



Welcome to the Scots International Church Rotterdam

A congregation of the Church of Scotland International Presbytery

Sunday 26th November 2023

May your time here be a blessing from God

In the service today...

...we welcome Irene Bom and friends who will bring us a flavour of Christianity from a South Africa perspective.

Friday 1 December - Scots Night

Tickets €10 includes small 2 course meal + glass wine/juice. Tickets from Dee and Rinus. Profits to church funds



includes small 2 course meal
+ 1 glass of wine/beer or juice
(Extra glasses for sale)
Tea/coffee



The Christmas build up...

**CHRISTMAS
AT THE SICR
DECEMBER 2023**

ISAIAH
AND THE
MESSIAH
CONSIDERING THE PROMISED SAVIOUR THROUGH THE BOOK OF ISAIAH

Sunday 3 December is the first Sunday in **Advent 2023** and Graham and Irene are taking us through a theme called, **'Isaiah and the Messiah'** We will explore some of the texts of this Old Testament prophet as he looked forward to the coming of the Messiah, Jesus.

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Christmas Market Koln, Germany

Fancy a return coach trip to the Koln Christmas Market planned for Saturday 9 December? The cost will be €37 including snack and water. Max 50 people. If interested please speak to Ruby Everts: tel no 0638068490. Any profits for church funds.

House Groups/Bible Studies

Pilgrims Group: Mondays, 20.00 to 21.30 - gather from 19.30 at Bergpolderstraat 53A 3038KB Rotterdam.

Prayer Warriors: Last Friday of the month at church 6-9pm worship, prayer & Bible study Contact Frieda Enow 06 85297922

LFN (Ladies Fellowship and Fun Night)

Next meeting **Friday 8 Dec. Christmas Night**
Contact Dee 0643136971 or Sofi 0684279243

The SICR Christmas Lunch

A Christmas Lunch in the Lower Hall.
Adult €7 Child €3



Menu
Soup/juice
Main course
Dessert
Tea/coffee
adult €7



Pray for today's Worship Team

Preacher: Rev Graham Austin
Prayer: Esther Abang
Children's Talk: Graham Austin
Bible Reader: Ruud Witte
Music: Alisa Birula
Live Streaming & Beamer: Edwin Teisman
Sound: Stanley Muriithi
Hospitality: Mavis Fleming & Silvia Scott
Welcoming: Steve Russell & James Essel
Flowers: Family Bilo
Counting: Esther Abang & Ruud Witte
Door: John Essel

November Mission Offering

For November we support **SKIN-Samen Kerken in Nederland**. Please note that you are not expected to give every week.

Daily Devotional Readings

Monday 27	Psalm 28; Numbers 27:15-23; 2 Timothy 2:8-13	<p><u>Something to Celebrate</u> Congratulations to Ornella Jang who celebrates a birthday this week.</p>
Tuesday 28	Psalm 28; Zechariah 11:4-17; Revelation 19:1-9	
Wed. 29	Psalm 28; Jeremiah 31:10-14; John 5:19-40	
Thursday 30	Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19; Zech. 13:1-9; Rev. 14:6-13	
Friday 1	Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19; Zech. 14:1-9; 1 Thess. 4:1-18	<p><u>Next Open Afternoon</u> Friday 29th December From 12:00 to 14:00 in the Lower Hall</p>
Saturday 2	Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19; Micah 2:1-13; Matthew 24:15-31	
Sunday 3	Ps. 80:1-7, 17-19; 1 Cor. 1:3-9; Mark 13:24-37 Sunday text: Isaiah 11:1-10 'Isaiah and the Messiah'	

At the beginning of the service you will be asked to stand.

Call to worship

Welcome

CH4 449 Rejoice! The Lord is King

Prayer

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 forever. Amen.

Children's Talk

MP 545 Open our eyes Lord

Church announcements

MP 454 Majesty

Bible reading: Matthew 25:31-46

Sermon: Grace opens eyes

Offering

Dedicating the Offering and Prayers for Others

The South Africa Experience

With Irene Bom and Friends

CH4 458 At the name of Jesus

Benediction and Threefold Amen

Please remain standing as the Bible is carried out.

After service fellowship in the Lower Hall for tea, coffee and chat

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