

# The Living Word

**The Most Holy Trinity, Year C**

**12 June 2022**

## **First Reading Prv 8:22-31**

*Wisdom was born before the earth was made.*

The Wisdom of God cries aloud:

The Lord created me when his purpose  
first unfolded,  
before the oldest of his works.  
From everlasting I was firmly set,  
from the beginning, before earth came  
into being.  
The deep was not, when I was born,  
there were no springs to gush with water.  
Before the mountains were settled,  
before the hills, I came to birth;  
before he made the earth, the  
countryside,  
or the first grains of the world's dust.  
When he fixed the heavens firm, I was  
there,  
when he drew a ring on the surface of  
the deep,  
when he thickened the clouds above,  
when he fixed fast the springs of the  
deep,  
when he assigned the sea its boundaries  
– and the waters will not invade the  
shore –  
when he laid down the foundations of  
the earth,  
I was by his side, a master craftsman,  
delighting him day after day,  
ever at play in his presence,  
at play everywhere in his world,  
delighting to be with the sons of men.

## **Responsorial Psalm**

**Ps 8:4-9. R. v.2**

*(R.) O Lord, our God,  
how wonderful your name  
in all the earth!*

1. When I see the heavens, the work of  
your hands,  
the moon and the stars which you  
arranged,  
what is man that you should keep him  
in mind,  
mortal man that you care for him? (R.)
2. Yet you have made him little less than a  
god;  
with glory and honour you crowned him,  
gave him power over the works of your  
hand,  
put all things under his feet. (R.)
3. All of them, sheep and cattle,  
yes, even the savage beasts,  
birds of the air, and fish  
that make their way through the waters. (R.)

## **Second Reading Rom 5:1-5**

*To God through Christ in the love which is poured out through  
the Spirit.*

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, by faith we  
are judged righteous and at peace with  
God, since it is by faith and through Jesus  
that we have entered this state of grace in  
which we can boast about looking forward to  
God's glory. But that is not all we can boast  
about; we can boast about our sufferings.  
These sufferings bring patience, as we  
know, and patience brings perseverance,  
and perseverance brings hope, and this  
hope is not deceptive, because the love of  
God has been poured into our hearts by the  
Holy Spirit which has been given us.



## **Gospel Acclamation See Apoc 1:8**

*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 Jn 16:12-15**

*Whatever the Father has is mine. The Spirit will receive what I give and tell you about it.*

Jesus said to his disciples:

'I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now. But when the Spirit of truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth, since he will not be speaking as from himself but will say only what he has learnt; and he will tell you of the things to come. He will glorify me, since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine. Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: All he tells you will be taken from what is mine.'

## **Reflection by Fr Michael Tate**

The Feast of the Trinity of God comes about because Jesus painted a picture of the most intimate communion of Divine Life between Himself, the Father, and the Holy Spirit. This is a relationship and yet the most perfect unity.

God is Divine pulsating, shimmering light dancing in threefold exchange of love. In fact, the best name for God is 'Being-in-Love'. What does this mean for us?

How often have you heard: 'You are made in the image and likeness of God'? If God is threefold Being-in-Love, then you and I are made to live in relationship – not in solitary. We are totally on the wrong track if we think that the ultimate good is to be self-sufficient. It will turn out to be a Hellish choice. When we live as much self-giving as is possible, we are closest to Divine Life. In fact, we are Divine Life pulsating into a particular time and place through us.

Each time we bless ourselves, a bit of a Catholic routine, we are invoking the threefold exchange of love and calling its power into our life. Be careful, there will be consequence! You could become more God-like!

We could pause for a moment, slowly make the Sign of the Cross which recalls our baptism: 'In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit', and promise to image that Name in our lives.

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# HOLY TRINITY

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We acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land on which we gather, the Wathaurong people. We pay our respects to them for their care of the land. May we walk gently and respectfully in the land.

We are committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children, young people and vulnerable adults.

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Rev Fr Darien J Sticklen  
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### WEEKEND MASS TIMES

BARWON HEADS:	Saturday Vigil 6:00pm
	Sunday 9:30am, Mass for
	St Mary's Syro-Malabar
	Community (Malayalam
	language)
OCEAN GROVE:	Sunday 9:00am
QUEENSCLIFF:	Sunday 11:00am

### WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Please see below: Liturgy in our Parish this week

### THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

is available prior to each weekend Mass,  
and also before or after weekday Masses if needed

### BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS

Please visit our website or contact Parish office

Please send in bulletin notices by Thursday

## The Most Holy Trinity Year C

### Anniversaries 12<sup>th</sup> June to 18<sup>th</sup> June:

Marie Wallis, Noreen Granger, Mary Drury, Ron Norton, Ian McPherson, Rejane Stevenson, Adam Wood, Eleanor Campbell, Jessica Reid, Mildred Donnelly, Marie Purcell, Claire Prowse and Brendan Keilar.

### Please pray for those who are Sick:

Elly Anwyl, Peg Benham, Mary Blonk, Ron & Helen Carter, Sam & Yvonne Caruana, Carmel Conte, Connie D'Amico, Wellington D'Cruz, Benedict Darby, Jack Davin, Ian Downing, Robert Drummond & Patti Semler, Margaret Dyer, Isabel Fitzgerald, Nell Fraigneux, Kay Freyne, Ross Gilham, Jo Green, Peter Harrington, Jeannette Hodgkinson, Gregory Holien, Robert & Lyne Horner, Kerin Hoye, Robert Hurley, Gary Kingsbury, John Kirkman, Hilda Koertjes, Margaret Lomas, Toni Lukauskas, Belinda Monterosso, Christine Naulty, Helen Pearce, Cecilia Picc, Ros Quinlan, Mavourneen Ray, Margaret Renwick (Snr), Daniel & Geraldine Richards, Sean Richards, Betty Rushton, Emerson Russel (baby), Mac & Mary Sullivan, Pam Sullivan, Kevin Teasdale, Cooper Thorley, Eraldo (Aldo) Trentini, Deanne Warren, Susan Weston, Peter Williams and Shirley Woodruff.

### ROSTERS

*If you are unable to meet your commitment on your day,  
please arrange a substitute. Thank you!*

**COMMENTATOR (C), LECTOR (L), SPECIAL MINISTER (SM),  
WELCOMERS (W), PROJECTIONIST (P)**

### OCEAN GROVE: 19<sup>th</sup> June at 9:00am:

(C) Anthony Dowling (L) Majella O'Connor (SM) Luci Quinn, Dan O'Meara (W) Remo & Naomi Bianco

### COUNTERS: Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June at 10:00am:

Remo & Naomi Bianco.

### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT SAFEGUARDING – VOLUNTEERS, WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECKS AND COVID VACCINATIONS:**

National regulations have been in place for some time regarding volunteers in any community organisation. How this applies in our Parish is that all volunteers must be fully vaccinated and hold a current Working With Children Check (WWCC). This includes all members of ministry, flower arrangers, singers/musicians, etc. A volunteer WWCC is free with applications completed online or at select Post Offices. Your WWCC must be registered at the Parish Office. If you have any enquiries or need assistance with your WWCC, please contact the Parish Office 5258 1673 or via email. The Parish must also keep a record of all volunteers within the parish. If your details are not up to date, please contact the Parish Office as soon as possible.

*We appreciate your understanding and support as we work together to comply with our legal requirements.*

### **\*\* NEWS & EVENTS \*\***

**If you require Pastoral care & support, or you are aware of others who may need assistance, please phone our Parish office. Mobile number for emergencies is on the recorded message.**

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**Blessing of the Columbarium:** Fr Darien is blessing the Columbarium at Ocean Grove this weekend, Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> June, after morning Mass.



**Ocean Grove ministry roster:** if any volunteer has been inadvertently left off the roster, please inform the Parish office or us so we can make necessary adjustments.

- Monica Meagher, Brenda Bissinella and Maureen Earls.

**FEAST OF THE HOLY TRINITY, Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> June:** to celebrate this important feast day in our part of the parish of Holy Trinity, there will be a soup lunch in the Sister Patrice (Multipurpose) Room, after 11am Mass. Members and friends of Holy Trinity as well as families of St. Aloysius are all welcome. Thank you, Eva Millie.

**Stewardship Envelopes:** Envelopes for the coming year for those, who have been using envelopes for their contributions, over the past 12 months, are now available at the back of the Church. The Finance Committee would like to thank you and those using Bank transfer and Credit card payments for their continued support of the Parish. Over the past two years, income from Stewardship contributions has fallen by nearly 25%. If more parishioners can now see their way clear to join or increase their current contributions to the Stewardship Program, it would be most appreciated. Please contact Daniella at the Parish office on 5258 1673 or by email ([queenscliff@cam.org.au](mailto:queenscliff@cam.org.au)).

**Upcoming annual appeal and special collection:**

- St Vincent de Paul Society – Winter Appeal – to be held on the weekend of 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> June.
- Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne – Peter's Pence – to be held on the weekend of 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> June.

*Please give generously, as you always do.*

**TAR Catholic Social Justice Corner (weekly update):** Pope Francis, *Laudato Si, (Care for our Common Home)* p203: "Since the market tends to promote consumerism in an effort to sell its products, people can easily get caught up in a whirlwind of needlessly buying and spending. Compulsive consumerism is one example of how techno-economic paradigm affects individuals. This paradigm leads people to believe that they are free as long as they have the supposed freedom to consume."

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**LITURGY IN OUR PARISH THIS WEEK**

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> June – St Anthony of Padua (Memorial)**  
*Public Holiday*

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June – Weekday, Ordinary Time 11**  
9:15am Mass at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Ocean Grove  
11:00am Requiem Mass (funeral) for John Simpson  
at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Ocean Grove

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June – Weekday, Ordinary Time 11**  
9:15am Mass at Holy Trinity, Queenscliff

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> June – Weekday, Ordinary Time 11**  
9:15am Mass at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Ocean Grove

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June – Weekday, Ordinary Time 11**  
9:15am Mass at Holy Trinity, Queenscliff

**Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> June – Weekday, Ordinary Time 11**

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> June – The Most Holy BODY and BLOOD of CHRIST**  
(Corpus Christi) (Solemnity)

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**Prayers**

*Praying with the Pope in June*

**Families**

We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

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