

**GISBORNE PRESBYTERIAN PARISH  
WELCOME TO ST ANDREW'S GISBORNE**

*Matawhero Church – Church Lane  
St Andrew's Church and Community Centre:  
176 Cobden Street, Gisborne*

*21 June 2020*

*Pentecost 3*

*World Refugee Day*



**Ministers:** *All the people in Christ*

**Minister:** *Rev Jin Sook Kim*

**Reader:** *Pauline Ross*

**Organist:** *David Russell*

**Director of Music:** *Catherine Macdonald*

We gather together as the people of God

## **Welcome & Notices**

*We take a few moments of silence to prepare ourselves to worship God*

*The Bible and Candle, representing the Light of Christ among us, will be carried into the Church during the singing of the Introit.*

*Please remain seated during the singing.*

**Introit** – Make me a channel of your peace, © 1967 OCP Publications, CH4  
#528 verses 1 and 3)

**Make me a channel of your peace.**

**Where there is hatred let me bring your love;  
where there is injury, your pardon, Lord;  
and where there's doubt, true faith in you.**

*Refrain      Oh, master, grant that I may never seek  
so much to be consoled as to console;  
to be understood as to understand;  
to be loved, as to love with all my soul.*

**Make me a channel of your peace.**

**It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,  
in giving of ourselves that we receive;  
and in dying that we're born to eternal life.**

## **Call to worship**

Welcome! This is a time to celebrate and worship God who loves us!

**We are grateful and thankful for all God's blessings in our lives.**

We gather to remember that Christ gave his life for us.

**We humbly praise God for such a gift!**

Come, friends! Come and worship the God of love and hope.

**Praise be to God at all times and in all places! AMEN.**

*We sing* – Jesus calls us! O'er the tumult (CH4 #509, verses 1- 3 and 5)  
Music Edward Henry Thorne

**Jesus calls us! O'er the tumult  
Of our life's wild restless sea,  
Day by day his voice is sounding,  
Saying, 'Christian, follow me'.**

**As, of old, Saint Andrew heard it  
By the Galilean lake,  
Turned from home and toil and kindred,  
Leaving all for his dear sake.**

**Jesus calls us from the worship  
of the vain world's golden store,  
from each idol that would keep us,  
saying, Christian, love me more'.**

**Jesus calls us! By your mercy,  
Saviour, make us hear your call,  
Give our hearts to your obedience,  
Serve and love you best of all.**

*Prayer of praise and confession*

*Words of Assurance*

*Story Time – Stone soup*

*Question: What has the stone soup brought to the village people?*



*We sing* – O master let me walk with Thee, author: Washington Gladden,  
TUNE MARYTON CH4 #662 vv 1 - 4

**O Master, let me walk with Thee  
in lowly paths of service free;  
tell me Thy secret; help me bear  
the strain of toil, the fret of care.**

**Help me the slow of heart to move  
by some clear, winning word of love;  
teach me the wayward feet to stay,  
and guide them in the homeward way.**

**Teach me Thy patience, still with Thee  
in closer, dearer company,  
in work that keeps faith sweet and strong,  
in trust that triumphs over wrong.**

**In hope that sends a shining ray  
far down the future's broad'ning way;  
in peace that only Thou canst give,  
with Thee, O Master, let me live.**

*Readings (Pauline Ross)*

**First reading: Romans 6:1b-11 (NRSV)**

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

*Gospel reading: Matthew 10:24-39 (NRSV)*

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

*Sermon – Not peace, but a sword!*

*Anthem* – You, Lord, are both Lamb and Shepherd (CH4 #355,  
verses 1-4; TUNE: PICARDY), Words © 1991, GIA Publications Inc.

You, Lord, are both lamb and shepherd,  
you, Lord, are both prince and slave,  
you, peacemaker and sword bringer  
of the way you took and gave.  
You, the everlasting instant,  
you whom we both scorn and crave.

Clothed in light upon the mountain,  
stripped of might upon the cross,  
shining in eternal glory,  
begged by a soldier's toss.  
You, the everlasting instant,  
you who are our gift and cost.

You who walk each day beside us,  
sit in power at God's side,  
you who preach a way that's narrow  
have a love that reaches wide.  
You, the everlasting instant,  
you who are our pilgrim guide.

Worthy is our earthly Jesus,  
worthy is our cosmic Christ,  
worthy your defeat and vict'ry,  
worthy still your peace and strife.  
You, the everlasting instant,  
you who are our death and life.

*Prayers of Intercession*

*Gwenda Crawshaw*

Leader: God, You are our light.

Response: **We will follow wherever you lead.**

## **Offering**

**Almighty and merciful God,  
whose Son became a refugee and had no place to call his own;  
look with mercy on those who today are fleeing from danger,  
homeless and hungry.  
Bless those who work to bring them relief;  
inspire generosity and compassion in all our hearts;  
and guide the nations of the world towards that day when all will  
rejoice in your Kingdom of justice and of peace;  
Make us the channel of your abundant love and peace,  
and let these humble gifts be used for your purpose.  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord, we pray.  
Amen.**

***We sing* – As sisters, brothers, called by Christ**  
Words © Jocelyn Marshall, TUNE: ST PETER (Hope is Our Song #5,  
verses 1-3 and 5-6)

**As sisters, brothers, called by Christ  
to serve his church on earth,  
give us your gifts of wisdom, grace,  
respect for human worth.**

**Give us the gift of charity  
that seeks the other's good,  
the out-stretched hand of fellowship,  
accepted, understood.**

**Give us the courage to stand firm  
for principles held dear,  
but open minds to seek new truths  
and question without fear.**

As members of one family  
are bonded yet unique,  
accept our individual skills,  
direct the path we seek.

May we show forth by word and deed  
Christ's attributes and care,  
that others may be drawn to him  
and in his church may share.

*Sending*

*Benediction (Together)*

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
The love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit  
Be with us all now and forever.

*Sing: AMEN x 3 CH4 #819*

## NOTICES

*Korero this week*

From this week onwards, we'll have zoom Korero every **FRIDAY morning from 10:30 am till 11:00**. Please join our zoom Korero whenever you are able to. Bring your stories if you'd love to share too!

Gisborne Presbyterian Parish is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.



**Topic: zoom Korero**

**Time: FRIDAY JUN 26<sup>th</sup> 2020 10:30 AM Auckland, Wellington**

**Join Zoom Meeting**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5671981115>

Meeting ID: 567 198 1115

Password: 939382

The theme of Refugee Day 2020 is ‘Step with Refugee.’ For more information about World Refugee Day (20<sup>th</sup> June, 2020), go to

<https://cws.org.nz> or <https://www.un.org/en/observances/refugee-day>

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Reader</b>	<b>Door &amp; Team</b>	<b>Morning Tea</b>	<b>Sound Visual</b>
21 June	Pauline Ross	<u><b>Don &amp; Sarah McConnochie</b></u> Jan Gordon	Liz Lyell Margaret Palmer	<b>S:</b> Hans Kwak <b>V:</b> Mike Willis
28 June Celebrations	Sally Spence	<u><b>Chrissie Parker</b></u> Cathy Porter Jean Robinson	Paulina Melief Wendy Morris	<b>S:</b> Peter Cowley <b>V:</b> Linda Savage

**Sunday 21 3.00pm Sea of Faith meeting in lounge**

Monday 22 9.00am Walking Group

Tuesday 23 1 0.00am Open Door

Thursday 25 2.00pm Leighton House Service

Friday 26 1.00pm choir practise

**Saturday 27 8.00am Car Boot Sale**

**Sunday 28 10.30am St Andrew’s Celebration Service**  
**No Service at Matawhero**