



# KNOX CHURCH, DUNEDIN

*growing in courage to live the Jesus way*

10am – Sunday 2 July 2017

Pentecost 4

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## Pre service music

*"Love Divine, all loves excelling"*

*"Herzlich lieb hab ich dich, O Herr"* (Heart felt love have I for you, O God)

*"Rockingham"* (When I survey the wondrous cross)

Healey Willan (1880-1968)

Gottfried Kirchhoff (1685-1746)

Kenneth Leighton (1929-88)

## Welcome

**Introit** *"Ubi Caritas - Where charity and love are found, God is there"*

Ola Gjelio (b. 1976)

Jesse Hanan & Grace Togneri - soloists

## Call To Worship

Kia noho a Ihowa kia koutou. May God be with you.

**Ma Ihowa koe e manaaki. May God bless you.**

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;  
the whole earth is full of his glory.

**The Lord of hosts is with us.**

Let us lift up our hearts!

**We lift them up to the Lord!**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

**It is a good and joyful thing to give God thanks and praise!**

Let us pray:

**Holy God,**

**we come together as your people**

**searching for sacred space,**

**longing to be cherished,**

**craving a real connection.**

**In this hour of worship**

**let thankfulness sink deep**

**and joy spring up.**

**We lift our hearts and souls and minds**

**to the God of our creation,**

**for we are wholly yours**

**now and forever.**

**Amen.**

## Hymn “God the Father of Creation”

(Cwm Rhondda) CH4 113 - Iain D. Cunningham

1 God the Farther of Creation,  
source of life and energy,  
your creative love so shapes us  
that we share your liberty.  
Teach us how to use this freedom  
loving children all to be.  
loving children all to be.

2 Jesus Christ our Lord and brother,  
in your cross we see the way  
to be servants for each other,  
caring, suffering every day.  
Teach us patience and obedience  
never from your path to stray.  
never from your path to stray.

3 Holy Spirit, love that binds us  
to the Father and the Son,  
giver of the joy that fills us,  
yours the peace that makes us one,  
teach our hearts to be more open  
as we pray ‘God’s will be done.’  
as we pray ‘God’s will be done.’

4 Members of our Saviours’ body,  
here on earth his life to be,  
though we stand as different people,  
may we share the unity  
of the Father, Son and Spirit,  
perfect love in Trinity.  
perfect love in Trinity.

## Prayer of Praise and Confession, Assurance of Forgiveness

E te whanau ... all are God’s beloved people. **Thanks be to God.**

## Passing the Peace

Kia tau tonu te rangimarie o te Ariki ki a koutou;  
The peace of Christ be with you all. **And also with you.**

## Anthem “Laudate Dominum - Praise the Lord” - Solemn Vespers

W A Mozart (1756-91)  
Calla Knudson-Hollebon - soloist

## Conversation with youngmembers

### Hymn “Gather us in”

(Gather us in) CH4 623 - Marty Haugen

1 Here in this place new light is streaming,  
now is the darkness vanished away,  
see, in this space our fears and our  
dreamings,  
brought here to you in the light of this day.  
Gather us in – the lost and forsaken,  
gather us in – the blind and the lame:  
call to us now, and we shall awaken,  
we shall arise at the sound of our name.

2 We are the young – our lives are a  
mystery,  
we are the old – who yearn for your face,  
we have been sung throughout all of  
history,  
called to be light to the whole human race.  
Gather us in – the rich and the haughty,  
gather us in – the proud and the strong;  
give us a heart so meek and so lowly,  
give us the courage to enter the song.

3 Not in the dark of buildings confining,  
not in some heaven, light years away,  
but here in this place, the new light is  
shining,  
now is the Kingdom, now is the day.  
Gather us in and hold us for ever,  
gather us in and make us your own;  
gather us in – all peoples together,  
fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

**Reading**            **Genesis 22:1-14, Romans 6:12-23**

*Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church*    **Thanks be to God**

**Gospel**            **Matthew 10:40-42**

*This is the Gospel of Jesus Christ*    **Praise to Christ the Word**

**Sermon ‘Doing The Right Thing’**

**Hymn “Longing for Light”**

CH4 543 - Bernadette Farrell

1 Longing for light, we wait in darkness.  
Longing for truth, we turn to you.  
Make us your own, your holy people,  
light for the world to see.

*Christ, be our light!*

*Shine in our hearts.*

*Shine through the darkness.*

*Christ, be our light!*

*Shine in your Church gathered today.*

2 Longing for peace, our world is troubled;  
longing for hope, many despair.  
Your word alone has power to save us;  
make us your living voice. [*Refrain*]

3 Longing for food, many are hungry;  
longing for water, many still thirst.  
Make us your bread, broken for others;  
shared until all are fed. [*Refrain*]

4 Longing for shelter, many are homeless;  
longing for warmth, many are cold.  
Make us your building, sheltering others;  
walls made of living stone. [*Refrain*]

5 Many the gifts, many the people;  
many the hearts that yearn to belong.  
Let us be servants to one another;  
making your kingdom come. [*Refrain*]

## Prayer for others, then ...

Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the  
glory are yours  
now and for ever. Amen.  
E to mātou Matua i te rangi.  
Kia tapu tōu Ingoa:

Kia tae mai tōu rangatiratanga:  
Kia meatia tau e pai ai ki runga ki te  
whenua  
kia rite ano ki tō te rangi.  
Homai ki a mātou āiane he taro mā  
mātou mō tēnei ra.  
Murua o mātou hara, me mātou hoki e  
muru nei  
i o te hunga e hara ana ki a matou.  
Aua hoki mātou e kawea kia whakawaia  
Engari whakaorangia mātou i te kino.  
Nou hoki te rangatiratanga, te kaha me te  
kororia  
ake ake ake  
Amine

## Notices

### Offering and Dedication

*"Agnus Dei - O Lamb of God, grant is peace"*

Antonio Lotti (1677-1740)

*We recognise and bless the gifts brought to the table,  
and those which wing their way electronically from our banks to the Church's account.*

### Hymn *"For the life that you have given"*

(8.7.8.7.D) GtG 717 - Carl P. Daw Jr

For the life that you have given,  
for the love in Christ made known,  
with these fruits of time and labour,  
with these gifts that are your own:  
here we offer, Lord, our praises;  
heart and mind and strength we bring.  
Give us grace to love and serve you,  
living what we pray and sing.

### Three fold Amen, then Postlude

*"Toccata on Jerusalem" (And did those feet)*

Karen Knudson (2007)

This morning's worship is led by Bishop Kelvin Wright

**You are invited to morning tea after worship, in the Gathering Area.**