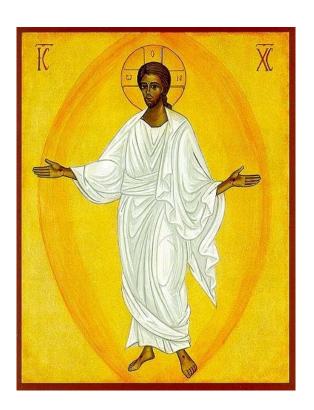


# Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity, Terrigal Third Sunday of Easter 1st May, 2022



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

Hymns: TIS 379, 386, 365 (Tune: Orientis Partibus TIS 219 with alleluias), 361

9.30am - Holy Eucharist Presiding & Preaching - Fr Mark Watson

Organist - Chris Sillince

**Hymns:** TIS 379, 386, 365 (Tune: Orientis Partibus TIS 219 with alleluias), 361 [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.

### Fr. Roy writes: Christ is Risen, Alleluia, He is Risen indeed, Alleluia.

Yes, it is still in Eastertide, and in fact, we can still proclaim the same message that Jesus is Risen for the remainder of our days on this earth. After that the excitement and truth is ours for eternity.

In the meantime, we continue to learn from the season of Easter, about God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, about Jesus Christ, the Son of God and ourselves in the life we live in Christ.

Last week, on Anzac Day, I participated in the Anzac Day service at the Doyalson RSL as I have for many years in my days in the Parish of Toukley -- Budgewoi and since my "retirement". Here the principal theme was SACRIFICE. This was the sacrifice of defence personnel who left our shores to fight for our country in time of war, and the sacrifice of families who saw them off in troopships and in many cases did not see them return.

To-day, the Third Sunday of Easter, we join with the Family of God, the Community of the Church, to proclaim the Risen Christ, to participate in worship, in Word and Sacrament and to leave this house of worship, with joy in our hearts, into the world in which we live day by day in the Light of the Risen Christ. In our worship, we are reminded of the sacrifice of Jesus on the Cross and of our sacrifice in following him in our lives. In the Sunday Liturgy we pray "Father, we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice through Jesus Christ our Lord to live and work to your praise and glory".

Into this broken world of darkness, we go with its war, terrorism, oppression, mass murders, gangs and violence, climate change and other behaviour that we see as selfish. It is into this that we go bearing the Good News of the Risen Christ with the hope that comes with the light of his new life, love, compassion, forgiveness and so much more that will transform the world.

People ask me if they should pray for the death of dictatorial and authoritarian leaders. I suggest that it would be better for them to pray for such leaders' deliverance from the darkness of the evil one and be brought into the Light of the Risen Christ and all the changes to thinking and behaviour that that Light brings to people. My suggestion, then, is PRAY, PRAY, PRAY.

Keep well, keep safe, keep social distancing, have a safe, and holy Eastertide and the blessing of God be upon you and on all who you love and pray for and may your days and nights be holy, good, and peaceful. **AMEN**.

#### **Sentence**

To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honour and glory and might for ever and ever.

Revelation 5.13

#### **Prayer of the Day**

Almighty God, through your only Son you overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: grant that we who celebrate our Lord's resurrection, may, through the renewing power of your Spirit, rise from the death of sin to the life of righteousness; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.** 

#### A reading from Acts of the Apostles Chapter 9 verses 1 - 6

Meanwhile Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord, went to the high priest and asked him for letters to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any who belonged to the Way, men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem. Now as he was going along and approaching Damascus, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, 'Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?' He asked, 'Who are you, Lord?'

The reply came, 'I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting. But get up and enter the city, and you will be told what you are to do.'

Hear the word of the Lord.

#### Thanks be to God.

#### Psalm 30

- 1 I will exalt you, O Lord, for you have drawn me up from the depths: and have not suffered my foes to triumph over me.
- 2 O Lord my God, I cried to you: and you have made me whole.
- 3 You brought me back, O Lord, from the land of silence: you saved my life from among those that go down to the Pit.
- 4 Sing praises to the Lord, all you his faithful ones: and give thanks to his holy name.
- 5 For if in his anger is havoc, in his good favour is life: heaviness may endure for a night, but joy comes in the morning.
- 6 In my prosperity I said 'I shall never be moved: your goodness, O Lord, has set me on so firm a hill.'
- 7 Then you hid your face from me: and I was greatly dismayed.
- 8 I cried to you, O God: and made my petition humbly to my Lord.
- 9 'What profit is there in my blood, if I go down to the Pit: can the dust give you thanks, or declare your faithfulness?
- 10 'Hear, O Lord, and be merciful: O Lord, be my helper.'
- 11 You have turned my lamentation into dancing: you have put off my sackcloth and girded me with joy,
- 12 That my heart may sing your praise and never be silent: O Lord my God, I will give you thanks for ever.

#### A reading from Revelation Chapter 5 verses 6 - 14

Then I saw between the throne and the four living creatures and among the elders a Lamb standing as if it had been slaughtered, having seven horns and seven eyes, which are the seven spirits of God sent out into all the earth. He went and took the scroll from the right hand of the one who was seated on the throne. When he had taken the scroll, the four living creatures and the twenty-four elders fell before the Lamb, each holding a harp and golden bowls full of incense, which are the prayers of the saints. They sing a new song:

'You are worthy to take the scroll and to open its seals,

for you were slaughtered and by your blood you ransomed for God

saints from every tribe and language and people and nation; you have made them to be a kingdom and priests serving our God,

and they will reign on earth.'

Then I looked, and I heard the voice of many angels surrounding the throne and the living creatures and the elders; they numbered myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands, singing with full voice,

'Worthy is the Lamb that was slaughtered to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honour and glory and blessing!'

Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, singing, 'To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honour and glory and might for ever and ever!'

And the four living creatures said, 'Amen!' And the elders fell down and worshipped.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

#### Alleluia, alleluia!

Christ is risen; the Lord of all creation; he has shown pity on all people.

#### Alleluia!

### The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John Chapter 21 verses 1 - 19

#### **Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, 'I am going fishing.' They said to him, 'We will go with you.' They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, 'Children, you have no fish, have you?' They answered him, 'No.' He said to them, 'Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some.' So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord!' When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the lake. But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off.

When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. Jesus said to them, 'Bring some of the fish that you have just caught.' So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred and fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, 'Who are you?' because they knew it was the Lord. Jesus came and took the bread and gave

it to them, and did the same with the fish. This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?' He said to him, 'Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my lambs.' A second time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' He said to him, 'Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Tend my sheep.' He said to him the third time, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, 'Do you love me?' And he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep. Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go.' (He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, 'Follow me.'

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

#### Please pray for:

Sharon Sandstrom, Angarad O'Malley, Tania Howlett, David Lamb, Gloria Townsend, Val Stratford, Irene Neville, Denise Perry, Anne Fitzgerald, Harvey Boardman, Ron Langley, Michelle Davies, Fr John Southerden and Jo.

#### **Prayer of the Week**

Gracious Father,
who in your great mercy made glad the disciples
with the sight of the risen Lord:
give us such awareness of his presence with us
that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life,
and serve you continually in righteousness and truth;
through Jesus Chris our Lord. **Amen.** 

#### **Offertories via Direct Debit**

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ASDF Account: Parish of Terrigal, BSB:705-077

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Terry Rowe, Treasurer.

#### 'Whispers of Love' Meditation

We meet on a Monday at 10.00am at Holy Trinity, Terrigal.

#### **Reflection:**

A word with power is a word that comes out of silence. A word that bears fruit is a word that emerges from the silence and returns to it.

Henri Nouwen

Prayerfully, Reverend Ann.

#### **WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP**

We encourage and welcome all ladies of the parish to join us for our next meeting on Monday 9th May, 2022 at 1pm. It is always a relaxed time, meeting and chatting with other women, and finishing with afternoon tea.

At our next meeting Margot Bilston will speak of her many experiences of **Worship around the World** which promises to be a most interesting topic.

#### **THANK YOU BOXES AND POUCHES**

These are available to everyone, so please take one and place a coin in it whenever you receive a blessing.

Money collected by the Anglican Women will go toward Numeracy and Literacy Programs in New Guinea late in 2022. Thank you.

#### **DINNER AT TERRIGAL BOWLING CLUB TONIGHT**

Please join us for dinner tonight from 6pm at
Terrigal Bowling Club at 'Bec's Kitchen'.

If you are interested, please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the notice board directly after the service. Thank you.

#### **SAMARITANS**

Thank you to the congregation for being excellent givers of donations for the Samaritans. Items are urgently needed now and include, soups, tinned vegetables, spaghetti & sauce, and items for the coming winter.

Thank you.

#### **SEA SUNDAY 10th JULY**

Sea Sunday gives the parish the opportunity to reflect on and support the work of the Mission to Seafarers.

More than 90% of the world's goods and fuels are transported around the world thanks to seafarers. The Mission is on call providing help for seafarers in over 200 ports around the world.

The over 1.5 million seafarers across the world are often away from home for many months. This can lead to loneliness and mental health issues.

At the Port of Newcastle, the Mission to Seafarers provides chaplaincy support, access to WiFi and SIM cards, a comfortable place to rest, food and toiletries as well as clothing, transport to shops, among other things.

We can provide support in the following ways:

For those who can knit, there are beanie kits available for you to take.

You can also bring warm socks and toiletries.

Leave any of these items at the office.

Thank you for your help.

Libby Harvey.



#### Easter 3C - Sunday 1 May 2022

- Acts 9.1-6 (7-20); Psalm 30; Revelation 5.6-14; John 21.1-19
  John tells us today about the third of the appearances of
  Jesus after the Resurrection and how, like at the beginning
  of his ministry when he called the disciples (see Mark 1 and
  Luke 5) that the fishermen's nets were groaning with a good
  haul. Then, at the end of the story after the fish had been
  grilled, we see Jesus grilling Peter. He asks Peter three
  times whether he loves him. Getting more and more hurt
  Peter answers yes each time. Each time Jesus then responds
  with a command: look after the flock. If I were to examine
  myself, would I find areas of my life where I have claimed to
  love Jesus but acted as if it were otherwise? Have I failed to
  provide love and care for those who are around me?
- Jesus Christ, Risen Lord, help me to love you in my heart, and to demonstrate it by my care for others.
- Give thanks for the Church of the Province of Central Africa, remembering especially the work of the Zambia Anglican Council.

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#### Next Sunday – 8<sup>th</sup> May, 2022 FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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

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

Readings: Acts 9.36-43, Psalm 23, Revelation 7.9-17

**Gospel:** John 10.22-30

#### Rosters for next week 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> May Fourth Sunday of Easter

#### Friday 6th May 10.30am Eucharist

Reader		
Catherine Taylor		

#### Sunday 8th May

Flowers		
Margaret MacLachlan		

#### 8.00am Eucharist

Readers	Servers
1 <sup>st</sup> – Robyn Crowley	Ronda and -
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Chris Crowley	

#### 9.30am Eucharist

Readers	Servers
1 <sup>st</sup> – Mark Timms	Ronda and -
2 <sup>nd</sup> - Jan Bolte	

#### This Week

#### Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May

Athanasius, bishop of Alexandria, teacher (d. 373) **10.00am** – Whispers of Love – a meditation [Revd. Ann Watson]

### Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May PHILIP AND JAMES, APOSTLES AND MARTYS

#### Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> May

**5.00pm** – Eucharist and Sacred Reading [Fr Roy Hazlewood]

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May

#### Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May

10.30am – Eucharist [Fr Mark Watson] Readings: Acts 9.1-20; Psalm 117; John 6.52-59

11.00am - Morning Tea

Saturday 7th May

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