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Prayer to St Michael

St Michael the
Archangel, defend
us in battle; be our
safeguard against
the wickedness and
snares of the devil.



May God rebuke him we
humbly pray; and you,
O Prince of the Heavenly
Hosts, by the power of God,
cast into hell Satan and all
the evil spirits who prowl
about the world seeking the
ruin of souls.

Amen



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA TERRIGAL

*We love one another so that all may have a
sense of belonging; desire a relationship with God;
and want to share the Good News with others.*



9th April 2023

EASTER SUNDAY
The Resurrection of the
Lord.
Alleluia , Alleluia !

Entrance Antiphon: I have risen, and I am with you still, alleluia. You have laid your hand upon me, alleluia. Too wonderful for me, this knowledge, alleluia.

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 10:34,37-43

Psalm: This is the day the Lord has made;
let us rejoice and be glad.

2nd Reading: St Paul to the Colossians 3:1-4

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia!
Christ has become our paschal sacrifice; let us
feast with joy in the Lord.
Alleluia

Gospel: John 20:1-9

Communion Antiphon: Christ our Passover has been sacrificed, alleluia;
therefore let us keep the feast with the
unleavened bread of purity and truth, alleluia,
alleluia.

Next Week's Readings: Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 2:42-47

Psalm: Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is
everlasting.

2nd Reading St Peter 1:3-9

Gospel: John 20:19-31

WEEKDAY SERVICES - THIS WEEK

Easter Monday 10 9am (Public Holiday) - Communion Service
Easter Tuesday 11 7.30 am - Communion Service
Easter Wednesday 12 7.30 am - Mass
Easter Thursday 13 7.30pm - Mass
Easter Friday 14 9.00am - Mass
Easter Saturday 15 9.00am - Mass

WEEKEND MASSES - NEXT WEEK

Saturday Vigil 15 5.00pm
Sunday 16 7.00am / 8.30am / 10.00am



Our new website: www.bbcatholic.org.au/terrigan

*Welcome to all our visitors!
May you feel at home in our Parish.*

PARISH INFORMATION:

Baptisms:

Sunday Mornings at 11.30am by appointment.
Enquiries to our Parish Office to enrol.

Anointing of the Sick:

With 9am Mass on the last Friday of the month.
Please ring the Parish Office if you have a loved one who is ill or dying.

Reconciliation:

Before and after Saturday 9am
Mass (8.30–10am) or phone the
Parish Office for an appointment.

Weddings and Funerals:

Enquiries to the Parish Office.



COVID 19:

Keeping everyone safe we ask you to:

Sanitize your hands before entry to and exit from the church.

Communion on the hand is preferred. If you wish to receive communion on the tongue, please wait to be invited to come forward.

If you are **unwell**, please take care and **stay at home**.

*Thank-you to everyone for your care
to keep each other safe.*



Easter Monday the 10th of April is a Public Holiday - the Parish Office will be closed and the Communion Service will be at 9am.

Thank you

to all who helped in any way in preparation of our Church during the Easter celebrations.

To our organisers, servers, readers, collectors, cleaners, welcomers, decorators, everyone – THANK YOU!

A special thanks to our choir and musicians for the huge effort and commitment.

Fr Vince

Celebrants for Sunday Masses

This Weekend 8/9 April

Holy Saturday

7.30pm Fr Vince

Easter Sunday

7.00am Fr Vince

8.30am Fr Jack

10.00am Fr Vince

Next Weekend 15/16 April

Saturday

5.00pm Fr Vince

Sunday

7.00am Fr Vince

8.30am Fr Vince

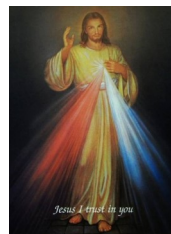
10.00am Fr Jack

Invitation to Celebrate the Feast of Divine Mercy

(2nd Sunday of Easter)

Sunday 16th April 2023

2.30pm - 3.30pm



**Holy Hour with Exposition,
Chaplet, Reflection, and
Benediction**

Reconciliation will be available during
Holy Hour

**Preceding the Feast Day is a special
Novena, that starts on Good Friday.**

**“By this Novena I will grant every possible
grace to souls”. (Diary 796)**

Copies of the Novena are available at the back of
the Church.

Bible Study and Discussion

Get to know your Bible: *The Gospel of St John*

Where: In the Divine Mercy Chapel, on the right-hand side of the church.

When: Wednesday evenings.

Time: 6pm to 7pm

Bring your Bible with you.

Everyone is welcome to join us at any time.

We look forward to seeing you.

For more information ring Elias 0459 220 408



Donations to the Parish

Donations can be made at each Mass by putting **cash** in the collection bag; or by using the **Tap'n'Go** machines at the door of the church; or by giving **directly** to our parish bank account:

Terrigal Parish BSB: 062 784
Acc: 100001660

Planned giving **envelopes** are at the back of the church; or to arrange for regular (monthly) **credit card** donations please contact the Parish Office.

Thank-you to everyone or their continued generosity.

Shrine of St John Paul II



A series of Healing Evenings and Encounter Evenings have been scheduled for the Shrine of St John Paul II at St Patrick's Church, East Gosford. The JP II Pastoral Centre will also be hosting Retreats. Further information available at [JP II Events](#)

Further details on the St John Paul II Pastoral Centre 2023 Packages, including pilgrimages, conferences, workshops and hospitality [here](#)

St Michael Prayer Group Mass

**5:30pm Thursday
20th April 2023**



All welcome to attend and join with the Knights of St Michael Prayer Group for Mass.

With adoration / Benediction and the St Michael Chaplet.

Enquiries to the parish office.

Our Meeting Place

Generations living and learning together so that we may all experience a sense of belonging.

The CatholicCare **Early Learning Centre** would like to invite parishioners to join an intergenerational program called "Our Meeting Place".

We are looking for 12 -15 parishioners to meet with 12 pre-schoolers each week on a Tuesday, 9.30am – 10.30am, in the Parish Hall, beginning 9th May for activities and experiences.

We believe the opportunity to connect and share knowledge and skills will not only benefit both groups but strengthen our sense of belonging to our community.

Please collect a flyer or contact Bron or Crystal from the pre-school on 4365 3222 for more information.

We are really excited about this program and hope that you will join us.

Catenian Walks

Our next walk is 10am Tuesday 11th April in the Rumbalara Reserve where we will be exploring a few different trails. The vegetation in the area is in great condition following the recent rains and making for pleasant autumn conditions. After the walk we will head off to the Elanora Hotel in East Gosford for our 'chat and chew' lunch.

The walks start at 10am each Tuesday on a fortnightly basis and take an hour and a bit. We select generally easy /modest grade tracks, mindful of the wear and tear most of our bodies have encountered over the years.

Any gentlemen interested in participating in any of our walks, please contact Stim Robinson at stimrobinson@hotmail.com or on 0401 058 329 and you can get further details including where to meet for the walk.

If you would like to join us for lunch, please contact Stim as above.

HOLY WEEK & EASTER

AT OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA PARISH, TERRIGAL

HOLY THURSDAY 6/4

7.30 PM

EVENING MASS OF
THE LORD'S SUPPER

FOLLOWED BY ADORATION UNTIL 9PM



GOOD FRIDAY 7/4

10.00 AM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

3.00 PM

CELEBRATION OF
THE LORD'S PASSION



HOLY SATURDAY 8/4

7.30 PM

THE EASTER VIGIL



EASTER SUNDAY 9/4

THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

7.00 AM 8.30 AM 10.00 AM



**YOU ARE WELCOME TO
CELEBRATE WITH US**

Reconciliation at Terrigal Parish

Special times for Easter are: Good Friday 7th April from 9am to 10am, this is, before the Stations of the Cross, and after the Stations, if required.

Holy Saturday 8th April from 8.30am to 10am.

Ecumenical Easter Sunrise Service



This service will be held on Easter Sunday morning on Terrigal beach at 6am.

Sunrise is at 6.12am.

With us will also be the Baptists, Uniting Church, Grace Community, Christian Reformed Church, and Christian Israelite Church.

All are welcome. This may be a prayer setting you can invite family members and friends who for whatever reasons, do not want to attend Mass with you.

GRATITUDE

God, we come before you with grateful hearts for the gift of your son, Jesus Christ.

We thank you for his sacrifice on the cross and for the hope of eternal life

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Choose any of the coming Weekends:

May 6-7, Aug 5-6, Nov 11-12 2023

If covid-19 restrictions prevent a face-to-face seminar, the CEE weekend will be held via Zoom.

Walking Together: Catholics and Jews in the Australian Context

The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference has launched this new document to highlight Christianity's unique relationship with Judaism, to celebrate the positive relationship the two faiths enjoy in Australia, with recommendations to enhance Catholic-Jewish relations.

That document builds on the foundations of *Nostra Aetate*, the Second Vatican Council's Declaration on the Relationship of the Church to Non-Christian Religions.

Memorial Plaques

As promised the new names were added to the memorial wall this week.

If you are considering purchasing a plaque to remember a family member or friend, the order forms are at the back of the church. Enquiries to Janette 0421416555

Catholic Women's League

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12th April 10.00 a.m. Delegates Meeting at Toukley

Easter blessings to all our Parishioners. New members always welcome.

Confirmation Enrolments

The Sacrament of Confirmation is offered to baptized children in Year 3 and older. Confirmation is usually the next Sacrament after Baptism, and before Reconciliation and Holy Communion

Enrolment will take place at the church after the Masses on the following two weekends:



Saturday 22nd April after 5.00pm,
Sunday 23rd April after 8.30am &
10.00am

Saturday 29th April after 5.00pm,
Sunday 30th April after 8.30am
& 10.00am

Enrolments will also be accepted through the Parish Office from Monday 24th April to Friday 28th April, during office hours.

Input Night for Parents is Wednesday 3rd May at 7pm.

Confirmation Day 3rd June 12 noon & 2pm

Enrolment forms are at the back of the church.

Enquiries to Janette 0421416555

Book Club

April bookclub will be discussing Rabbi Jonathon Sack's book, "The Persistence of Faith: Reflections of why religious faith has failed to die despite the predictions".

In May we will be discussing Scott Hahn & Benjamin Wiker's book "The Decline and Fall of Sacred Scripture: How the Bible Became a Secular Book". If any of these books interest you please join us on the last Friday of every month at 1600 hrs in the parish offices.

gazbo2@ozemail.com.au

Pastoral Discernment Central Coast

Members of the task group to take this project forward have been appointed by the Bishop. They are:

- Vicar General: Very Rev Fr David Ranson (chair)
 - Director of Evangelisation: Mrs Patti Beattie (deputy chair)
 - Chancellor and Executive Officer, Bishops Office: Mrs Kelly Paget
 - Diocesan Financial Administrator: Ms Emma McDonald
 - Director of Schools, Catholic Schools Broken Bay: Mr Danny Casey
 - Executive Director, CatholicCare Broken Bay: Mr Tim Curran
 - Diocesan Director for Communications: Ms Katrina Lee
 - Executive Officer, Secretariat for Clergy: Mr Chris Lee
 - Central Coast Dean: Fr Brian Moloney
 - Central Coast Principal: Ms Yvette Owens (OLOR The Entrance Primary School)
 - Central Coast Parishioner: Mr Peter Brown (Kincumber Parish)
 - Central Coast Young Adult and Youth representatives are to be appointed.
- Pastoral Discernment Project Facilitator (PDF) is also to be appointed and will act as the Executive Officer for the Task Group.

The group has met once, and will meet another five times, and report to the Bishop in April 2024.

Pastoral Works Broken Bay

Our appeal for Pastoral Works Broken Bay supports vital ministries in the Diocese, especially Hospital Chaplaincy and Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD) in Public Schools. All donations are 100% tax deductible.

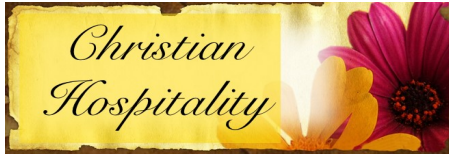
Donations can be given at any time during the year in numerous ways:

- place an envelope on any collection plate
- donate online at bbcatholic.org.au/pastoralworks (mention Terrigal)
- give directly to **Terrigal Parish**
BSB 062784 Acc 10001660 (mention Pastoral Works)
- contact the Parish Office to have a direct debit made each month. You will be given a receipt at the end of the financial year.



Thank you for your generosity.





MORNING TEA ROSTER

Please join us

After 8.30 am Mass

- Group 5 Chris Whalan, Viv Ball & Alison Bone
- 9.4.23 Easter Sunday **NO MORNING TEA**
- Group 6 Nancy Carey-Berryman & Susan Connor
- 16.4.23
- Group 1 Kaye Parker, Wanita Lynch & Robyn Lentini - 23.4.23
- Group 2 Geraldine Czerkesow & Anne Coglan - 30.4.23
- Group 3 Margaret Brown & Robyn Ayers & Juliet Mahews - 7.5.23
- Group 4 Lee & Kerry Oliver - 14.5.23

After 10.00 am Mass

- Group 5 Helen Mooney & Denise - 9.4.23
Easter Sunday **NO MORNING TEA**
- Group 6 June Carpenter, Carmel Peek & Anne-Marie McCarthy - 16.4.23
- Group 1 Joan Kearney, Claudia Hailey & Janette Merrotsy - 23.4.23
- Group 2 Ina Kite & Mary Portelli - 30.4.23
- Group 3 Anne Strong, Eileen Dodds & Mary Jones - 7.5.23
- Group 4 Ian & Pat Rimes & Eleonora - 14.5.23

It would be ideal to have three people on each of the six teams.

If you would like to help, please contact the Parish Office or speak to Robyn Lentini at 8.30am Mass.



Children's Liturgy will resume on the 29th April after the School Holidays.

If you would like to be part of this growing ministry for our children please contact the Parish Office 43674610 or speak to Robyn Lentini on 0414766180. You will be placed on Roster with other members of the team.

CatholicCare

Family Connect and Support (FCS) is a state wide voluntary service for children, young people and families who need support to maintain a safe and positive family environment. It helps families who may be experiencing vulnerability or who require some level of support before issues escalate. It works on a networking model, connecting families with local services with expertise in areas such as parenting challenges, financial stress, substance use, family breakdown, housing issues, mental health, domestic and family violence ... and more. We stay connected with you until you're matched to the right services or support. To access this service please call 1800 066 757 or visit www.catholiccarebb.org.au.

Parish Piety Shop

Come and take a look. Easter gifts including the Story of Easter in essential oils, presented ready to gift. (unique to our Parish) Rocky Road, Children's Rosary beads with how to pray for \$10, Divine Mercy items, Willow Figurines ,medals, Mass Cards, Religious Jewelry, Saint books, statues and more.

Mission: One Heart Many Voices Conference 2023



Join us for the sixth biennial Mission: one heart many voices conference
3-5 May, 2023



The conference will focus on themes of truth telling, reconciliation, encounter on the margins, inclusion, governance and synodality; and explore the discerned concerns and themes of the Plenary Council and Synod 2023 and offer each participant positive and practical ways to action. Date: 3-5 May 2023. Venue: SMC Conference & Function Centre, 66 Goulburn St, Sydney.

Information and registrations: <https://2023.mohmv.com.au/>

ROSTERS FOR SERVERS and EM



Saturday - 5.00pm

8/4/2023	Easter Servers	
15/4/2023	Server J Sheridan	(EM) M Perry & R Zadro
22/4/2023	Server L George	(EM) M Perry & L O'Donnell
29/4/2023	Server J Sheridan	(EM) M Perry & L O'Donnell

Sunday - 7.00am

9/4/2023	Easter Servers	
16/4/2023	Server G Justin	(EM) J Sheehan
23/4/2023	Server G Justin	(EM) J Sheehan
30/4/2023	Server M Slattery	(EM) G Justin

Sunday - 8.30am

9/4/2023	Easter Servers	
16/4/2023	Server D Southwell	(EM) A Bone & R Ayers
23/4/2023	Server V & F Duverge	(EM) R Ayers
30/4/2023	Server D Southwell	(EM) N Barcha & A Bone

Sunday - 10.00am

9/4/2023	Easter Servers	
19/3/2023	Server P Maniskas	(EM) J Merrotsy & I Kite
23/4/2023	Server B Lobo	(EM) C Addison & N Carter
30/4/2023	Server P Quinn	(EM) C Addison & J Merrotsy

EM = Eucharistic Minister or correctly Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion

If you wish to be involved in this ministry please contact the Parish Office.

ROSTERS FOR READERS OF THE WORD



Saturday - 5.00pm

8/4/2023	Easter Roster	
15/4/2023	(1) Maureen Reynolds	(2) Lynches
22/4/2023	(1) McCudden's	(2) George's
29/4/2023	(1) Dawn Smith	(2) Maureen Reynolds

Sunday - 7.00am

9/4/2023	(1) Betty Brown	(2) J Rogers
16/4/2023	(1) Peter Clayton	(2) Robyn Wild
23/4/2023	(1) Justine Hayes	(2) Helen Arena
30/4/2023	(1) Brian McMahon	(2) J Rogers

Sunday - 8.30am

9/4/2023	(1) Chris Hartcher	(2) Jane Watts
16/4/2023	(1) Anne Strong	(2) Chris Hartcher
23/4/2023	(1) Sue Southwell	(2) Christine Lovatt
30/4/2023	(1) Jane Watts	(2) Graham Sproats

Sunday - 10.00am

9/4/2023	(1) Maddie Conroy	(2) Joan Kearney
16/4/2023	(1) June Carlson	(2) Marie Ellicott
23/4/2023	(1) Joan Kearney	(2) Janette Merrotsy
30/4/2023	(1) Marie Ellicott	(2) Maddie Conroy

Weekly Cleaning Angels Roster

10th April 2023

Viv Ball, Ann Vidler, Chris Whalan,
Marg Brown & Alison Bone

17th April 2023

Matt Riley, Felicity Riley, Heidi Bridger
& Anna Fabri



Prayer Requests

For those who request prayers, we will leave the name in the bulletin for a short time, and then will pass the names to our prayer groups.

Recently Deceased

Kevin Brown	James Lakeman	John Goodwin
Grace Morgan	Margaret Tipper	
Jennifer Albuquerque		
Paul Malone	William Phillips	Joe Minto
Ken Stephens	Jack Radakovic	Mike Caruana
Joseph Tesoriero	Sandra Bastoli	Maureen D'Arcey
Carmel Hancock	Josephine Cudmore	

Anniversaries & Remembrance

Peter Banach	Jan Banach	Maria Czavnecki
Aniela Hofsteter	Jack Kane	Maurice Wainwright
Audrey Priestly	John Nolan	Marie & Arthur Horne
Glem Gorman	David Gleeson	Mary McIvor
Bev Crowther	Lorna Guilfoyle	Sr Mary Guilfoyle
Keith O'Brien	Judith White	Judith Sulter

Sick

Claire Hastings	Peter Gaffey	Pauline Walsh
Maryanne Paterson	Pat Dodds	Anna Smith
Mary Smith	Baby Michael	Sylvia Little
Rosa Yank	Jack (6years)	

A Prayer for Easter Eyes



My Lord, Jesus,
You have risen to new life!
Give me new eyes with which to recognize
your presence in the world around me.
Sharpen my vision so that I see beyond the
ordinary events of each day and into the
extraordinary reality of your grace.
Brighten my view of the world with renewed
hope in the coming of your Kingdom.
Softens my gaze so that I view others with the
kind of tenderness and compassion you
showed to so many.
May each day of this Easter season provide
glimpses of your glory.
In your sacred name, I pray.
Amen.

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BUS TO MASS

The Parish bus collects parishioners for 10am Mass. If you would like to be picked up, please contact Peter Clayton via the Parish Office.

Masks are encouraged to be worn on the bus.

More bus drivers are required to go on a roster to help in this important ministry.



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