

On Driving in the Countryside

Who can count
the shades of green in God's Spring palette?
Backdrop painted plain old grass green,
Winter-bare trees shyly blushing,
but bolder branches boasting buds.
Willows and Poplars bursting out green
Apple-green elms and fresh leaved oaks
Native green flaxes and grey green grasses
Yellow green shrubs, and fern fronds unfurling
Shiny green citrus and blue-green lavenders
Cabbage-leaf green next feathery carrots
Golden green Cyprus and dark green pines
What can compare
with the wonders of Spring?

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Dear friends,

This will be the last 'Worship at home' resource (hopefully!) as the Government has lowered the Covid-19 restrictions to Level 1. We will however continue to send out copies of the weekly service sheet, if you are unable to join in worship in person.

Next Sunday, October 4, will be a communion service. This will be especially welcome, as we were unable to share communion together in September. October 4 is also the date of our congregational AGM, so if you are able to come along, we would love to see you. And there will be morning tea!!!

We continue in our efforts to take care of one another during these challenging times, so remember: if you feel at all unwell, please stay home. If you are anxious about being around groups of people, it is okay to stay home. It is okay to wear a mask when you are around other people. (Disposable masks are available at the door if you would prefer to wear one during the service and don't have any of your own.) Be kind to one another, and be kind to yourselves.

Blessings, Shelley

