



# KNOX CHURCH, DUNEDIN

*called to be a community following Jesus*

10am – Sunday 6 October 2019

World Communion

Seventeenth Sunday of Pentecost

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## Pre service music

*“Andante Religioso”*

Henry Smart (1813-79)

*“Vater unser im Himmelreich (Our Father in Heaven: Lord's Prayer)”* BuxWV 219 Dietrich Buxtehude (1637-1707)

## We are invited to worship

(from Psalm 37)

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

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

Trust in God and do good:

**You shall dwell in the land and find safe pasture.**

Find your delight in God:

**God will give you your God-shaped desires.**

Commit your life to God:

**Put your trust in the one who will act for you.**

Be still before God and wait in patience:

**Those who wait shall receive what God promises.**

Let us worship God.

## We sing

(Bunessan) CH4 212 - Eleanor Farjeon

1 Morning has broken  
like the first morning,  
Blackbird has spoken  
like the first bird.  
Praise for the singing,  
praise for the morning,  
praise for them springing,  
fresh from the world!

2 Sweet the rain's new fall  
sunlit from heaven,  
Like the first dewfall  
on the first grass.  
Praise for the sweetness  
of the wet garden,  
sprung in completeness  
where his feet pass.

3 Mine is the sunlight;  
mine is the morning,  
born of the one light  
Eden saw play!  
Praise with elation,  
praise every morning,  
God's recreation  
of the new day!

## 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 are introduced to the theme of the day

### We sing

(Highwood) GtG 818 - Dietrich Bonhoeffer (1906-1945)

tr. Fred Pratt Green & Keith Clements

1 By gracious powers so wonderfully  
sheltered,  
and confidently waiting, come what may,  
we know that God is with us night and  
morning  
and never fails to greet us each new day.

3 And when this cup you give is filled to  
brimming  
with bitter suffering, hard to understand,  
we take it thankfully, and without  
trembling,  
out of so good and so beloved a hand.

2 Yet is this heart by its old foe tormented,  
still evil days bring burdens hard to bear;  
O give our frightened souls the sure  
salvation  
for which, O Lord, you taught us to prepare.

4 Yet when again in this same world you  
give us  
the joy we had, the brightness of your sun,  
we shall remember all the days we lived  
through,  
and our whole life shall then be yours alone.

## We listen for God's Word

### Lamentations 1:1-6, 3:19-26

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

### Luke 17:5-10

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

## 'When service gets tough'

## We sing

(Noël Nouvelet) CH4 417 - John M C Crum

1 Now the green blade riseth from the buried grain,  
wheat that in the dark earth many days has lain;  
love lives again, that with the dead has been:

*Love is come again,  
like wheat that springeth green.*

2 In the grave they laid him, Love whom men had slain,  
thinking that never he would wake again,  
laid in the earth like grain that sleeps unseen: [*Refrain*]

3 Forth he came at Easter, like the risen grain,  
he that for three days in the grave had lain,  
quick from the dead my risen Lord is seen:  
[*Refrain*]

4 When our hearts are wintry, grieving, or in pain,  
thy touch can call us back to life again,  
fields of our hearts that dead and bare have been: [*Refrain*]

## We pray for others

**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.**

*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.**

## We share news and offer ourselves to God

*"Kyrie, Gott Vater in Ewigkeit (Lord, God the Father for Evermore) BWV 672 from 'Clavier-Ubung III'*

Johann Sebastian 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.*

## Communion *"Communion"*

Theodore Dubois (1837-1924)

## We sing

1 Great is thy faithfulness, O God my  
Father,  
there is no shadow of turning with thee;  
thou changest not, thy compassions they  
fail not,  
as thou hast been thou for ever wilt be.

*Great is thy faithfulness!*

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*Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
all I have needed thy hand hath provided –  
great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me.*

2 Summer and winter, and seed-time and  
harvest,  
sun, moon, and stars in their courses above,  
join with all nature in manifold witness  
to thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.  
[Refrain]

## We are sent

## Postlude

*“Praeludium in E minor”*

(Faithfulness) CH4 153 - Thomas O Chisholm

3 Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
thine own dear presence to cheer and to  
guide;  
strength for today and bright hope for  
tomorrow,  
blessings all mine, with ten thousand  
beside. [Refrain]

Nicolaus Bruhns (1665-97)

Organ played by Peter Stockwell