



# KNOX CHURCH, DUNEDIN

*growing in courage to live the Jesus way*

10am – Sunday 21 January 2018

Third Sunday of Epiphany

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Pre service music *"The Old Castle" from 'Pictures at an exhibition'* Modest Petrovitch Mussorgsky (1839-81)

Welcome

## Call to Worship

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

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

To the fishermen Jesus said: **"Follow me and I will make you fish for people."**

To the tax collector Jesus said: **"Follow me."**

At the last supper Jesus said: **"Follow me."**

To you and to me and to all of us Jesus says: **Follow me!**

Let us worship God

## Hymn *"Great ring of light"*

AA 57 - Colin Gibson

1 Great ring of light, true circle with no ending;  
clear beam so bright, whose purpose knows no bending;  
O Word of God, in darkness always shining out.

2 A man who cried upon a cross at Calvary;  
for him who died an empty tomb, a mystery;  
O risen Christ, all pain and loss transcending.

3 Immortal fire of love forever yearning  
flame of desire for our salvation burning;  
Spirit divine, our friend and present comforter.

4 The light shines still, the eternal Word has spoken;  
on Calvary's hill the power of death is broken;  
and I receive the life, the joy, the loving.

## Prayer, Assurance of Forgiveness and Passing the Peace

E te whanau, in Christ we are forgiven. All are God's beloved people.

**Thanks be to God.**

Kia tau tonu te rangimarie o te Ariki ki a koutou;

The peace of Christ be with you all. **And also with you.**

# Conversation with young members

## Hymn “*One more step*”

(Southcote) CH4 530 - Sydney Bertram Carter

1 One more step along the world I go,  
one more step along the world I go;  
from the old things to the new  
keep me travelling along with you:  
*And it's from the old I travel to the new;  
keep me travelling along with you.*

2 Round the corners of the world I turn,  
more and more about the world I learn;  
all the new things that I see  
you'll be looking at along with me: *[Refrain]*

3 As I travel through the bad and good,  
keep me travelling the way I should;  
where I see no way to go  
you'll be telling me the way, I know:  
*[Refrain]*

4 You are older than the world can be,  
you are younger than the life in me;  
ever old and ever new,  
keep me travelling along with you:  
*[Refrain]*

Reading          Jonah 3:1-5, 10  
                         1 Corinthians 7:29-31

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

Gospel            Mark 1:14-20

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

Sermon          ‘The Call’

## Hymn “*Lord, you have come to the seashore*”

(Pescador de Hombres) CH4 532 - Cesáreo Gabaráin

1 Lord, you have come to the seashore,  
neither searching for the rich nor the wise,  
desiring only that I should follow.  
*O Lord, with your eyes set upon me, gently  
smiling, you have spoken my name.  
All I longed for I have found by the water,  
at your side I will seek other shores.*

2 Lord, see my goods, my possessions;  
in my boat you find no power, no wealth.  
Will you accept, then, my nets and labour?  
*[Refrain]*

3 Lord, take my hands, and direct them.  
Help me spend myself in seeking the lost,  
returning love for the love you gave me.  
*[Refrain]*

4 Lord, as I drift on the waters,  
be the resting-place of my restful heart,  
my life's companion, my friend and refuge.  
*[Refrain]*

## Prayer for others, then ...

Anglican prayer book

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 tō mātou Matua i te rangi  
Kia tapu tōu Ingoa.  
Kia tae mai tōu rangatiratanga.  
Kia meatia tāu e pai ai  
ki runga ki te whenua,  
kia rite anō ki tō te rangi.  
Hōmai ki a mātou āiane  
he taro mā mātou mō tēnei rā.  
Murua ō mātou hara,  
Me mātou hoki e muru nei  
i ō te hunga e hara ana ki a mātou.  
Āua hoki mātou e kawea kia whakawaia;  
Engari whakaorangia mātou i te kino:  
Nōu hoki te rangatiratanga, te kaha,  
me te korōria, Āke āke āke. Āmine.

## Notices

### Offering and Dedication "*Saraband*"

Herbert Sumsion (1899-1995)

*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 "*Will you come and follow me*" (Kelvingrove) CH4 533 - Graham Maule & John Bell

1 Will you come and follow me  
if I but call your name?  
Will you go where you don't know  
and never be the same?  
Will you let my love be shown,  
will you let my name be known,  
will you let my life be grown  
in you and you in me?

2 Will you leave yourself behind  
if I but call your name?  
Will you care for cruel and kind  
and never be the same?  
Will you risk the hostile stare  
should your life attract or scare?  
Will you let me answer prayer  
in you and you in me?

3 Will you love the 'you' you hide  
if I but call your name?  
Will you quell the fear inside  
and never be the same?  
Will you use the faith you've found  
to reshape the world around,  
through my sight and touch and sound  
in you and you in me?

4 Lord, your summons echoes true  
when you but call my name.  
Let me turn and follow you  
and never be the same.  
In your company I'll go  
where your love and footsteps show.  
Thus I'll move and live and grow  
in you and you in me.

Benediction, then Postlude *“Festival Voluntary”*

Flor Peeters (1903-86)

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