



Welcome to the Scots International Church Rotterdam

A congregation of the
Church of Scotland International Presbytery

Sunday 30th January 2022

May we know the blessing of God as we worship together

In-Person and Online Services

There will be a maximum of 50 people, facemasks when moving about the building, and modest singing. Booking will be required through the Church website. If you have problems registering then get in touch with the Minister or church office for help.

You will be able to join the weekly service through: www.kerkdienstgemist.nl/stations/1016
The order of service can be downloaded from the church website: www.scotsintchurch.com

The Herald

Coming Soon!

Something to Celebrate

This week we congratulate Erna Booman and on her birthday.
Would you like your birthday mentioned? Inform the Office Team

OPEN DOOR AFTERNOONS

Opening Friday 4 February-12:00 to 15:00 hrs.

Welcome! - Tour our building, Pray-meditate in the Sanctuary and in the Lower Hall enjoy a bowl of soup or just a cuppa & a chat. :)



Something to ponder

- How does it make you feel to know that Jesus spoke out in challenging circumstances?
- Where is it easiest/most difficult to find and use your voice?
- How do you respond when voices around you are challenging?



Are you in need of prayer or pastoral care?

Or do you know someone who is?

Would you like the minister to phone you?

Please send in your requests via email, text, phone or PM through the church Facebook page. Contact details below. Prayers can also be sent via the Prayer Coordinator, Irene Jardine, at pray.sicr@gmail.com

Pray for today's Worship Team

Preacher: Rev. Graham Austin
Elder: Fred Booman
Counting: Fred Booman & Ruud Witte
Children's Message: Virginia Hendriks
Organist: Jan-Hendrik v.d. Kamp
Vocalist: Sofie Schulte
Reader: Tjakko Bouwman
Beamer & Live Streaming: Edwin Teisman
Daniël De Jong & Stanley Murithi
Hospitality: Irene Jardine
Flowers: Pam Russell
Welcoming and Registration: Pam Russell & Bob Hensen

A sending out prayer

God of love, help us to be loud,
to speak your word, to spread your love,
to be a voice for the voiceless.
Help us to be quiet, to listen to you,
to listen to those that most need to be heard.
Let it be so. Amen.

Daily Devotional Readings

Date	Sermon	Reading
6 February	The Call	Isaiah 6:10-8 Luke 5:1-11
Monday 31	Psalm 56; 1 Kings 17:8-16; 1 Corinthians 2:6-16	
Tuesday 1	Psalm 56; 2 Kings 5:1-14; 1 Corinthians 14:13-25	
Wednesday 2	Psalm 56; Jeremiah 1:11-19; Luke 19:41-44	
Thursday 3	Psalm 138; Numbers 20:22-29; Acts 9:19b-25	
Friday 4	Psalm 138; Numbers 27:12-23; Acts 9:26-31	
Saturday 5	Psalm 138; Judges 3:7-11; Luke 4:42-44	

Do you want a daily 'Thought for the Day' direct to your mobile?
Then join the 'Thought for the day' WhatsApp group by texting: 06 3059 9641



Welcome

Call to worship

Let us come together:

*to listen to God's voice, to listen to each other,
to speak what is on our hearts,
to be held and heard,
to find our voices, and to hear God's call.*

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As we are gathered, Jesus is here;
one with each other, Jesus is here.
Joined by the Spirit, washed in the blood,
part of the body, the Church of God.
As we are gathered, Jesus is here
one with each other, Jesus is here.

Repeat with Congregational Singing

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Prayer of Approach

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

This little light of mine,
I'm gonna let it shine.
This little light of mine,
I'm gonna let it shine.
This little light of mine,
I'm gonna let it shine.
Let it shine, let it shine,
let it shine.

Traditional

Reading: Luke 4:22-30

21 He began by saying to them, "Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing." 22 All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his lips. "Isn't this Joseph's son?" they asked. 23 Jesus said to them, "Surely you will quote this proverb to me: 'Physician, heal yourself!' And you will tell me, 'Do here in your hometown what we have heard that you did in Capernaum.'" 24 "Truly I tell you," he continued, "no prophet is accepted in his hometown. 25 I assure you that there were many widows in Israel in Elijah's time, when the sky was shut for three and a half years and there was a severe famine throughout the land. 26 Yet Elijah was not sent to any of them, but to a widow in Zarephath in the region of Sidon. 27 And there were many in Israel with leprosy in the time of Elisha the prophet, yet not one of them was cleansed—only Naaman the Syrian." 28 All the people in the synagogue were furious when they heard this. 29 They got up, drove him out of the town, and took him to the brow of the hill on which the town was built, in order to throw him off the cliff. 30 But he walked right through the crowd and went on his way.

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1. The King of love my shepherd is,
whose goodness faileth never;
I nothing lack if I am His
and He is mine for ever.

2. Where streams of living water flow
my ransomed soul He leadeth,
and where the verdant pastures grow
with food celestial feedeth.

3. Perverse and foolish oft I strayed;
but yet in love He sought me,
and on His shoulder gently laid,
and home rejoicing brought me.

4. In death's dark vale I fear no ill
with Thee, dear Lord, beside me;
thy rod and staff my comfort still,
thy cross before to guide me.

Congregational Singing
5. Thou spreads't a table in my sight;
Thy unction grace bestoweth;
and oh, what wonder and delight
from Thy pure chalice floweth!

6. And so through all the length of days
Thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise
within Thy house for ever!

Henry Williams Baker (1821-1877)

Sermon 'Approval to disapproval'

As we reflect and give to Church and Mission offering for
Ugandan Farm Climate Change we listen to a musical item by Jan Hendrik

Dedication of the Offering

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1. Lord, you sometimes speak in wonders
unmistakable and clear;
mighty signs to prove your presence,
overcoming doubt and fear.

2. Lord, you sometimes speak in whispers,
still and small and scarcely heard;
only those who want to listen
catch the all-important word.

3. Lord, you sometimes speak in silence,
through our loud and noisy day:
we can know and trust you better
when we quietly wait and pray.

4. Lord, you sometimes speak in Scripture.
words that summon from the page,
shown and taught us by your Spirit
with fresh light for every age.

Congregational Singing

5. Lord, you always speak in Jesus,
always new yet still the same;
teach us now more of our Saviour;
make our lives display His Name.

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Prayer for others

CH4 605 (vs 1-3, 5)

1. "For My sake, and the Gospel's, go
and tell redemption's story";
his heralds answer, "Be it so,
and Thine, Lord, all the glory!"
They preach his birth, his life, his cross,
the love of His atonement,
for whom they count the world but loss,
his Easter, his enthronement.

2. Hark, hark, the trump of jubilee
proclaims to every nation,
from pole to pole, by land and sea,
glad tidings of salvation;
Still on and on the anthems spread,
of alleluia voices;
in concert with the holy dead,
the warrior Church rejoices.

3. He comes, whose advent trumpet drowns
the last of time's evangels,
Immanuel crowned with many crowns,
the Lord of saints and angels.
O Life, Light, Love, the great I AM,
Triune, who changest never,
the throne of God and of the Lamb
is thine, and thine forever.

Edward Henry Bickersteth (1825-1906)

Benediction & Three-fold Amen

Name _____

Roots Activity sheet

30 January – 5 February 2022

 Luke 4.21-30

Jesus teaches in his home synagogue, but the people are angry and don't accept his message.



Can we 'dare to speak' as Jesus did?



Jesus spoke to the people, they heard and then they responded. Draw these three parts of the story:
Where was Jesus speaking?
How were the people feeling when they heard Jesus?
How did they respond?

Speak

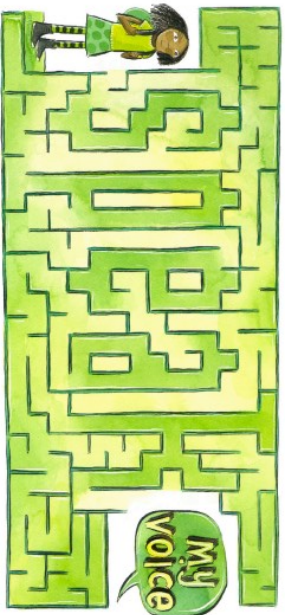
Hear

Respond

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Find a safe way through the maze and find your voice!



Write a letter to God with your worries, your excitement, your hopes; using your voice to talk to God, and ask for help when there are things you are scared to say or difficult challenges to respond to.

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