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Mission Statement

Cashmere Presbyterian Church will make the life and teachings of Jesus Christ known and will share in God's loving purposes of truth, justice, peace and wholeness for all people and the world.

Sunday 7th July 2019

Pentecost 4

Theme: Local mission & the 70

Preacher: Silvia Purdie

A very warm welcome to you all, whether this is your first time or thousandth time in church. You are welcome whatever your age, gender, marital status, disability, poverty or wealth, race or sexuality. 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, which will be served in the Lounge after the service.

Order of Worship

(Congregational responses are in bold italics)

Please stand as the Bible is processed in.

Lighting the Fellowship Candle

Welcome to worship at Cashmere Presbyterian Church

Opening Hymn 61: Lord your almighty word

Call to Worship: Psalm 80: 'God's shining smile'

We're here, Lord, calling to you -

Shine out, God of love!

How long, O Lord,

how long will your people suffer in the dark?

Our only food is the bread of tears.

We have become a laughing stock.

Are you angry with us?

May your light break through!

May your smile shine on us!

Remember how you carried us

and planted us in the land

like a vine, brought from far away.

It grew strong and deep and wide

but now it has been cut down!

May your light break through!

May your smile shine on us!

Open our eyes to new possibilities.

Give us new hope, Lord!

Give us strength from your right hand

and we praise you for ever more.

May your light break through!

May your smile shine on us!

Prayer of confession

Notices

Passing the Peace

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

Hymn 160: My heart and voice I raise

Bible Readings (Reader: Cecile Pierce)

Galatians 3: 23-29 (p.234 NT)

Luke 10: 1-11, 16-20 (92 NT)

Sermon: 'Our mission ...'

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 Song (remain seated): Beauty for brokenness

Renew, ad lib. 1 Beau-ty for, bro-ken-ness, hope for des -
- pair, Lord, in the suf-fer-ing_ this is our prayer.
Bread for the child-ren. ius-tice, joy, peace, sun-rise to sun - set your
vv. 1, 3 *vv. 2, 4, 5 to Refrain*
king-dom in - crease. speak.

1. Beauty for brokenness, hope for despair,
Lord, in the suffering – this is our prayer.
Bread for the children, justice, joy, peace,
sunrise to sunset, your kingdom increase.
2. Shelter for fragile lives, cures for their ills,
work for the craftsmen, trade for their skills.
Land for the dispossessed, rights for the weak,
voices to plead the cause of those who can't speak.

Refrain
D7 G B7 Em C
God of the poor, friend of the weak, give us com-pas-
- sion, we pray, melt our cold hearts, let tears fall like
rain. Come, change our love from a spark
to a flame.
Last time
D.S. Em D G

God of the poor, friend of the weak,
give us compassion, we pray.
Melt our cold hearts, let tears fall like rain.
Come, change our love from a spark to a flame.

3. Refuge from cruel wars, havens from fear,
cities for sanctuary, freedoms to share.
Peace to the killing fields, scorched earth to green,
Christ for the bitterness, his cross for the pain.
4. Rest for the ravaged earth, oceans and streams,
plundered and poisoned, our future, our dreams.
Lord, end our madness, carelessness, greed;
make us content with the things that we need.

God of the poor ...

5. Lighten our darkness, breathe on this flame,
until your justice burns brightly again;
until the nations learn of your ways,
seek your salvation and bring you their praise.

Graham Kendrick

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Prayers for others

The Lord's Prayer (*we say together*)

Closing Hymn 189: We have a gospel to proclaim

Blessing

Amen, amen, amen (sung)

*Please remain standing as the Bible is processed out.
Please come through to the hall for morning tea.*

Music for Worship, Sunday 7th July

Prelude: *Sonata 3, Thomas Arne.*

This is chosen for its beauty, simplicity, charm, and grace to help us as we enter into worship, peacefully and thankfully. Let God speak through the music.

There are no words for the cerebro-philes; and for colonial-phobes, do forgive him, as he only wrote the music to "Rule Britannia", it was James Thomson who wrote the imperialistic, triumphalistic words!

Thomas Augustine Arne, (March 12, 1710 — March 5, 1778), English composer, chiefly of dramatic music and song, largely self-taught.

Processional: *Ev'ry Time I feel the Spirit, I will Pray. From a Divertimento by A. D. Miller. b.1972*

Prolific composer, organist at Hope Presbyterian church in St Paul, Minnesota.

Offertory: *A snippet out of Spirit of the Living God, Daniel Iverson, arr Malcolm Archer.*

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me; break me, melt me, mould me, fill me.

Malcolm Archer, b. 1952. latest position has been at Winchester Cathedral, after Wells and St Paul's Cathedrals.

Postlude: *Walk in the Light. Toccato giocoso. Damien Lundy, arr. David Blackwell*

The Spirit lives to set us free, Walk, walk in the light.

He binds us all in unity, Walk, walk in the light.

Walk in the light (x3), Walk in the light of the Lord.

David Blackwell, born 1961, is from Oxford and Edinburgh. Editorial Director at ABRSM Publishing, Head of Music Publishing at Oxford University Press. He co-edited six volumes of church music for different seasons, and Carols for Choirs, 5.



You are invited to stay after morning tea for a **discussion on euthanasia** and the Report of the Doctrine Core Group of PCANZ on the '**End of life choice Bill**'.

Silvia is on Annual Leave this week with school holidays, but can be contacted for urgent pastoral matters.

Towards Spiritual Health - Sunday 4 August, 5.30pm

We are inviting health professionals from all around the city to come for a time of reflection and discussion, music and prayer and a shared meal. Our doctors and all others in the health system work so hard and can get very drained. This is a chance for us to pray for them and with them, and bless them with a time of refreshment and socialising. Come along to support: let Cecile know if you can help with the meal.

The theme is around the importance of spirituality in health.

Reports for Parish Council: Please have all committee reports to the office, or direct to Colin or Elizabeth, by 9am on Thursday 11th July, in time for the Coordinating committee to meet.

Office to Rent: With the Presbytery office vacating, we now have one office upstairs in Church House to rent out. If you know of anyone who may be interested, please get them to contact Gail to discuss. It is advertised on Trade Me at:

<https://www.trademe.co.nz/Browse/Listing.aspx?id=2216968753>

Summer in the Forest

Sponsored by L'Arche in NZ, and released by L'Arche International, this 'extraordinarily tender' documentary about Jean Vanier and the people of L'Arche is being shown at **Hoyts Northlands, July 31st at 6.30pm**

Like countless others Philippe, Michel, Andre and Patrick were labeled 'idiots', locked away and forgotten in violent asylums, until the 1960s, when the young philosopher

Jean Vanier took a stand and secured their release - the first time in history that anyone had beaten the system. Together they created L'Arche, a commune at the edge of a beautiful forest near Paris. A quiet revolution was born. SUMMER IN THE FOREST invites us to abandon the rat race and forge new friendships. Amid the ancient trees, Philippe, Patrick, Jean and the others welcome us into their lives. Please prebook on line at www.summerintheforest.co.nz within the next three weeks to ensure that we sell enough tickets for the movie to go ahead. Any further enquiries to Anne-Marie Pike - rogerandannemarie@hotmail.com or phone 027 227 2471

HeadSpace: The Landscape and Language of Trauma: How to have difficult conversations about trauma and how to respond.

Wednesday 24 July 2019 at Cashmere Presbyterian Church

The Bible tells us that stories of trauma can be a means to find the centrality of God in the midst of brokenness and the way forward to recovery. In the aftermath of difficult times in Christchurch sometimes what we need is storytelling as a means of healing.

This HeadSpace event looks at two topics (come to one or both):

Helping people recover from trauma by recognising and listening to their stories; what heals and what can cause damage in storytelling?

The Church Mental Health Initiative in Christchurch: how to join in; how to become a 'mental health coach'.

Gold coin donation for expenses welcome. For more information, and to register, contact Jeremy Baker at jeremy.baker@settlers.pegasus.net.nz

Alpine Presbytery Newsletter

The Presbytery Newsletter is produced weekly, and a copy is available on the notice board in the foyer. If you would like to subscribe to receive it directly by email, please speak to Gail.

Church Rosters	This week – 7th July	Next week – 14th July
Door Duty	Cecile Pierce, Robin McKee	Warren & Andrew Campbell, Chris Wright
Offerings counting	Jay Lee & Peter Nelson	Warren & Andrew Campbell
Morning Tea & Coffee	Tric & Peter Nelson	Noelene Kent, Kathleen Anderson
Bible Reading	Cecile Pierce	Robin McKee
Candle Lighting	Joyce Lockhart	Elizabeth Taggart
Food Trolley	Jill McAra	Ian Shaw

Upcoming Services

14 July	Family Service	David Troughton
21 July	Morning Worship	Silvia Purdie
28 July	Morning Worship	Barbara Sampson
4 August	Morning Worship	Silvia Purdie