

Worship Sunday 24th July



Call to Worship

Praise: *Stand up and bless the Lord*
(omit v. 4) (MP 615)

Welcome

Prayer of Adoration & Confession,

Praise: *Just as I am, without one plea* (MP 396)
(omit verses 2 & 4)

Children's Message

Praise: *The Lord's Prayer* (SSS 58)

Blessing on the Children



Bible Reading: **Hosea 1: 2 - 10** (p.900)

Reflection1: **"The heart of the Gospel"**

Praise: *Through the love of God our Saviour*
(MP 704)

Bible Reading: **Luke 11: 1 – 13** (p.1042)

Reflection 2: **"Prayer"**

Praise: *Prayer is the soul's desire* (MP 567)

(All: 1, 6, 7 Men: 2 & 4, Women; 3 & 5)

Offering and dedication



Pause for Reflection
Thomas Paton will play "Allegro" by J.H. Roman

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession (Elder)

Announcements

Praise: *Forth in the peace of Christ we go*
(CH4 646)

Benediction and '3-fold' Amen

Call to Worship

Great is our God, says the Psalmist,
and greatly to be praised!

For God has stretched the heavens above us
and filled the earth with every good thing.

We live and move and have our being in God,
and in him is our everlasting hope!

Let us worship God.

Thought for the Week (Psalm 85: 8-13 NRSV)

*"Let me hear what God the Lord will speak,
for he will speak peace to his people,
to his faithful, to those who
turn to him in their hearts.
Surely his salvation is at hand
for those who fear him,
that his glory may dwell in our land.
Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet;
righteousness and peace will kiss each other.
Faithfulness will spring up from the ground,
and righteousness will look down from the sky.
The Lord will give what is good,
and our land will yield its increase.
Righteousness will go before him,
and will make a path for his steps."*



The Service Today

Minister: Rev. Derek Lawson
Elder: Emmanuel Asare Awuku
Children's Message: Rev. Irene Bom
Organist: Netty Dijkstra
Bible Reader: Ruud Witte
Welcome: Teun Karreman & Silvia Scott
Crèche: Gwendoline Kayere & Chanté Fleming
Deacons-Counting: Mavis Fleming
& Fred Booman
Door: Rizal Sebastian
Beamer: André van der Velden
Recording: André van der Velden
Hospitality: Jaco & Christa Jacobs
Flowers: Kei Otsuki



What's on

Tuesday 26th July
Consistory meeting 19:45

Wednesday 27th July
Mamre: 10:00 – 14:00

Sunday 31st July
Worship Service 10:30

Community Social in the COOL

Tuesday 16th August - *summer barbecue*
At SICR. 16:00-19:00 hours
Sorry not for SICR members.



Are you in need of prayer or pastoral care?

Put your requests in the prayer box on Sundays.
Prayers can also be sent via the Prayer
Co-ordinator Wilma Paton at
pray.sicr@gmail.com.

For pastoral care or a visit by an Elder or Minister,
contact your Elder or the Church Office.

Birthdays

This week we congratulate Elmos Abunam
(Tuesday), Simeon Calvert (Thursday), Tjakk
Bouwman, Myron Etienne, Isabel Smart and
Evelyn Koomson (Saturday) on their birthdays.
*Would you like your birthday mentioned?
Inform the Office Team!*

Articles & Pictures for July Herald

Do you have articles, messages or photos from
e.g. Derek's Induction or other SICR events?
Send to editor-herald@live.com a.s.a.p.

Wednesday's Bible Study on John's Gospel

Wednesday's from 19:30 Graham Jardine leads an 18 part Bible Study on the Gospel according to John. **The Bible Study is currently on recess from 20th July till 24th August.**

Volunteers for Summer Club in July & August

This Sunday: Summer Club Olympic Games!

More volunteers are needed to lead and supervise games and activities with the children during Sunday services this summer. Sign up for Sunday 21st & 28th August, or be an extra help, use the sign-up sheet on the notice board or contact Rebecca Taylor on 06 2701 2456 or joyrebs@gmail.com. You can also contact her if you have suggestions.

Developments AZC Beverwaard

Welcome kits from churches for refugees.

The AZC (Asylum Seekers Centre) at Beverwaard is nearly ready. Around 15th August the first 300 refugees will arrive, with another 300 in the fall. It is not yet known whether they will be men, women or children, but most likely many from Syria and Eritrea. Some will have been in The Netherlands for some time and even have a status (residence permit). Those are waiting to get a house allocated to them. Others wait for their interview and/or decision about their status. The group of 60 churches formed to assist refugees proposes to give the new arrivals 'welcome kits' with a value of € 10. These are simple practical things to start their life at Beverwaard. **Are you willing to prepare one or more of these kits? Contact Ato Bob to receive details.** Find more information on the AZC Beverwaard on the notice board

Open Monuments Day & Witte de With Festival WdW taking place 9th-11th September

The SICR will take part again. If you are willing to volunteer contact Christine Galloway.

Sunday Service Bible Reading

Do you want to participate in reading the Bible? Please sign up for Bible reading, on the Notice Board or talk to Ato Bob first!

Can you bring the Flowers on Sunday?

The Flower list still has some openings, so please sign up to help!

Beamer Operator (M/F) required

The SICR needs another 'Beamer-man' or 'Beamer-woman'. Do you think you can do that? Talk to André v.d. Velden or Ato Bob.

The Minister of SICR

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THANKS
TO YOU
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Form of The Lord's Prayer (not this Sunday)

**Our Father in heaven
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin
against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and for ever. Amen.**

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