

St. John's TAIZÉ

Episcopal Church AUGUST 3, 2022

~ a service in prayer and song & silence and scripture ~

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Come to us this night, O God,
Come to us with **Light**.
Speak to us this night, O God,
Speak to us your **Truth**.
Dwell with us this night, O God,
Dwell with us in **Love**.

 *Come and fill*

song no. 28



Musical score for the first system of the hymn "Come and fill". It features a treble and bass clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 3/4 time signature. The tempo is marked as quarter note = 66. The lyrics are: "Con - fi - te - mi - ni Do - mi - no quo - ni - am bo - nus. Come and fill our hearts with your peace. You a - lone, O Lord, are ho - ly." The chords indicated above the staff are D, Bm, D, and A.



Musical score for the second system of the hymn "Come and fill". It features a treble and bass clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 3/4 time signature. The lyrics are: "Con - fi - te - mi - ni Do - mi - no, al - le - lu - ia! Come and fill our hearts with your peace, al - le - lu - ia!" The chords indicated above the staff are Em, C, Em, A, and D.

Psalm 127:1-5

If the Lord doesn't build a house,
the work of the builders is useless.

**If the Lord doesn't watch over a city,
it's useless for those on guard duty to stand watch over it.**

It's useless for you to work from early morning
until late at night
just to get food to eat.

God provides for those he loves even while they sleep.

Children are a gift from the Lord.

They are a reward from him.

**Children who are born to people when they are young
are like arrows in the hands of a soldier.**

Blessed are those
who have many children.

**They won't be put to shame
when they go up against their enemies in court.**

Ecclesiastes 12:1-8

Remember your Creator.

Remember him while you are still young.

Think about him before your times of trouble come.

The years will come when you will say,
"I don't find any pleasure in them."

That's when the sunlight will become dark.

The moon and the stars will also grow dark.

And the clouds will return after it rains.

Remember your Creator before those who guard the house tremble with old age.

That's when strong men will be bent over.

The women who grind grain will stop because there are so few of them left.

Those who look through the windows won't be able to see very well.

Remember your Creator before the front doors are closed.

That's when the sound of grinding will fade away.

Old people will rise up when they hear birds singing.

But they will barely hear any of their songs.

Remember your Creator before you become afraid of places that are too high.

You will also be terrified because of danger in the streets.

Remember your Creator before the almond trees have buds on them.

That's when grasshoppers will drag themselves along.


Old people will lose their desire.

That's when people will go to their dark homes in the grave.

And those who mourn for the dead will walk around in the streets.
Remember your Creator before the silver cord is cut.

Remember him before the golden bowl is broken.
The wheel will be broken at the well.

The pitcher will be smashed at the spring.
Remember your Creator before you return to the dust you came from.
Remember him before your spirit goes back to God who gave it.

 *It is good to trust*

song no. II

Musical notation for the song 'It is good to trust'. It consists of two staves of music in 2/4 time, with a tempo marking of quarter note = 58. The first staff has a key signature of one flat (Bb) and a common time signature of 2/4. The melody is written on a treble clef. The lyrics are: 'Bo - num est con - fi - de - re in Do - mi - no, It is good to trust in the Lord our God,'. The second staff continues the melody with lyrics: 'bo - num spe - ra - re in Do - mi - no. trust and hope in the Lord our God.' The chords are: Dm, A SUS, A, Dm, C, F, Gm, C, F, Dm, Gm7, Am, Dm.

Luke 12:22-31

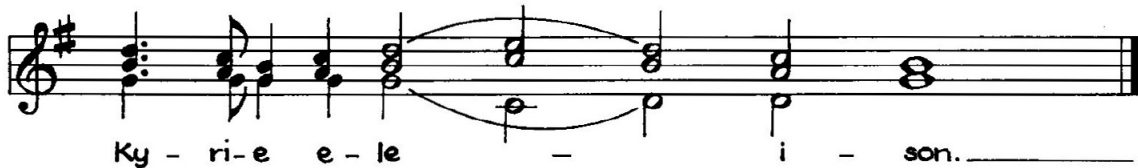
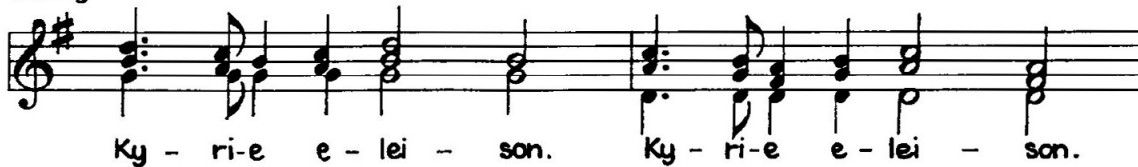
Then Jesus spoke to his disciples. He said, “I tell you, do not worry. Don’t worry about your life and what you will eat. And don’t worry about your body and what you will wear. There is more to life than eating. There are more important things for the body than clothes. Think about the ravens. They don’t plant or gather crops. They don’t have any barns at all. But God feeds them. You are worth much more than birds! Can you add even one hour to your life by worrying? You can’t do that very little thing. So why worry about the rest?”

“Think about how the wild flowers grow. They don’t work or make clothing. But here is what I tell you. Not even Solomon in his royal robes was dressed like one of those flowers. If that is how God dresses the wild grass, how much better will he dress you! After all, the grass is here only today. Tomorrow it is thrown into the fire. Your faith is so small! Don’t spend time thinking about what you will eat or drink. Don’t worry about it. People who are ungodly run after all those things. Your Father knows that you need them. But put God’s kingdom first. Then those other things will also be given to you.”

Silence (*a time for meditation, prayer, candle-lighting, and rest*)

Prayers with Sung Response: *Ukrainian Kyrie*

slowly



God of life, do not darken your light to us,...
O God of life, do not close your joy to us,...
O God of life, do not shut your door to us,...
O God of life, do not refuse your mercy to us,...
and, O God of life, crown us with your gladness.

The Lord's Prayer

from *A New Zealand Prayer Book*

Eternal Spirit, Earth-maker, Pain-bearer, Life-giver,
Source of all that is and that shall be,
Father and Mother of us all,
Loving God, in whom is heaven:
The hallowing of your name echo through the universe!
The way of your justice be followed by the peoples of the world!
Your heavenly will be done by all created beings!
Your commonwealth of peace and freedom sustain our hope and
come on earth.
With the bread we need for today, feed us.
In the hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us.
In times of temptation and test, strengthen us.
From trials too great to endure, spare us.
From the grip of all that is evil, free us.
For you reign in the glory of the power that is love, now and for ever.
Amen.

Anointing and Healing Prayers

This oil is blessed, O Lord, pressed from the fruit of the earth.

Let it be a holy ointment for the wounds and worries of those who receive it.

May it be a sign to all of us of your constant desire to touch our lives and bring us to health and wholeness.

Bless us, O Lord, as we come before you and seek to experience through the touch of others your everlasting love.

Nothing can trouble

song no. 29

The musical score is written in common time (C) with a tempo of 72. It consists of two systems of music. The first system has a treble clef and a bass clef. The treble clef part has a melody with lyrics underneath. The bass clef part has a bass line. Chords are indicated above the treble clef: Am, Dm7, G, Em/C, F, and Dm6. Dynamics include *p* and *mf*. The second system also has a treble clef and a bass clef. The treble clef part has a melody with lyrics underneath. The bass clef part has a bass line. Chords are indicated above the treble clef: E, Am, F, Dm6, E, and Am. Dynamics include *f*.

Na - da te tur - be, na - da te es - pan - te. Quien a Dios tie - ne
Noth - ing can trou - ble, noth - ing can fright - en. Those who seek God shall

na - da le fal - ta. So - lo Dios bas - ta.
nev - er go want - ing. God a - lone fills us.

Closing

Watch now, dear Lord,
with those who wake or watch or weep tonight,
and give your angels charge over those who sleep.

Tend your sick ones, O Lord Christ,
rest your weary ones,
bless your dying ones, soothe your suffering ones,
pity your afflicted ones, shield your joyous ones,
and all for your love's sake.

Amen.

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*Thank you for worshipping with us this evening, whether in person or online.
Our next Taizé service will be held here at 7PM on Wednesday, September 7.*

Continuing throughout August, St. John's morning service
is held at 9 AM Sunday mornings; except for this **Sunday, August 7,**
when there will be no service here, and we will be worshipping with
St. Philip's Easthampton [128 Main Street] at 10AM.

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