

# Welcome to the



**Scots International  
Church Rotterdam**

a congregation of the  
Church of Scotland International Presbytery

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## **Bible Readings for the coming week**

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| <b>Monday, June 18:</b>    | Psalm 53; 1 Samuel 13:23-14:23; Galatians 6:11-18  |
| <b>Tuesday, June 19:</b>   | Psalm 53; 1 Samuel 15:10-23; Revelation 21:22-22:5 |
| <b>Wednesday, June 20:</b> | Psalm 53; 1 Samuel 15:24-31; Luke 6:43-45          |
| <b>Thursday, June 21:</b>  | Psalm 9:9-20; 1 Samuel 16:14-23; Acts 20:1-16      |
| <b>Friday, June 22:</b>    | Psalm 9:9-20; 1 Samuel 17:55-18:5; Acts 21:1-16    |
| <b>Saturday, June 23:</b>  | Psalm 9:9-20; 1 Samuel 18:1-4; Luke 21:25-28       |

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## **Order of Service for Sunday 17 June 2018**

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## **Sunday 17 June 2018 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

*Call to Worship - (congregational responses are **in bold**)*

**We come from scattered lives to this sanctuary,  
to seek our unity in the Spirit,  
to seek the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ,  
to seek the peace of God the Father.**

God's people have gathered:  
let us worship him together.

Introit (Choir): **We walk by faith, and not by sight**

*Welcome & Prayer of Approach*

**Praise: Christ is made the sure foundation** (Omit v.2 MP 73)

*Children's Message*

**Praise: Help us care**  
(SSS2014 #31)      (*Words see below*)

*Blessing on the Children*

*Prayer of Confession - concluding with The Lord's Prayer*

**Praise: 'Forgive our sins as we forgive'** (CH4 486)

Reading: **2 Corinthians 5: 6–10, 14-17**  
(p. 1160)

*Reflection: "The journey of faith"*

**Praise: Son of God, eternal Saviour** (CH4 468)

Gospel Reading: **Mark 4: 26 - 34**

(p. 1006)

*Reflection: "The Kingdom of God"*

**Praise: Longing for light, we wait in darkness**

(CH4 543)

*Offering & Prayer of Dedication*

Anthem (Choir): **O for a thousand tongues to sing**

*Church News*

*Prayers for Others - Elder*

**Praise: May the mind of Christ my Saviour**

(MP 463)

Benediction and three-fold Amen

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Immediately following the Service there will be a  
Congregational Meeting to elect Elders to the Consistory

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we'll meet in the Church and  
tea and coffee will be available in the Hall after the  
meeting.

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### Church News

**Tonight at 7.30pm 'Songs of Praise'** - come along and  
sing favourite hymns chosen by members of the  
congregation.

The **Ladies' Bible Study** continues on **Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup>  
June, at 8pm** at Irene Bom's, while the **"Being Church"**

**Study Group** meets the same evening at 7.30pm in the Hall.

Next Sunday is the last day of Sunday School, but from 1 July to 19 August there will be a **Summer Club** for the children who should continue to come to Church with their parents for the first part of the service. There is still a need for help on some Sundays - so, if you can help, please contact Rebecca Taylor.

**Are you in need of prayer or pastoral care?**

Or do you know someone who is? Please put your requests in the prayer box on Sundays. Prayers can also be sent via the Prayer Coordinator, Irene Jardine, at [pray.sicr@gmail.com](mailto:pray.sicr@gmail.com)

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

**Birthdays**

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*Would you like your birthday mentioned? Inform the Office Team!*

**What's on the agenda?**

Wed 20 June 19h30 Study Group – “We believe in the Church”

Sunday 24 June 10h30 Worship led by Rev Eric Foggitt

**Who's who Today**

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## For the Beamer

### Summary 10.06.18

|                          |                   |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Open plate               | 459.55            |
| Envelopes                | 283.50            |
| Coffee money             | 9.50              |
| Sunday school            | 4.41              |
| Soup Lunch 20.05 TBA     | 0.00              |
| Bank (weekly avg.)       | 454.00            |
| Fixed rental weekly avg. | 368.00            |
| Additional rental avg    | <u>322.00</u>     |
|                          | <b>€ 1,843.45</b> |

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Average Weekly expenditure **2,038.00**

**Mission Offering South Sudan**

03.03.18 € 26.12

10.06.18 € 91.72

Total € 117.84

**Church News to be announced by the Elder on**  
**17.06.18**

*As indicated in the Order of Service, we will proceed with the Congregational meeting here in the Sanctuary immediately after the end of the service.*

*There is a fresh list on the Notice Board for Bible Reading and bringing flowers for the second half of this year.*

**If you like to receive the SICR Bulletin in your mailbox every Thursday, make sure Ato Bob has your email address.**

**If you did not hear these announcements properly, find them on the Notice Board downstairs, with a copy to take away.**