



KNOX CHURCH, ŌTEPOTI DUNEDIN

7pm – Tekau ma toru o Āperira

(13 April) 2025

Passion Sunday

Lenten Carols & the words of Joy Cowley

Pre service “Jesus Remember Me, when you come into your kingdom” music from Taizé

Philip Fleming/ soprano saxophone

Greeting Rāhiritanga

Kia noho a Ihowā ki a koutou. The Lord be with you.

Mā Ihowā koe e manaaki. The Lord bless you.

Reading: Luke 22:14-20 The Last Supper

Choir “Drop, Drop, slow tears”

text Phineas Fletcher, music NZ composer Brian Webb

Call to Worship Karanga ki te karakia

Hymn Hīmene

(tune: *Prepare the way for the Lord* - Jacques Berthier) – Taizé Community

Wait for the Lord, whose day is near.

Wait for the Lord: be strong, take heart

Opening Prayer Inoi Tuatahi A Prayer for Healing by Joy Cowley

Sung Response *E te Atua aroha mai*

(tune: *Kum By Ya*) AA 31- arr. Nicola & Guy Jansen

Matthew Gordon/ organ

... E te Atua aroha mai Oh God love us, forever and ever;

E te Atua aroha mai, (x3)

Ake ake tonu e, ake ake tonu e.

... E te Atua awhina mai Oh God help us – forever and ever;

E te Atua awhina mai, (x3)

Ake ake tonu e, ake ake tonu e.

... E te Atua manaaki mai, O God bless us forever and ever;

E te Atua manaaki mai, (x3)

Ake ake tonu e, ake ake tonu e.

Reading: Luke 22:39-46 The Garden of Gethsemane

Choir *"Jesu, Lord Jesu, Bowed in bitter anguish" (could ye not watch with me one brief hour)* music John Stainer (1840-1901)

Jesse Hanan/ tenor soloist, Carolyn Schmid/ organ

Reading: Luke 22:47-54 The Kiss

Meditation Fear and Love in the Garden of Gethsemane

by Joy Cowley in *Come and See*, p.55

Hymn Hīmene

(tune: *Love Unknown* - John Nicholson Ireland) CH4 399 - Samuel Crossman

My song is love unknown, my Saviour's love to me,
love to the loveless shown, that they might lovely be.
O who am I, that for my sake
my God should take frail flesh and die?

God came from his blest throne, salvation to bestow
but people scorned, and none the longed for Christ would know.
But O my friend, my friend indeed,
who at my need his life did spend!

Sometimes they strew his way and his sweet praises sing;
resounding all the day hosannas to their king.
Then "Crucify!" is all their breath,
for his death they thirst and cry.

Why, what has my Lord done? What makes this rage and spite?
He made the lame to run, he gave the blind their sight.
Sweet injuries! Yet they at these
themselves displease, and 'gainst him rise.

Here might I stay and sing: no story so divine;
never was love, dear Lord, never was grief like thine!
This is my friend, in whose sweet praise
I all my days could gladly spend.

Luke 23:13-25 The Trial and Sentence

Choir “*O vos omnes*”- *O my people, what have I done to you?* text from Lamentations
music Carols Correa (1680-1747). Carolyn Schmid/ organ

Luke 23:33-46 The Cross

Choir 4 “*Agnus Dei- O Lamb of God*” from *The Armed Man-a Mass for peace*
music Karl Jenkins (b. 1944)

Prayer based on Joy Cowley’s psalm *Easterings from Psalms Down Under*, p.73

Hymn Hīmene (tune: *Passion Chorale*) CH4 382 – Paul Gerhardt, translator JW Alexander

O sacred head, sore wounded,
with grief and shame bowed down!
O kingly head, surrounded
with thorns, thine only crown!
How pale thou art with anguish,
with sore abuse and scorn!
How does that face now languish,
which once was bright as morn!

O Lord of life and glory,
what bliss till now was thine!
I read the wondrous story:
I joy to call thee mine.
Thy grief and bitter passion
were all for sinner’s gain;
mine, mine was the transgression,
but thine the deadly pain.

What language shall I borrow
to praise thee, heavenly friend,
for this, thy dying sorrow,
thy pity without end?
O make me thine for ever,
and, should I fainting be,
Lord, let me never, never
outlive my love to thee.

Choir *"It is finished"* music John Stainer (1840-1901)

Carolyn Schmid/ organ

Benediction

Sending out

African-American spiritual

Were you there when they crucified my Lord?
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?
O sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble;
were you there when they crucified my Lord?

Serving today

Minister – Margaret Garland
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Welcoming team –Team 5

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