# GISBORNE PRESBYTERIAN PARISH WELCOME TO ST ANDREW'S GISBORNE

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

6 June 2021

Pentecost 2



**Ministers:** All the people in Christ **Minister:** Rev Jin Sook Kim

Reader: Lynnor Cooke

Organist/Pianist: 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* – Loving Spirit, Music © David Dell, Words, © Shirley Murray, TUNE:ISTE Confessor WOV#4, AA#94(i), vv 1-2

Loving Spirit, loving Spirit, you have chosen me to be, you have drawn me to your wonder, you have set your sign on me.

Like a mother, you enfold me, hold my life within your own, feed me with your very body, form me of your flesh and bone.

### Call to worship (Psalm 138, The Message)

138 <sup>1-3</sup> Thank you! Everything in me says "Thank you!" Angels listen as I sing my thanks.

I kneel in worship facing your holy temple and say it again: "Thank you!"

Thank you for your love, thank you for your faithfulness; **Most holy is your name, most holy is your Word.** 

The moment I called out, you stepped in; you made my life large with strength.

<sup>4-6</sup> When they hear what you have to say, God, all earth's kings will say "Thank you."

They'll sing of what you've done:

"How great the glory of God!"

And here's why: God, high above, sees far below; no matter the distance, he knows everything about us.

<sup>7-8</sup> When I walk into the thick of trouble, keep me alive in the angry turmoil.

With one hand strike my foes, With your other hand save me.

Finish what you started in me, God.

Your love is eternal—don't guit on me now.

**We sing** — As sisters, brothers, called by Christ, Words © Jocelyn Marshall, HS#5, Tune: ST PETER CH4 #461, vv 1-2, 4-6

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.

From different cultures we are drawn, in differing tongues we speak; but unified by Christ we stand, the strong to help the weak.

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.

Prayer of praise and confession

### Words of Assurance



**Story Time** – Two Homes by Claire Masurel

Question: What made two homes as one family for Alex?

**We sing** – In Christ there is no east and west © Desmond Dunkerley, TUNE: Belmont, CH4 #632, CH4 #624, vv1-4

In Christ there is no east or west, in him no south or north, but one great fellowship of love throughout the whole wide earth.

In Christ shall true hearts everywhere their high communion find, his service is the golden cord close-binding human kind.

Come, brothers, sisters of the faith, whate'er your race may be: whoever does my Father's will is surely kin to me.

In Christ now meet both east and west, in him meet south and north, all Christ-like souls are one in him, throughout the whole wide earth.

### Readings

First reading: 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church

Thanks be to God

Gospel reading: Mark 3:20-35

This is the Gospel of Jesus Christ

Praise to Christ the Word

**Sermon** – A new family of God

**Anthem** - Praise God, I am welcome at the table © Colin Gibson, *HS* #115, vv 1-3

Praise God, I am welcome at the table, welcome at the table of the Lord; praise God, I am welcome at the table, welcome at the table of the Lord.

Praise God, I am here among the family, here among the family of the Lord; praise God, I am here among the family, here among the family of the Lord.

Praise God, I can meet you at the table, meet you at the table of the Lord; praise God, I can meet you at the table, meet you at the table of the Lord.

#### **Prayers of Intercession**

### Offering

Love is more than thoughts and feelings:

We bring you our gifts, O God, as part of our commitment to live out our love for others. Amen.

### We pray together

We sing – Join hands in the Spirit, © Radha Wardrop, AA #82, vv 1-3

Join hands in the Spirit
the one holy name,
you are love, and we your children,
one and the same.
All glory to the Spirit,
all praise to your name,
for your love unites us
in peace once again.

Join minds in the Spirit, the one source of life, all are born in your image, sparks of your light. Oh joy that you call us to love and forgive, to trust beyond fear, that in death we may live.

Join hearts in the Spirit, the one holy peace, your love is our union, your touch our release. Oh great heart! embracing every creed, every race, in gratitude we cry at the gift of your grace.

### 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

Sunday	Reader	Door & Team	Morning Tea	Sound Visual
June 6th	Lynnor Cooke	Pat Smith Jean Hillyard Jenny Lawton	Margaret Palmer Karyn Williams	S: Liz Lyell
June 13 <sup>th</sup> Communion	Colleen Skuse	Seton Clare Joan McKay Jean Robinson	Danielle & Sabine	S: Hans Kwak

# \*\*PIANO EXTRAVAGANZA TOMORROW AT 12.30\*\*

St Andrew's Lunchtime Concert Series

## Piane Extravaganza XI

Queen's Birthday Monday 7 June 12.30 pm

<b>DIARY</b> Mon	07	9.00am	Walking Group
		12.30pm	PIANO EXTRAVAGANZA
Tuesday	08	10.00am	Open Door
		1.30pm	Rymans Service all welcome
Wednesday	09	9.45am	mainly music
		3.00pm	Te Wiremu Service
Friday	11	1.00pm	Choir practise
Saturday	<b>12</b>	8.00am	CAR BOOT SALE
SUNDAY	13	10.30am	St Andrew's Communion –
			led by Alvin Hall