refused,  
have stretched out my hand and no one heeded,  
and because you have ignored all my counsel  
and would have none of my reproof,  
I also will laugh at your calamity;  
I will mock when panic strikes you,  
when panic strikes you like a storm,  
and your calamity comes like a whirlwind,  
when distress and anguish come upon you.  
Then they will call upon me, but I will not answer;  
they will seek me diligently, but will not find me.  
Because they hated knowledge  
and did not choose the fear of the LORD,  
would have none of my counsel,  
and despised all my reproof,  
therefore they shall eat the fruit of their way  
and be sated with their own devices.  
For waywardness kills the simple,  
and the complacency of fools destroys them;  
but those who listen to me will be secure  
and will live at ease, without dread of disaster.'

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

## Psalm 19.

The heavens declare the glory of God:  
and the firmament proclaims his handiwork;  
**One day tells it to another:  
and night to night communicates knowledge.**

There is no speech or language:  
nor are their voices heard;  
**Yet their sound has gone out through all the world:  
and their words to the ends of the earth.**

There he has pitched a tent for the sun:  
which comes out as a bridegroom from his chamber,  
and rejoices like a strong man to run his course.  
**Its rising is at one end of the heavens, and its circuit to  
there farthest bound  
and nothing is hidden from its heat.**

The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul:  
the command of the Lord is true,  
and makes wise the simple.  
**The precepts of the Lord are right, and rejoice the heart:  
the commandment of the Lord is pure,  
and gives light to the eyes.**

The fear of the Lord is clean, and endures for ever:  
the judgements of the Lord are unchanging,  
and righteous every one.  
**More to be desired are they than gold,  
even much fine gold:  
sweeter also than honey,  
than the honey that drips from the comb.**

Moreover, by them is your servant taught:  
and in keeping them there is great reward.  
**Who can know their own unwitting sins?:  
O cleanse me from my secret faults.**

Keep your servant also from presumptuous sins,  
lest they get the mastery over me:  
so I shall be clean, and innocent of great offence.

**May the words of my mouth and the meditation  
of my heart be acceptable in your sight:  
O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.**

**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 2, verses 18 to 26**

But someone will say, '*You have faith and I have works.*' Show me your faith without works, and I by my works will show you my faith. You believe that God is one; you do well. Even the demons believe—and shudder. Do you want to be shown, you senseless person, that faith without works is barren? Was not our ancestor Abraham justified by works when he offered his son Isaac on the altar? You see that faith was active along with his works, and faith was brought to completion by the works. Thus the scripture was fulfilled that says, '*Abraham believed God, and it was reckoned to him as righteousness*', and he was called the friend of God. You see that a person is justified by works and not by faith alone. Likewise, was not Rahab the prostitute also justified by works when she welcomed the messengers and sent them out by another road? For just as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is also dead.

Hear the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God**

**The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ  
according to St Mark,  
Chapter 8, verses 27–38.**

Jesus went on with his disciples to the villages of Caesarea Philippi; and on the way he asked his disciples, **'Who do people say that I am?'** And they answered him, *'John the Baptist; and others, Elijah; and still others, one of the prophets.'* He asked them, **'But who do you say that I am?'** Peter answered him, *'You are the Messiah.'* And he sternly ordered them not to tell anyone about him.

Then he began to teach them that the Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again. He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. But turning and looking at his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, **'Get behind me, Satan! For you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.'**

He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, **'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it. For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life? Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? Those who are ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of them the Son of Man will also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels.'**

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, Betty Hancock  
Shirley Evans, Will & Marion, Ilaria, Tammy Fanelli

### **PARISH CONSULTATION – SUNDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 11.00AM**

As we give thanks for the ministry of our Rector Fr. Brian and Margaret his wife, we continue to pray for God's peace and grace as they take annual leave in preparation for Fr. Brian's retirement on 15 November, 2015.

As you are aware, discerning a new parish priest can take some time. I have been asked if the parish would meet on Sunday the 13 September at 11.00am for a Parish Consultation, under the leadership of the Archdeacon of the Central Coast.

What does this mean?

It is the beginning of a listening process, to allow members of the parish to share their ideas, their vision and express what they believe are the gifts, talents and commitment require by a parish priest. That is, someone who will seek to continue to promote righteousness, justice, mercy and to walk with us as a parish, as we strive to shine as one in Christ so that God's will be done for our parish and community.

*Prayerfully Reverend Ann, Locum*

### **NAME BADGES**

We will be sending in an order for name badges this week. We already have a number of people who require one, so if you would like a name badge please ring the office or speak to Bev Broadley or Kyara Newport. **Please consider wearing your name badge each week as this practice is helpful for our clergy and necessary for our future Rector.**

# The Week of Pentecost Sixteen, 2015

## Monday 14<sup>th</sup> September

10.00am 'Whispers of Love' [AW]

1.00pm – Women's Fellowship Meeting

## Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> September

1.00pm – Coffee, Craft & Chat

7.00pm - Trinity Band and Singers rehearsal

## Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September

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

10.30am - Eucharist at the Nursing Home (Aurrum) [AW]

5.30pm – Sacred Reading [Fr.R]

## Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> September

10.00am - Eucharist at The Pod (Aurrum) [AW]

11.00am - Samaritans Link Day

## Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September

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

10.30am - Holy Eucharist [AW] and morning tea

Readings – 1 Timothy 6. 2c-12; Ps 49.5-9; Luke 8: 1-3

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

1.00pm – Market Day Preparations

## Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> September

8.00am – Market Day

### MARKET DAY

After many years of generous and hard work Betty and Peter Hancock feel it is time to step back from being the main organisers of Market Day.

Both wish to still be involved in a small way because they enjoy the contact and friendship both with their friends within the Parish and the regular visitors to Market Day.

Now as we thank them we are also asking for persons to step up and continue this wonderful work.

Please come forward if this is you, support will always be there.

## **SAMARITANS**

Once again Terrigal Parish is supporting the **ALI Christmas Function – a gift of a coffee mug filled with lollies would be appreciated. We need to supply 50.** If you can wrap the mug and sweets in green or red cellophane paper it would be appreciated. They can be left at the office or outside the church.

*Thanks, Anna Holt*

## **‘WHISPERS OF LOVE’ MEDITATION GROUP**

**YOU ARE MOST WELCOME**

### **A Reflection**

“When you learn to love and let yourself be loved,  
you come home to the hearth of your own spirit.

You are warm and sheltered.

You are completely at one

With the house of your own longing and belonging”

*John O’Donohue*

*Prayerfully, Revd. Ann*

## **BCA BOXES**

It is time again to return your BCA boxes for counting. I would be grateful if you could return them as soon as possible so we can forward the money to BCA.

*Thank you, Kath Connor-Brown*

## **MARKET DAY SATURDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER**

We are in urgent need of men who can help set up on the Friday at 1pm and to pack up again on Saturday at 1pm. Please consider this need.

## Next Sunday – 20th September, 2015

### Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

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

9.30am – Holy Communion [said][AW/Fr.R] {L. Harvey}

#### Eucharistic Readings:

Proverbs 31. 10-31; Ps.1; James 3.1-12; Mark 9.30-37

### DATES FOR THE DIARY – 2015

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

**Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September – 2.00pm – Inter.Denom. Serv. Tarragal Manor[AW]**

**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> October – 4.30pm – Messy Church Meeting**

**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October – 6.00pm – ‘Saturday at 6’**

**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**

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> October – 11.00am – Samaritans Link Day**

**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> October – 8.00am – Garden Working Bee**

**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**

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October – 1.00pm – Women’s Fellowship Meeting**

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> October – 7.30pm – Parish Council Meeting**

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> October - 10.00am -Tarragal House Eucharist/Concert [AW]**

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October – 1.00pm – Preparation for Market Day**

**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> October – 8.00am – 10.00pm - Market Day**

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> October – 3.30-5.30pm – Messy Church**

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October – 1.00pm – Coffee, Craft & Chat**

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October – 10.30am – Eucharist at The Nursing Home(Aurrum)AW**

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October – 10.00am – Eucharist at The Pod [AW]**

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

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## **2015 Morpeth Lecture:**

### **The Dead Sea Scrolls and the Authority of the Bible**

The Dead Sea Scrolls have changed Christian understandings of the authority of the Bible. It is now widely recognised that several books found in the Jewish Bible and the Christian Old Testament had complex histories of development and existed in multiple editions in the pre-canonical period.

Professor George J. Brooke will explore textual pluralism in relation to the teachings of Jesus and the writings of the New Testament to argue that Jesus and the first generations of his followers lived with, and took advantage of, Jewish scriptures in ways not previously envisaged.

Professor Brooke is Rylands Professor of Biblical Criticism and Exegesis at the University of Manchester, UK, where he has taught Biblical Studies and Early Judaism since 1984. He was a founding editor of the Dead Sea Discoveries journal and his book, The Complete World of the Dead Sea Scrolls has sold more than 70,000 copies.

**When:** 5.45 for 6pm, Tuesday 15 September

**Where:** Christ Church Cathedral 46 Newcomen St, Newcastle

**RSVP:** [uon-morpeth-lecture-2015.eventbrite.com.au](http://uon-morpeth-lecture-2015.eventbrite.com.au)

### **WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP MEETING – MONDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER AT 1.00pm**

Our speaker will be Pat Ikillelea who will give us updates on Himalayan Orphanages. Please join us. New Members Welcome!

### **THANK YOU BOXES.**

Our boxes raised a total of \$610 for this year which was handed over at the Spring Celebration on the 11<sup>th</sup>. New boxes are available for this year.

### **COFFEE, CRAFT & CHAT – TUESDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 1.00PM**

Please join us at this group if you would like an afternoon to re-start some unfinished craft projects or if you would just like to have coffee and chat or if you want to browse the Op. Shop and feel like a coffee afterwards.

**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)**

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

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

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and each Saturday from 10.00am to 1.00pm