

Livingstone Parish Church
Sunday 8th July 2018
Rev. Dave Sutherland

Introit MP 38

As we are gathered, Jesus is here,
one with each other, Jesus is here;
joined by the Spirit, washed in His blood,
part of the body, the Church of God.
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one with each other, Jesus is here.

John Daniels

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Hymn 1 MP 857

I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard My people cry;
all who dwell in dark and sin
My hand will save.
I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear My light to them?
Whom shall I send?

*Here I am, Lord,
Is it I, Lord?
I have heard You calling in the night.
I will go, Lord,
If You lead me;
I will hold Your people in my heart.*

I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne My people's pain;
I have wept for love of them –
they turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
give them hearts for love alone;
I will speak My word to them.
Whom shall I send?
Here I am, Lord...

I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame,
I will set a feast for them –
My hand will save.

Finest bread I will provide,
till their hearts are satisfied;
I will give My life to them.
Whom shall I send?
Here I am, Lord...

From Isaiah 6

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Hymn 2

**I can't see your face but I know that
you are smiling,**

I can't see your feet but you lead me
wherever I go,
I can't see your eyes but you cry when I am
hurting,
I can't see your arms though I feel you
drawing me near.
There are things about you that I don't
know
but this I know for sure,
You love me and you call me to be yours.

I can't see your face but I know that you
are smiling,
I can't see your feet but you lead me
wherever I go,
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Sarah Pickering

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Hymn 3 **MP 1003** (Sing Twice)

My Jesus, my Saviour,

Lord, there is none like You.

All of my days I want to praise
the wonders of Your mighty love.

My comfort, my shelter,
tower of refuge and strength,
let every breath, all that I am,
never cease to worship You.

*Shout to the Lord all the earth, let us sing,
power and majesty, praise to the King.
Mountains bow down and the seas will roar
at the sound of Your name.*

*I sing for joy at the work of Your hands,
for ever I'll love You, for ever I'll stand.*

*Nothing compares to the promise I have in
You.*

Darlene Zschech

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Hymn 4 **MP 806**

Beauty for brokenness,

hope for despair,

Lord, in Your suffering world
this is our prayer.

Bread for the children,
justice, joy, peace,
sunrise to sunset,
Your kingdom increase!

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.

*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.*

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.

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...

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.
God of the poor...

Graham Kendrick

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Exeunt **MP 411**

Let there be love shared among us,

let there be love in our eyes;
may now Your love sweep this nation,
cause us, O Lord, to arise:
give us a fresh understanding
of brotherly love that is real;
let there be love shared among us,
let there be love.

Dave Bilbrough

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