

Season of Creation

We have entered a new season of the church
in which we celebrate the beauty and the life of Creation.
Rocks and hills and trees and flowers,
Storms and Oceans, Water and Cosmos;
Animals of all types, birds that fly;
Together, through this season, we ponder
how we see the divine in Creation
and our responsibility for it all
in the light of divine love and compassion.

This Creation season we again give thanks
for earth and sea and sky
for brilliant autumn colours contrasting with blue-green planet.

We lament the times we and others have taken this world for granted
and not allowed all creatures a free and clean space in which to live.

We give thanks also for this community,
also a creation of beauty and variety formed over many years
in which we know and walk the Way of Jesus together.

For music and relationships, for reflection and affirmation,
for bread and wine shared together,
we give thanks this day and ask
that we may allow all we have been given
to enhance and enrich our lives
and through us, the lives of others.