



## Taizé for new Life



A reflective service with candlelight and  
the music of the Taizé community

**Saturday 5 October 2024**  
**7.30pm**

Singers and musicians welcome 6.30pm

Supper follows this service

Welcome to this service of reflective prayer. The words and songs of this service move in and out of an underlying silence. There will be a period of silence between each section of the service.

### Opening Song

Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's holy name;

Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads me into life.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7e-c8NP7cY8>

### The Lighting of the Candles

L. Come to us this night O God,

**R. Come to us with light.**

L. Speak to us this night O God,

**R. Speak to us your truth.**

L. Dwell with us this night O God,

**R. Dwell with us in love.**

### Song

God is forgiveness,

Dare to forgive and God will be with you,

God is forgiveness,

Love and do not fear

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MQv8lQs7fTQ&ab\\_channel=SaintAndrewsEpiscopalChurch%2CSeattle](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MQv8lQs7fTQ&ab_channel=SaintAndrewsEpiscopalChurch%2CSeattle)

**SENTENCE** Though there be many trials in store for each person, there is above all a compassion that comes from you. it brings us back to life.

(Taizé)

**Song** The kingdom of God is justice and peace  
and joy in the Holy Spirit.  
Come, Lord, and open in us  
the gates of your kingdom.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-dToFKnGplcg>

**Reflection** Recorder music – Don Morris

## Reading

Mark 10:2- 12

Some Pharisees came, and to test him they asked, "Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife?" He answered them, "What did Moses command you?" They said, "Moses allowed a man to write a certificate of dismissal and to divorce her." But Jesus said to them, "Because of your hardness of heart he wrote this commandment for you. But from the beginning of creation, 'God made them male and female.' 'For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh.' So they are no longer two, but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, let no one separate." Then in the house the disciples asked him again about this matter. He said to them, "Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her; and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery."

**Reflection**     The Rev'd Joan Claring-Bould

## Intercessions

L. Lord, hear our prayer.

R. O Lord, hear my prayer, O Lord, hear my prayer,  
When I call, answer me.

O Lord hear my prayer, O Lord hear my prayer,  
Come and listen to me. (Taizé Bk. 1: 20)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8BWKmahZgLM>

## The Lord's Prayer

## Songs during the time of ministry

### Song

Sing praises all you people, sing praises to the Lord  
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[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NQsqK\\_hMkl](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NQsqK_hMkl)

### Song

I am sure that I shall see the goodness of the Lord  
in the land of the living,  
Yes I shall see the goodness of the Lord,  
hold firm, trust in the Lord.

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LW\\_cU7TeOWw](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LW_cU7TeOWw)

## Concluding Prayer

Deep peace of the running wave to you,  
Deep peace of the flowing air to you,  
Deep peace of the quiet earth to you.  
Deep peace of the shining stars to you.  
Deep peace of the gentle night to you,  
Moon and stars pour their healing light on you  
Deep peace of Christ the light of the world to you:  
Deep peace of Christ. (Scots Celtic Prayer)

## Blessing

**Song** Be not afraid sing out for joy, Christ is risen, Alleluia.  
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[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4jL\\_vNr91bw](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4jL_vNr91bw)

## NOTICES

Thank you for coming tonight and to all those who have helped with the service and the supper.

The next Taizé service will be Saturday 2 November at 7.30pm

**A Concert to support Soldier On** – A concert in the Cathedral on **Sunday November 17 at 2.00pm** for *Soldier On* to help defence people returning from active service with severe mental trauma. You are welcome to join the Adelaide Benefit Concert Choir. Other performers will be the 20/17 army band and Libby O'Donovan. Please come!! \$20/\$10 or any donation. See Joan if you would like to join the choir. Ph 0409520823

Supper is provided at the back of the Cathedral. Please join us.