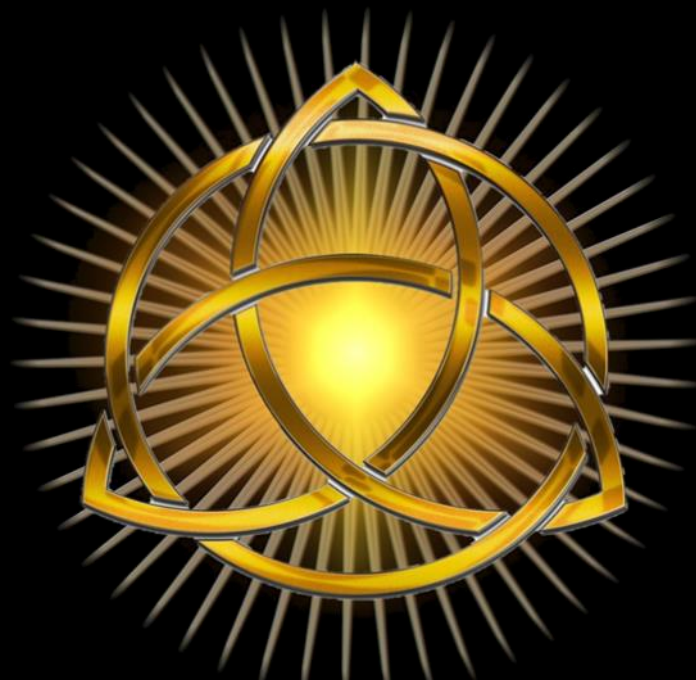


# WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF TAREE



## Sunday Services - Taree & Old Bar

**ST JOHN'S**  
294 Victoria St. Taree

9am - SUNDAY

4pm - SUNDAY

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA**  
18 Hall St. Old Bar

11am - SUNDAY

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# ...So, you thought that there were just two creeds?

Nicene Creed for Holy Communion and the Apostles' Creed for everything else...But you forgot about the Creed of Saint Athanasius!

...Athanasius was a bright young deacon in the church at Alexandria in the 300's. Also serving under the Pope of Alexandria at that time was a wily old priest, Arius, who taught that Jesus was a good man, maybe a magician or a superb motivational speaker or maybe even an angel, but nothing more. There are lots of people who think like this, even today.

...Arius composed popular songs to promote his opinion, called "*Thalia*". Athanasius figured that even if Jesus were just an angel, he could only have died for his own sins, not for the sins of the whole world. Athanasius composed his own "*Thallium*" which we still use today: "Glory to God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit; as in the beginning, so now and for all eternity". (or however you say it in the original Coptic Amharic).

...Things got pretty heated, what with Arius exploiting social media (pop songs) to the maximum and Athanasius having only one tune. The Emperor, Constantine, fazed by the aggressive lyrics and having just become a Christian and learnt about the love of God, decided to impose peace. He called a General Council of Christians at Nicea in Greece. The year was 325 A.D.

...After serious consideration, the Council of Nicea published, what we now call "The Nicene Creed" Pope of Rome, Silvester, had the Latin word "filioque" added to the Creed. The Popes of Constantinople, Antioch and Alexandria, said it wasn't in the minutes and they stick to the original to this day.

Athanasius went on to become the 20<sup>th</sup> Pope of Alexandria (Coptic Orthodox Church founded by Saint Mark). Arius and Arianism was consigned to the wheelie bin of history to be dusted off in Islam, Sikhism, Mormonism, Jehovah's Witnesses etc., etc..

...The Doctrine of God became so closely defined, that it is practically impossible to speak of the Godhead, or the Holy Trinity, without committing heresy at some point. Try the Creed of Saint Athanasius.

*Fr Duan*



**WORLD:** People & communities affected by violence & conflict, racism & discrimination, oppression, poverty, natural disasters. We pray for those impacted by COVID19. Please pray for President Zelensky, the people of Ukraine, Aung San Suu Kyi & for the detained peoples of Myanmar, Lebanon, the Philippines & Papua New Guinea.

**CHURCH:** Bishop Peter, Assistant Bishops Sonia & Charlie; Glen Cousins, Jane Dumsa, Terese Innes, Megan Moffat, Zoe Williams, Rebecca Hudson, Manning Valley Anglican College - Darren Parkes, Greg Anderson; MICA Ministries - Mark Cooper; Mission to Seafarers - Garry Dodd; Newcastle St John's - Kimberly Sawyer.

The Anglican Church of Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia; The Church of the Province of South East Asia .

Diocese of Ballarat (Bp Garry Weatherill).

**COMMUNITY:** For the homeless, and agencies supporting the vulnerable. For the victims of abuse and violence. For those affected by the impacts of COVID 19, floods & other challenges.

**THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS:** Diane, Vera, Joyce McMullen, Lyn, Ted Hill, Wendy McKeogh, Poppy, Hugh McCrindle, Norrie Spicer, Tennille, James, Judy Richardson, Anne, John, Jamison, Ian, Joan, April, Alex Platt, Margaret McDonald & Laurie Robertson.

#### **PRAYERS FOR DEPARTED:**

**PRAYERS FOR ANNIVERSARIES:** Norma Otton, Darren Clarke, Lucy Monk, Alfred Snowden (Bill), Cecile Bohringer, Leo Martin, Marjorie Munns, Lisa Clarke & Keith Bachelor.

#### **PRAYER FOR GOD'S PRESENCE WITH US:**

Loving God, be with us today.

May your presence surround us and your power be in everything we do.

Help us to remember that in all life's problems,

there is a strength beyond our own; in all life's problems,

there are unexpected solutions;

in all life's relationships there is a love deeper than we understand.

Help us to remember that your love and encouragement

are always there for us. Amen.

## TRINITY SUNDAY

### SENTENCE:

Proclaim the Name: 'The Lord, the Lord, a God who is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness.' Exodus 34:6

### PRAYER OF THE DAY:

**Almighty and everlasting God,  
you have given to us your servants grace  
by the confession of a true faith  
to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity,  
and in the power of the divine majesty  
to worship the Unity:  
keep us steadfast in this faith,  
and evermore defend us from all adversities,  
for you live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.**

### *First Reading*

***Exodus 34.1-8***

A reading from the book of Exodus

1 The Lord said to Moses, 'Cut two tablets of stone like the former ones, and I will write on the tablets the words that were on the former tablets, which you broke. 2 Be ready in the morning, and come up in the morning to Mount Sinai and present yourself there to me, on the top of the mountain. 3 No one shall come up with you, and do not let anyone be seen throughout all the mountain; and do not let flocks or herds graze in front of that mountain.' 4 So Moses cut two tablets of stone like the former ones; and he rose early in the morning and went up on Mount Sinai, as the Lord had commanded him, and took in his hand the two tablets of stone. 5 The Lord descended in the cloud and stood with him there, and proclaimed the name, 'The Lord .' 6 The Lord passed before him, and proclaimed, 'The Lord , the Lord, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, 7 keeping steadfast love for the thousandth generation, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin, yet by no means clearing the guilty, but visiting the iniquity of the parents upon the children and the children's children, to the third and the fourth generation.' 8 And Moses quickly bowed his head towards the earth, and worshipped.

Hear the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **PSALM - SONG OF 3YM 29-34**

Blessed are you, the God of our forebears:

**worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.**

Blessed is your holy and glorious name:

**worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.**

Blessed are you, glorious in your holy temple:

**worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.**

Blessed are you who behold the depths:

**worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.**

Blessed are you on the throne of your kingdom:

**worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.**

Blessed are you in the heights of heaven:

**worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.**

### ***Second Reading***

***2 Corinthians 13.11–14***

#### **A reading from the second letter to the Corinthians**

11 Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. 12 Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. 13 The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

Hear the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

### ***Gospel Acclamation***

***Alleluia, alleluia!***

Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit; to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

***Alleluia!***

### ***Gospel***

***Matthew 28. 16-20***

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew  
Chapter 28 commencing at verse 16.

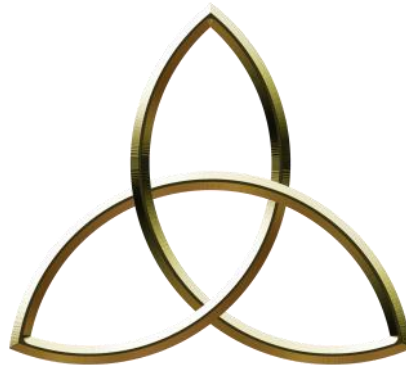
**Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ**

16 Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. 17 When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. 18 And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 19 Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

The Gospel of the Lord

**Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

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**Your Gifts can make such a difference in others lives.**

If you would like to donate non perishable items here are a few suggestions.

- ◇ Pasta & Pasta Sauce
- ◇ 2 minute noodles
- ◇ Small packets of Tea Bags
- ◇ Small containers of Coffee
- ◇ **Long life milk (full Cream)/Juice**
- ◇ Small Toothpaste & individual Toothbrushes
- ◇ Cereal small size box (NO oats)
- ◇ Dry Biscuits (Sao's etc)
- ◇ Spreads (Jam, Vegemite etc.)
- ◇ Rice or Corn Cakes

**Canned & long-life foods with ring pull lids are the best, small to medium size.**

- ◇ Baked Beans & Spaghetti
- ◇ Meats
- ◇ Soups
- ◇ Fruit
- ◇ Tuna/Salmon

**Please NO large containers and ALL food must be "in date". Thank You**

If you would like to assist financially to this ministry you can place a donation in an envelope and mark Emergency Relief and place in the offertory basket.  
Thank you





Australia's  
**BIGGEST  
MORNING  
TEA**

*Thank you*

The morning tea held at  
St John's Taree in May raised

\$500

*for the Cancer Council.*



**SOUP AND DAMPER**

**Pot Luck Dinner**

will be held

in the Parish Hall

@ 5.30pm

Sunday 25th June 2023

All are welcome

## HOLY EUCHARIST READINGS

### SUNDAY 4<sup>th</sup> June – Trinity Sunday

Exodus 34.1-8; Psalm: Song of 3YM 29-34

2 Corinthians 13.11–14; Matthew 28.16–20

### SUNDAY 11<sup>th</sup> June - 2nd after Pentecost

1 Samuel 8. 4-11, 16-20; Psalm: 138

2 Corinthians 4.13–5. 1; Matthew 9. 9-13, 18-26

## WELCOMERS

Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> June		Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> June	
9am	Bruce Walker David Denning	9am	Doreen Sinclair Col Rose
4pm	Beryl Fenwick	4pm	Beryl Fenwick

## READERS

Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> June		Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> June	
9am	Sandra Langford	9am	Hugh McCrindle
4pm	Ken Park	4pm	Sue Prentice

## MORNING TEA

Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> June		Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> June	
Margaret + Les Griffis		Kylie Sanderson + David Denning	

## HYMNS - Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> June

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## BRASS CLEANING for June

Pat Minto

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**TRINITY  
SUNDAY**

When the Lord appeared before Moses, he worshipped. When the eleven disciples saw Jesus risen from the dead, they worshipped.

When we meet the Triune God in our reading of the Scriptures, in our prayers to the Father through Jesus his Son, in our meditation and contemplation in our communion with the Holy Spirit, when we meet together in fellowship with others who know God, we too can do nothing but worship.

- ◆ We pray that our worship of our Triune God might grow richer and deeper.
- ◆ Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of the Province of Central Africa.



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**The Anglican Parish of Taree works to build Faith & Hope in our community despite the struggles around us. Your help to continue this work is essential so please give what you can.**

Gifts can be offered for the Parish or for Mission in 2 ways:

- ◆ Directly into the appropriate baskets before or after each service OR
- ◆ By Electronic Funds Transfer

Many People are finding that this is an easy, fuss free way to maintain their support.

Donations this way can be easily arranged by speaking to your bank directly or set it up through internet banking.

Bank: Westpac
Branch: Taree NSW
Account Name: St John's General Account
BSB: 032-587
Account Number: 120 816
Reference: Parish or Mission recipient eg: ABM

*Some give freely yet grow all the richer;  
others withhold what is due,  
and only suffer want.  
A generous person will be enriched,  
and one who gives water will get water.*

*Proverbs 11:24-25*

**The Anglican Church of Newcastle takes allegations of misconduct and abuse seriously.**

**We welcome and encourage everyone with concerns to come forward.**

**TO REPORT A CRIME TO NSW POLICE RING 131 444 or RING 000 IN AN EMERGENCY**

**TO CONTACT CHILD PROTECTION HELPLINE RING 132 111 or**

**TO CONTACT THE PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS DIRECTOR PLEASE CALL 1800 774 945**

**WRITE: Director of Professional Standards PO Box 494, Newcastle NSW 2300**

**EMAIL: [dps@newcastleanglican.org.au](mailto:dps@newcastleanglican.org.au)**

**IF YOU NEED IMMEDIATE SUPPORT PLEASE CALL LIFELINE ON 13 11 14**

