

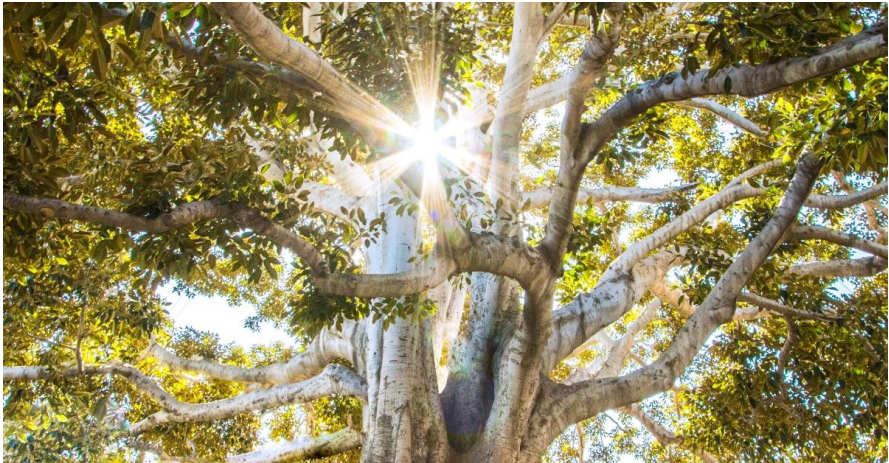
**GISBORNE PRESBYTERIAN PARISH
WELCOME TO ST ANDREW'S GISBORNE**

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

22 May, 2022

Easter 6

Celebration Pot Luck Service



Ministers: *All the people in Christ* **Minister:** *Rev Jin Sook Kim*
Reader: *Marilyn Matthews* **Director of Music:** *Catherine Macdonald*

*We gather together as the people of God
Kia Ora, Talofa, Bulla, Shalom and Annyeong-haseyo*

Greetings with news and notices

Call to Worship

Come, one and all. Gather together! For this is the day of the Lord!
Let's gather at the river by the throne of God! For there is blessing forever!

From the throne of God flows a mighty river of peace and hope for all God's people!

And there shall be rejoicing at the sight of the healing waters!

Our journey brings us to God's wondrous river of Life!

Praise be to God who has drawn us from darkness and filled our world with light.

We sing - O, Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder, Words and Music © 1953, Stuart K. Hine, vv 1-4, CH4 154, WB

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

**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:**

Refrain

**And when I think that God his Son not sparing,
sent him to die – I scarce can take it in,
that on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,
he bled and died to take away my sin:**

Refrain

**When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
and take me home – what joy shall fill my heart!
Then shall I bow in humble adoration
and there proclaim, my God, how great thou art!**

Refrain

Prayers

Celebration time

Celebration today

May God bless you, we pray

Live for Jesus dear people

May He guide you each day

We sing – Gentle as silence, WB16

Oh, the love of my Lord is the essence of all that I love here on earth.

All the beauty I see God has given to me, and the giving is gentle as silence.

Every day, every hour, every moment have been blessed by the strength of God's love.

At the turn of each tide God is there at my side, with a touch that is gentle as silence.

There've been times when I've turned from your presence, and I've walked other paths, other ways.

But I've called on your name in the dark of my shame, and your mercy was gentle as silence.

Story Time

Reading

Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5

Reflection

Offering

Offering and Guardian Angel

We sing - Shine, Jesus Shine

Lord, the light of your love is shining,

In the midst of the darkness shining

**Jesus, light of the world, shine upon us,
Set us free by the truth you now bring us
Shine on me, shine on me.**

Chorus:

***Shine, Jesus shine,
Fill this land with the Father's glory
Blaze, Spirit blaze, set our hearts on fire
Flow, river flow, flood the nations with grace
and mercy
Send forth your word, Lord, and let there be light.***

**Lord, I come to your awesome presence,
From the shadows into your radiance
By the blood I may enter your brightness
Search me, try me, consume all my darkness
Shine on me, shine on me.**

Chorus:

**As we gaze on your kingly brightness
So our faces display your likeness
Ever changing from glory to glory
Mirrored here, may our lives tell your story
Shine on me, shine on me.**

Chorus:

Sending

The Grace

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:* AMENx3 CH4#819**