Welcome to the



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Bible Readings for the coming week

Monday, July 29: Psalm 44; Hosea 2:14-3:5; Colossians 2:16-3:1
Tuesday, July 30: Psalm 44; Hosea 6:1-10; Romans 9:30-10:4
Wednesday, July 31: Psalm 44; Hosea 6:11-7:16; Matthew 5:43-48
Thursday, August 1: Psalm 107:1-9, 43; Hosea 8:1-14; Romans

11:33-36

Friday, August 2: Psalm 107:1-9, 43; Hosea 9:1-17;

Saturday, August 3: Psalm 107:1-9, 43; Hosea 10:1-15; Mark 10:17-

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<u>Prayer for the week</u> Ian M Fraser (adapted)

All those faces. Lord:

familiar ones in the house, strange ones in the street; each one made in your likeness, yet none the mirror of another.

Family resemblances, yes, even look-alikes, but over millions of years, no duplicates.

What a craftsman you are - creating different identities. It is as if you were telling us that each one of us is special

Order of Service for Sunday 28th July Sunday 28 July 2019

Please stand to receive God's Word into your midst.

Welcome

Call to Worship - (congregational responses in bold)
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.

Hymn 104 The Lord of heaven confess

Prayer of Approach & Adoration

Children's Message

Song TBA

Blessing on the Children

Prayer of Adoration and Confession - Elder
- ending with The Lord's 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 for ever. Amen.

Hymn 261 Father Eternal, Ruler of creation

Reading: Luke 11: 1 - 13

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Reflection: "Some Thoughts on the Lord's Prayer"

Hymn 547 What a friend we have in Jesus

Bad Girls of the Bible – Jezebel

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Introduction

Reading: 1 Kings 16: 29 - 33

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Reflection

Hymn 641 Seek ye first the kingdom of God

Reading: **1 Kings 21: 5 – 14** (p. 363)

Reflection

Offering

Prayer of Dedication

Church News

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

Hymn 646 Forth in the peace of Christ we go

Benediction and Three-fold Amen.

Church News

Our series on the "Bad Girls of the Bible" continues on

18 August - The woman caught in adultery;

25 August – Sapphira

We continue "Journeying Through the Bible" on Sundays 4th and 11th August at 9.15am when we'll be looking at 1st & 2nd Corinthians

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

Birthdays

This week we congratulate Tjakko, Evelyn, Mary and Wistaria on their birthdays.

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

What's on the agenda?

Sunday 4 August 9h15 Bible Study

10h30 Sacrament of Holy Communion

Who's who Today: Only mentioned in the printed version

in the church.

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For the Beamer

Children's Song TBA

Summary collection 21.07.19

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Envelopes	314.50
Coffee	12.20
Sunday School Summer Club	0.00
Sale Old Bible	10.00
Bank (weekly avg.)	480.00
Fixed rental weekly avg.	170.00
Additional rental avg.	<u>192.00</u>

Average Weekly expenditure € 1,980.00 Calculated shortfall € 498.65

Church news announced by the Elder 28.07.19

The **next b4theService Bible Studies** take place on Sunday 4th and 11th August at 9.at am. All are welcome, no previous attendance is required.

The **SICR Bulletin** publishes news and current events in our church. It is available by free subscription and sent out by email every Thursday evening. If you want to get it too, give your e-mail address to Ato Bob.

There are some openings for **Bible Reading or Bringing**Flowers. Please check the **Notice Board**.