



KNOX CHURCH, DUNEDIN

called to be a community following Jesus

10am – Sunday 7 July 2019

Matariki

Pre service music *“Prelude”*
“Praeludium”

Cesar Franck (1860)
Josef Seger (1716-82)

We are welcomed in God’s love

We are invited to worship

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

Ma Ihowa koe e manaaki. May God bless you.

In the time of darkness, light emerges:

Light to guide us on.

In the heart of a southern winter

We celebrate the turning of the earth

In the calendar’s mid year

We celebrate the new year, Matariki.

God, you dance in the stars, promising Spring hope and light and love.

You join us to the renewal your Spirit brings.

Let us worship God.

We sing God’s praise

1 O Lord my God! when I in awesome
wonder
consider all the works thy hand hath made,
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,
thy power throughout the universe
displayed:

*Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
‘How great thou art, how great thou art!’*

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(How Great Thou Art) CH4 154 – Translator: Stuart Hine

2 When through the woods and forest
glades I wander
and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
when I look up from lofty mountain
grandeur,
and hear the brook, and feel the gentle
breeze:

Whakaaria mai

Tōu rīpeka ki au

Tiaho mai

Rā roto i te pō

Hei kona au

Titiro atu ai

Ora, mate

Hei au koe noho ai

We pray and are assured of God's great love

E te whanau, in Christ we are forgiven. **Thanks be to God.**

We share the peace of Christ

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

And also with you.

We prepare to hear God's Word

We sing

AA 115 – Hirini Melbourne

1 Parea nei e te hau
horoia e te ua
whiti whitia e te ra,
mahea ake nga poraruru,
makere ana nga here.

Translation (not sung)
*Cleansed by the wind
washed by the rain
shining with the sun,
our burdens lifted
our bonds untied.*

2 E rere Wairua, e rere
ki nga ao o te rangi.
Whiti whitia e te ra,
mahea ake nga poraruru,
makere ana nga here,
makere ana nga here.

*Soar Spirit, soar
to heavenly places,
shining with the sun,
our burdens lifted
our bonds untied
our bonds untied.*

We listen for God's Word

2 Kings 5:1-14

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

Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

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

'Receiving from the edge'

Sacrament of Baptism

We sing

(LM) AA 96 – Shirley Murray

1 New child of God, come to be blessed,
here in the Church, your life is claimed:
signed with the cross of Jesus Christ,
by word and water, you are named.

3 And as you grow, may you be led
to know the Love who gave you light,
to stretch and feel your spirit's wings,
to trust, and like a bird take flight.

2 In air that's free, a land that's just,
where children thrive and people care,
where Christ is honoured, not denied,
may aroha be yours to share.

Fred Maxwell High (b. 6 June 2019), the son of Anna and Ryan Maxwell is baptised. We welcome family and friends present for the baptism. We pray for his godparents, overseas, unable to be present. The elder is Patti Matheson.

Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

Commitment of Congregation

You who are gathered here represent the whole Church, the Church catholic. Word and Sacrament bring you the joy of Christ's presence in your midst. They also bring you responsibilities as Christ's people in this place. Do you welcome Fred; and do you renew your commitment, with God's help, to live before all God's children in a kindly and Christian way, and to share with them the knowledge and love of Christ?

We do. We will nurture one another in faith, uphold one another in prayer, encourage one another in service.

We sing

(LM) CH4 796

The Lord bless you and keep you;
the Lord make his face to shine upon you,
and be gracious unto you:
the Lord lift up his countenance upon you
and give you peace.

We pray for others

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.

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.

We share news and offer ourselves to God

"Bis du Bei Mir" (I will not forget my Jesus)

J S Bach (1685-1750)

*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.*

We sing

1 Go to the world! Go into all the earth;
go preach the cross where Christ renews
life's worth,
baptising as the sign on our rebirth.
Alleluia!

2 Go to the world! Go into every place;
go live the word of God's redeeming grace;
go seek God's presence in each time and
space.
Alleluia!

(Engelberg or Sine Nomine) CH4 683 – Sylvia Dunstan
3 Go to the world! Go struggle, bless, and
pray;
the nights of tears give way to joyful day.
As servant Christ, you follow Christ's own
way.
Alleluia!

4 Go to the world! Go as the ones I send,
for I am with you till the age shall end,
when all the hosts of glory cry, 'Amen'.
Alleluia!

We are blessed in going

Postlude *"Finlandia- Be still my soul"*

Jean Sibelius (1865-1957) Op 26 no 7, arr H A Fricker