



# Johnsonville Uniting Church

## Morning Worship

15 August 2021

**Welcome to our Morning Worship Service**  
*An audio of the sermon will be online later today.*

**Theme: Small things with great love**

### **ORDER OF SERVICE**

#### **Welcome**

#### **Call to Worship:**

The Lord is gracious, compassionate, slow to anger, and rich in love

**the Lord is good to all;  
he has compassion on all  
he has made**

All you have made will praise you  
O Lord; your saints will extol you

**they will tell of your Kingdom and speak of  
your love**

The Lord upholds all those who fall and lifts up all who are bowed down

**Hymn:** All creatures of our God and king  
*CH4 147 St Francis V1-4 & 7*

**Prayer** (ending with the Lord's Prayer, sung)

**Tamariki Time:** Korowai

**Tamariki song:** Korowai Tapu Malcolm Gordon

*Children go to their program*

**Reading:** Mark 6: 1-13

Music *Small things with great love MP4*

**Reflection:** "Small things with great love"

**Hymn:** Our life has its seasons AA 113 Shirley Murray

#### **Prayers for Others:**

#### **Offerings and Dedication:**

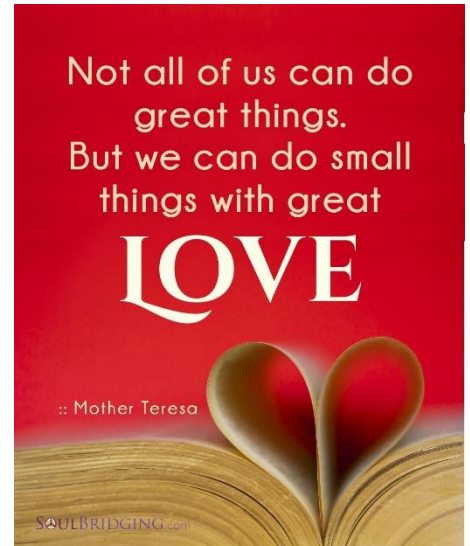
#### **Community Time: Notices and News**

#### **Birthdays/Anniversaries**

**Hymn:** Lift high the cross AA 87 Shirley Murray

#### **Benediction**

**Blessing:** Now as we go AA 99 Shirley Murray



### **This Week's People: 15 August 2021)**

Worship Leader Rev Reg Weeks  
Organist: Heather Lange  
Bible Reader: Graham Cochrane  
Prayers for others: Maureen Longman  
Communion Contact: Karen Parminter  
Welcome/Notices: Karen Parminter  
Tech Desk : Sound: Bruce Newton  
Tech Desk: PPT: Jean Mundt

Children's Programme { Naima Soa-Lafoa'i  
Leaders: Matt Lange  
Elma Day-Garden  
Stewards: { Bruce and Lynne Newton  
Karen Parminter  
Morning Tea Lalene & Michael Roberts  
Flowers Judith Dunlop

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**Next Week's People: 22 August 2021**

Worship Leader: Graham Millar  
Organist: Sharmala David  
Bible Reader: Geoff Donovan  
Welcome/Notice: Dennis Mundt  
Tech Desk : Sound: Meg Lange  
Tech Desk: PPT Jean Mundt

Children's: Programme Leaders { Naima Soa-Lafoa'i  
Matt Lange  
Elma Day-Garden  
Stewards: { Bruce and Lynne Newton  
Karen Parminter  
Morning Tea: Lalene & Michael Roberts  
Flowers: TBA

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## Notices for 15 August 2021

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### **Mixers Event: Broken Hill, NSW – Gateway to the outback!**



**When:** Saturday 28 August 2021, 5.30-10pm

**What:** Pot luck dinner followed by a 'Virtual visit to Broken Hill, NSW, Australia'.

**Where:** Lounge, JUC

**What to bring:** Food to share – your choice

**RSVP:** Helen Jackman - email: [helen39b@gmail.com](mailto:helen39b@gmail.com) **OR**  
Phone 021 061 2710 (cell – text if required as no answerphone) 976 4236 (home - answerphone)

Please let me know if you are able to attend, or not, and if you require transport.

### **August is Hospitality Month**

Hospitality Month is under way. Over the rest of the month, (not just Sundays) be prepared to invite or be invited to enjoy the company of others over a coffee, soup and toast or even a roast dinner; whatever takes your fancy. This is a great opportunity to get to know others a little better.

### **Samaritan's Purse – Operation Christmas Child**



As we move closer to Spring, it's time to start thinking about Shoe Boxes for Samaritans Purse Operation Christmas Child.

Your chance to give a child the experience of receiving a gift just for them.

More details next week....

### **Volunteers needed**

'Seeking some more volunteers for the tea towel roster. This involves collecting (about twice a week) and washing the tea towels used in the church - for one month about once a year. If you can help, please contact Val Elmev - phone 4790140 or [val.elmey@gmail.com](mailto:val.elmey@gmail.com) '

### **The Op Shop**

Urgently needs some more strong coathangers - not the drycleaners' wire ones - and also some metal skirt hangers. Either drop them in to the Op Shop (open 10am-2.00pm Tues & Wed, to 400pm Friday, and Saturday mornings till midday) or drop them in to the church office (10am-2.00pm) where Janet will collect them.

### **Bible Society NZ**

celebrates its 175th jubilee on Saturday 4 September at the Events Centre, Lower Hutt Town Hall, from 7.00pm (hall open from 6.30pm). Free but koha welcome. To register, go to their website, under Events. [bibles@biblesociety.org.nz](mailto:bibles@biblesociety.org.nz)

### **Parish pantry**

Our local food banks welcome instant coffee, tea, soap and body wash, shampoo, conditioner, toilet paper, toothpaste, pasta sauce, tinned tomatoes, spaghetti and baked beans and lunchbox snacks, as well as woman's feminine products. Talk to Bev Donovan

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## ***All creatures of our God and king***

1. All creatures of our God and King,  
lift up your voice and with us sing  
    alleluia, alleluia!  
Bright brother sun with golden beam  
clear sister moon with softer gleam,  
    O praise him, O praise him,  
    alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
  
2. Swift rushing wind so wild and strong,  
high clouds that sail in heaven along,  
    O praise him, alleluia!  
New-breaking dawn, in praise rejoice,  
and lights of evening, find a voice;
  
3. Cool flowing water pure and clear,  
make music for your Lord to hear,  
    alleluia, alleluia!  
Fire, with your flames so fierce and bright  
giving to all both warmth and light,  
    O praise him, O praise him  
    alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
  
4. Dear mother earth, who day by day  
unfolds God's blessings on our way,  
    O praise him, alleluia!  
All flowers and fruits that in you grow,  
let them his glory also show;
  
  
7. Let all things their Creator bless,  
And worship God in humbleness,  
    O praise him, Alleluia!  
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,  
And praise the Spirit, Three in One:

***CH4 St Francis V1-4 & 7 CH4 147  
St Francis of Assisi (1182-1226)  
Translated William Henry Draper (1855-1933)***

Our Father in heaven,  
    holy be your name.  
Your kingdom come, your will be done  
    on earth as in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread,  
    forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
    Do not put us to the test.

But deliver us from evil,  
    For the kingdom, the power and the glory,  
are yours now and forever.

Amen, amen, amen, amen,  
    amen, amen, amen, amen.

## **"Korowai Tapu"**

- 1 Cast your Korowai Tapu around  
Gather all of your children here now  
Priest and pilgrim and prodigal we  
Woven into your family tree

Chorus:

Aue! Aue! Hear us Lord we pray  
Oh Gather us, shield us Lord of grace

- 2 Throw your Korowai Tapu around  
Cover us in your grace so unbound  
Family ring and the richest of robes  
Mark us out as the people you chose

Chorus:

Aue! Aue! Hear us Lord we pray  
Oh Gather us, shield us Lord of grace

- 3 Weave your Korowai Tapu around  
Shield and warmth for the lost and the found  
Grace, embrace round the shoulders of all  
Dignity for the least and the poor

Chorus:

Aue! Aue! Hear us Lord we pray  
Oh Gather us, shield us Lord of grace

- 4 Cast your Korowai Tapu around  
Gather all of your children here now  
Priest and pilgrim and prodigal we  
Woven into your family tree

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# ***Our life has its seasons***

## ***AA 113 Shirley Murray***

Our life has its seasons  
and God has the reasons  
why spring follows winter,  
and new leaves grow,  
for there's a connection  
with our resurrection  
that flowers will bud  
after frost and snow,

so there's never a time to stop believing,  
there's never a time for hope to die,  
there's never a time to stop loving,  
these three things go on.

There's a time to be planting,  
a time to be plucking,  
a time to be laughing,  
a time to weep,  
a time to be building,  
a time to be breaking,  
a time to be waking,  
a time to sleep,

but there's never a time to stop believing,  
there's never a time for hope to die,  
there's never a time to stop loving,  
these three things go on.

There's a time to be hurting,  
a time to be healing,  
a time to be saving,  
a time to spend,  
a time to be grieving,  
a time to be dancing,  
a time for beginning,  
a time to end,

but there's never a time to stop believing,  
there's never a time for hope to die,  
there's never a time to stop loving,  
these three things go on.

*Lift high the cross,  
the love of Christ proclaim  
till all the world adore  
his glorious name!*

1. Come, Christian people, sing your praises, shout!  
If we are silent, even stones cry out ...

*Lift high the cross,  
the love of Christ proclaim  
till all the world adore  
his glorious name!*

2. Jesus, you wept to see our human strife,  
Teach us compassion for each human life ...

*Lift high the cross,  
the love of Christ proclaim  
till all the world adore  
his glorious name!*

3. Peace was your plea and peace your loving theme,  
Let peace be our passport, peace a living dream ...

*Lift high the cross,  
the love of Christ proclaim  
till all the world adore  
his glorious name!*

4. Great is the cost of walking on this road,  
To follow and suffer with the Son of God ...

*Lift high the cross,  
the love of Christ proclaim  
till all the world adore  
his glorious name!*

5. Worlds to be born and children yet to be,  
Come, take up this song into eternity ...

*Lift high the cross,  
the love of Christ proclaim  
till all the world adore  
his glorious name!*



# NOW AS WE GO

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Now as we go, kind Spirit keep us,  
In all we see, Christ be our focus,  
In all we do, his story shape us,  
That we may grow to God's good purpose.

Now as we go, sister and brother,  
Give us good care one of the other,  
More hope to share, more strength to gather,  
More life to know in faith together.

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