

**GISBORNE PRESBYTERIAN PARISH
WELCOME TO MATAWHEREO CHURCH**

Matawhereo Church – Church Lane

16 October 2022

Pentecost19

A Service of Worship



Minister: *Rev Jin Sook Kim*
Director of Music: *Catherine Macdonald*

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

Greetings with news and notices

Call to Worship

Oh, how I love all you've revealed;

I reverently ponder it all the day long.

**Your commands give me an edge on my enemies;
they never become obsolete.**

I've even become smarter than my teachers
since I've pondered and absorbed your counsel.

**I've become wiser than the wise old sages
simply by doing what you tell me.**

With your instruction, I understand life;
that's why I hate false propaganda.

We sing - Immortal, invisible, God only wise, CH3 32, vv1-4

Prayers

We sing – There's a wideness in God's mercy, CH3 218, vv1 & 3-5

Readings

First reading: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5

Question: What appeals to you the most if you choose one word in this reading?

Gospel reading: Luke 18:1-8

Question: What appeals to you the most if you choose one word in this reading?

Group talk – faith, proclamation of good news, and prayer
(*Both readings are about faith in God. Talk to your neighbour(s) and share them with others if you can)

Prayers of Intercession

Offering

We sing - Now thank we all our God, *CH3* 368, 1-3

Sending

The Grace

**Kia tau ki a tātou katoa
Te atawhai o tō tātou Ariki, a Ihu Karaiti Me te aroha o te Atua
Me te whiwhingatahitanga, Ki te wairua tapu
Ake, ake, ake
Amine**

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