

CASHMERE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



“The Stone Church on the Hill”

**Mission Statement**

To worship God, follow Christ,  
transforming the world in the  
power of the Spirit

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**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2021**  
**Pentecost 7**

*Theme: New Humanity*  
*Preacher: Hamish Galloway*

Jesus creates ‘in himself one new  
humanity’.  
*Ephesians 2:15*



A very warm welcome to you all, whether this is your first time or thousandth time in church. You are welcome whether you have a deep and mature faith in Christ; are uncertain and still seeking; or have no faith. If you are new to church, please do not hesitate to ask one of those on duty if you have any questions.

You are invited to stay for morning tea after the service.

# Order of Worship

*Please stand as the Bible is processed in.*

## Lighting the Fellowship Candle (*Shirley Wilson*)

## Welcome to Worship

## Opening Hymn: Give me Oil in My Lamp

1. Give me oil in my lamp; keep me burning;  
give me oil in my lamp, I pray.  
Give me oil in my lamp; keep me burning;  
keep me burning till the break of day.

*(Refrain): Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,  
sing hosanna to the Servant King;  
sing hosanna, sing hosanna,  
sing hosanna, let us sing!*

2. Give me joy in my heart; keep me praising;  
give me joy in my heart, I pray.  
Give me joy in my heart; keep me praising;  
keep me praising till the break of day. *(Refrain)*
3. Give me peace in my heart; keep me loving;  
give me peace in my heart, I pray.  
Give me peace in my heart; keep me loving;  
keep me loving till the break of day. *(Refrain)*
4. Give me love in my heart; keep me serving;  
give me love in my heart, I pray.  
Give me love in my heart; keep me serving;  
keep me serving till the break of day. *(Refrain)*

## Prayer of Praise and Confession

## Notices

*Children come to the front*

Hymn: Make Me A Channel of Your Peace (Tune: St Francis)

1. Make me a channel of your peace:  
where there is hatred let me bring love,  
where there is injury, your pardon, Lord,  
and where there's doubt, true faith in you:

*Refrain* O 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.

2. Make me a channel of your peace;  
where there's despair in life let me bring hope,  
where there is darkness, only light,  
and where there's sadness, ever joy: (*Refrain*)
3. 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.

**Readings** (*Reader: Helen Matthews*)

Mark 6:30-34 (p.53 NT)

Ephesians 2: 11-22 (p.240 NT)

**Sermon:** A New Vision for Humanity

**Passing the Peace**

*We offer each other the 'right hand of fellowship' as a sign that all are welcome and accepted by God.*

**We will sing:** Lord of the Church, we Pray for your Renewing

Lord of the church, we pray for our renewing:  
Christ over all, our undivided aim.  
Fire of the Spirit, burn for our enduing,  
wind of the Spirit, fan the living flame!  
We turn to Christ amid our fear and failing,  
the will that lacks the courage to be free,  
the weary labours, all but unavailing,  
to bring us nearer what a church should be.

Lord of the church, we seek a Father's blessing,  
a true repentance and a faith restored,  
a swift obedience and a new possessing,  
filled with the Holy Spirit of the Lord!  
We turn to Christ from all our restless striving,  
unnumbered voices with a single prayer:  
the living water for our souls' reviving,  
in Christ to live, and love and serve and care.

Lord of the church, we long for our uniting,  
true to one calling, by one vision stirred;  
one cross proclaiming and one creed reciting,  
one in the truth of Jesus and his word.  
So lead us on; till toil and trouble ended,  
one church triumphant one new song shall sing,  
to praise his glory, risen and ascended,  
Christ over all, the everlasting King!

### **Offering**

*Our freewill offering to support the mission and Church of Jesus Christ will be received. As God gives to us, so let us give to God and to all those who wait for the love of God in so many ways. Donations for the Food Bank are placed in a supermarket trolley.*

**Dedication of the offering** (*please stand*)

### **Prayer for Ourselves and for Others**

*Music for Reflection: "The Heart of Peace" – Mons Leidvin Takle*

**We will say the Lord's Prayer in our own languages**

**Hymn 385: The Church's One Foundation**

### **Benediction**

***Amen, amen, amen*** (sung)

*Please remain standing as the Bible is processed out.  
Thank you for sharing in worship this morning. Please come through to the  
hall for morning tea.*

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Cashmere Presbyterian has been given \$1,000 by the Alpine Mission Fund to get some more signs made for outside the church. We will be able to have 4 new double-sided signs. That means we can have 8 new messages to get up there on a rotational basis. We want the messages to be short, catchy and attractive. We want ideas. Write your ideas in the space below this notice and give them to Hamish or email Gail at [cashmere.church@xtra.co.nz](mailto:cashmere.church@xtra.co.nz)



**Healing Service, with Communion, will be held today at 11.30am.**

In every act of worship, the Church celebrates the grace of God who desires wholeness of body, mind and spirit for all people. At a service of healing, we focus on that aspect of God's character. We bring to God our own frailty and brokenness - felt not just in physical illness, but in guilt, anxiety and all the burdens which weigh us down. We also bring our concerns for others and for the world. Above all, we come to the God who knows our needs before we ask, and whose love revealed in Jesus Christ is stronger than suffering and death. All are welcome to attend this service.

**Annual Report & Cashmere Connection**

These will be printed early in August. Please ensure all reports for the Annual Report, and all items for inclusion in the Cashmere Connection, are sent to the office by 2<sup>nd</sup> August.

The date of the AGM is Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> August.

**New Duty Rosters**

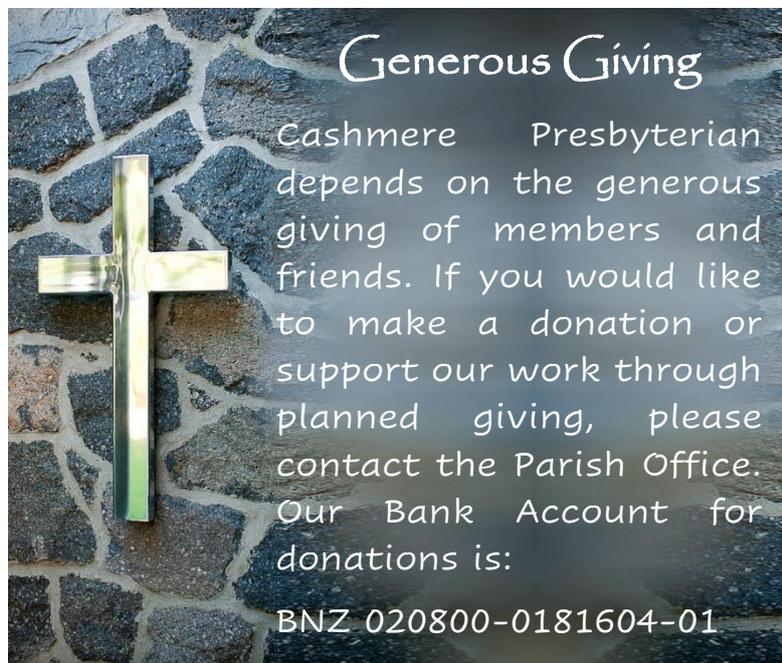
New rosters, for the period 15<sup>th</sup> August to 21 November, will be prepared soon. If you are willing to go on to any of these rosters, please let Gail know. Please also advise any dates when you are *not* available.

<b>Duty</b>	<b>Brief overview of tasks involved</b>
Door Duty	Arrive by 9.30am; ensure heaters, lights, sound system etc are on; greet people at the doors and hand out the Bulletins; take up the offerings; tidy up and close up at the end of the service
Morning Tea	Set up before the service starts; be ready to serve the tea/coffee etc. straight after the service; tidy up and put away at the end.
Bible Reading	Read the allocated Bible passages during the service
Candle Lighting	Read out the prayer during the lighting of the fellowship candle
Food Trolley	Collect the food offerings on the Sunday, or early in the week, and take them to the City Mission
Money Counting	Monday mornings, around 10am, sit with Gail whilst she counts the Offerings from Sunday.

**The Bible Course** (DVD series with discussion) started on Thursday night but if you couldn't come it's not too late to join in! The first session was an introduction to the whole Bible. This coming Thursday night (7:30-9pm) we will be looking at the book of Genesis.

**The Alpine Presbyterian Newsletter** is produced weekly, and a copy is on the notice board in the foyer. Speak to Gail if you would like to subscribe to receive it directly.

<b>Church Rosters</b>	<b>This week – 18<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Next week – 25<sup>th</sup> July</b>
<b>Door Duty</b>	David & Jane Kim, Elisabeth Cooch	Ian Gray, Robin McKee, Annette McAdam
<b>Morning Tea &amp; Coffee</b>	Cath Dale, Kathleen Anderson	Murray & Patricia Heath
<b>Bible Reading</b>	Helen Matthews	Jill McAra
<b>Candle Lighting</b>	Shirley Wilson	Ann Jennings
<b>Food Trolley</b>	Peter & Tric Nelson	Shona Lyford
<b>Money Counting (Monday)</b>	Anne Shave	Bruce McAlister



*Covid-19: we encourage you to scan the QR code for the government's tracing app. Sign in sheets are also available in the main foyer if you prefer to use those.*



**Sign-in. Stop the virus.**