



# KNOX CHURCH, DUNEDIN

*alive to God's Spirit*

10am – Sunday 26 August 2018  
Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost  
Youth Service

**Pre service music** “Heart and Soul” Hoagy Carmichael (1899-1981)

Darcy Baldwin/organ

“The heart of Love” Mons Leidvin Takle (b. 1942); “Leibster Jesu- Dearest Jesus, we are here” J S Bach (1685-1750)

**Welcome**

**Introit** “Blest are the pure in heart- for they shall see our God”

Malcom Archer (b. 1952)

**Call to Worship**

(based on Psalm 84)

**Kia noho a Ihowa ki a koutou. The Lord be with you.**

Ma Ihowa koe e manaaki. The Lord bless you.

**How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord of hosts!**

Our hearts and whole bodies sing for joy for the living God!

**Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself,**

where she may lay her young at your altars, O Lord of hosts.

**As we go through the valley of sadness,**

You make it a place of springs, the early rain covers it with pools.

**Our hearts long for your courts O God.**

A day in them is better than a thousand elsewhere.

**You are our sun and our shield and happy are we when we trust in you.**

**Let us worship God.**

**Hymn “Beneath the Southern Cross”**

Malcolm Gordon & Catherine Burton

*From the ends of the earth We will sing;*

*God is here, the kingdom is near*

*in the Land of the Long White Cloud*

*Christ to dwell, Immanuel.*

1 From north and south, from east and west,

beneath the Southern Cross we rest.

Found by One who came for all

in this tale of spacious love we're born.

2 This whenua on which we stand,  
this holy ground made by God's hand.

Marred and scarred yet marked by grace.  
Held and healed in Christ we find our  
place. [*Refrain*]

3 God of nations, at thy feet  
in the bonds of love we meet.  
Strangers once, now called as one.  
Aotearoa, wake to greet this love.  
[*Refrain*]

# 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**

**Anthem** *"Dona Nobis Pacem- Give us peace"*

Ola Gjeilo (b. 1978)

## Conversation with young members

### Hymn *"Brother, Sister, let me serve you"*

AA8 - Richard Gillard

1 Brother, sister, let me serve you,  
let me be as Christ to you,  
pray that I may have the grace  
to let you be my servant too.

4 I will weep when you are weeping,  
when you laugh, I'll laugh with you,  
I will share your joy and sorrow  
till we've seen this journey through.

2 We are pilgrims on a journey,  
we are travellers on the road,  
we are here to help each other  
walk the mile and bear the load.

5 When we sing to God in heaven,  
we shall find such harmony,  
born of all we've known together  
of Christ's love, and agony.

3 I will hold the Christ-light for you  
in the night-time of your fear,  
I will hold my hand out to you,  
speak the peace you long to hear.

6 Brother, sister, let me serve you,  
let me be as Christ to you,  
pray that I may have the grace  
to let you be my servant too.

**Gospel**      **John 6:56-69**

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

**Reading**      **Ephesians 6:10-20**

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

**Sermon**      **'An interview with Paul'**

## Hymn “Amazing Grace”

1 Amazing grace! how sweet the sound  
that saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found,  
was blind but now I see.

2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
and grace my fears relieved;  
how precious did that grace appear  
the hour I first believed!

## 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.**

## Notices

### Offering and Dedication “Minuet”

*“My Song shall be of Mercy and Justice”*

### Hymn “Be Thou my Vision”

1 Be thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart;  
naught be all else to me, save that thou  
art;  
thou my best thought in the day or the  
night,  
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

CH4 555<sub>(2)</sub> - words: John Newton, music arr. John Bell

3 Through many dangers, toils, and snares  
I have already come;  
'tis grace that brought me safe thus far,  
and grace will lead me home.

4 The Lord has promised good to me,  
his word my hope secures;  
he will my shield and portion be  
as long as life endures.

*Anglican prayer book*

**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.**

J S Bach (1685-1750)

Richard Madden (b. 1953, Dunedin composer)

Darcy Baldwin/organ

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2 Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true  
Word;  
I ever with thee, and thou with me, Lord;  
thou my great Father: thine own I would  
be;  
thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee.

3 Be thou my breastplate, my sword for  
the fight;  
be thou my dignity, thou my delight,  
thou my soul's shelter, and thou my high  
tower;  
raise thou me heavenward, O Power of my  
power.

4 Riches I heed not, nor earth's empty  
praise,  
thou mine inheritance, now and always;  
thou, and thou only, first in my heart,  
High King of Heaven, my treasure thou art.

5 High King of Heaven, after victory won,  
may I reach heaven's joys, O bright  
heaven's sun!  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,  
still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

## Benediction

**May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God our Creator and the  
companionship of the Holy Spirit be with us all, now and always: AMEN** (*sung*)

## Sung Blessing "*Arohanui Blessing*"

AA95 - words: Joy Cowley, music: Ian Render

*Choir and Knox Ahi Kā sing first three lines, then congregation join in singing from  
beginning.*

May the mystery of God enfold us, may the wisdom of God uphold us,  
may the fragrance of God be around us,  
may the brightness of God surround us,  
**May the wonder of God renew us, may the loving of God flow through us,  
may the peace of God deeply move us,  
may the moving of God bring us peace.**

## Postlude "*Angels Toccata*"

K Knudson  
Tegen Baldwin/organ