

**The Church at Carrs Lane**  
**Sunday 7 July**  
**Communion Service**

Today's service is led by Cristina Cipriani, Neil Johnson and  
Ruth Yorke

***We are an inclusive and affirming Church.  
You are welcome just as you are.***

Today we are singing from 'Singing the Faith'

Opening music: Meditation Op. 167, No. 3  
by J Rheinberger

## **Prayer as Connection**

Welcome

Introit: Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
(Choir) Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.  
Amen.

*Text: T. Ken  
Music: T. Tallis, arr. A. Bullard*

**Hymn 471: Lord I come to you (the power of  
your love)**

Prayers

Offering

*An opportunity to give financially to the church. There  
is no obligation to give, it is just as you decide or are  
able.*

*Music: Interlude in F by D Terry*

Sharing

Psalm 86: 1-7

*Christine Rowntree*

**Hymn 479: The King of love my shepherd is**

Sharing

Ephesians 6:13-18

*Simon Rowntree*

John 17:20-23

**Hymn 504: May the mind of Christ my  
Saviour**

Sermon

**Hymn 255: The kingdom of God is justice  
and joy**

Prayers for others

*Jan Scott*

**Hymn 513: Take this moment, sign, and  
space**

Anthem: O salutaris Hostia

O salutaris Hostia,  
Quae caeli pandis ostium.  
Bella premunt hostilia,  
Da robur, fer auxilium.  
Uni trinoque Domino  
Sit sempiterna gloria,  
Qui vitam sine termino  
Nobis donet in patria.  
Amen.

*O thou, the saving sacrifice,  
Opening the gates of heaven wide.  
Safely leading to paradise,  
Knowing thy strength is by our side.  
All praise and thanks to thee ascend  
For evermore, blest One in Three,  
O grant to us the life that is endless,  
In the perfect land of eternity.  
Amen.*

## **Holy Communion**

*The bread is gluten-free and wine in small cups  
is non-alcoholic. All are welcome.*

Grace and peace to you from God

**God fill you with truth and joy**

The Lord is here

**God's Spirit is with us**

Lift up your hearts

**We lift them to the Lord**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

**It is right to offer thanks and praise**

It is right indeed, ever-living God, to give you  
thanks and praise through Christ ...

....Therefore we proclaim your great and glorious  
name, saying

**'Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and  
might; heaven and earth are full of your  
glory. Hosanna in the highest'.**

United in Christ with all who stand before you in  
earth and heaven, we worship you, O God, in  
songs of everlasting praise.

**Blessing, honour and glory be yours, here  
and everywhere, now and forever. Amen**

We break this bread and drink this cup to share in  
the body of Christ

**We who are many are one body, for we all  
share one bread and one cup**

We share Communion

**God be our comfort and strength**

**God be our hope and support**

**God be our light and our way**

and the blessing of God, Creator, Redeemer and  
Giver of Life, be with us now and forever.

**Amen**

(An Order of Service of Holy Communion  
from the Church of New Zealand)

**Hymn 455: All my hope on God is founded**

Blessing

Music: Postlude

*N Rawsthorne*

*You are welcome to go through to the foyer for a cuppa.  
If you are visiting or it's your first time here,  
please introduce yourself to a steward.*

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**Today's music:**

*During communion: Schmücke dich, O liebe Seele ("Deck  
thyself, my soul, with gladness") by C Piutti and Meditation in D  
by A Guilmant.*

*Anthem This anthem is part of a small volume of work composed  
by Juan Crisóstomo J A de Arriaga y Balzola (27/01/1806 –  
17/01/1826), a Spanish Basque composer who died ten days  
before his twentieth birthday. He was nicknamed "the Spanish  
Mozart" after he died, because, like Mozart, he was both a child  
prodigy and an accomplished composer who died young. They  
also shared the same first and second baptismal names; and  
they shared the same birthday, January 27 (fifty years apart).  
(Source: Wikipedia)*



Thank you to Christine Rowntree for the flowers