

# Welcome to the Scots International Church Rotterdam

A congregation of the Church of Scotland International Presbytery

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2022

May we know the blessing of God as we worship together.

## Live Stream

Please note that the services are live streamed. If the children come forward for the children's talk the camera will only focus on the speaker.

## After service fellowship

After the service refreshments are available in the Lower hall. A donation, if you are able, to cover the cost will be gratefully received.

## Church Day Out to the beach

Sunday 24 July

### 'A Fun day at the beach'

Very simply people will make their own way, after the service, to gather at Hoek Van Holland for a social/fun time. Bring your own picnic and hopefully games and music will be organised. There is a list on the church notice board (Lower Hall) if you can offer a car share.



## 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](mailto:pray.sicr@gmail.com)

## Something to Pray

Where there is conflict,  
**let there be peace.**  
Where there is fearfulness,  
**let there be peace.**  
Where there is anger,  
**let there be peace.**  
Where there is violence,  
**let there be peace.**  
May God's peace rest on our homes  
and all who live in them. Amen.



## Call for Summer Club volunteers!

Summer Club for the children will run on Sundays from 24 July-28 August, with activities and games outside in the playground or in the lower hall during the service. Volunteers are needed to help out, as the number of children can vary

each week. If you are able to help for one or more weeks (or want to lead any activities) contact Rebecca Taylor at [joyrebs@gmail.com](mailto:joyrebs@gmail.com) or 0627012456.

## Pray for today's Worship Team

Preacher: Rev. Graham Austin  
Prayer: Ruud Witte  
Music: Netty Dijkstra  
Bible reader: Richmond Mensah  
Children's message: Graham Austin  
Welcoming: Frieda Enow & Pam Russell  
Hospitality: Sylvia Scott  
Flowers: Elizabeth Adams  
Beamer/Live Streaming: Rizal Sabastian  
Sound: Stanley Murithi  
Counting: Ruud Witte & Esther Abang  
Door: Bob Hensen

## Something to think about



- Where do you feel at peace or a sense of being blessed?
- What does receiving God's peace or blessing mean to you?
- So, what does sharing God's peace look like in practice?

## Daily Devotional Readings

Monday 4	Psalm 6; 2 Kings 5:15-19a; Acts 19:21-27
Tuesday 5	Psalm 6; 2 Kings 5:19b-27; Acts 19:28-41
Wednesday 6	Psalm 6; 2 Kings 6:1-7; Luke 10:13-16
Thursday 7	Psalm 82; Amos 1:1-2:3; James 2:14-26
Friday 8	Psalm 82; Amos 2:4-11; Acts 7:9-16
Saturday 9	Psalm 82; Amos 2:12-3:8; John 3:16-21

Do you want a daily  
**'Thought for the Day'**  
direct to your  
mobile?  
Then join the  
'Thought for the day'  
WhatsApp group  
by texting:  
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## Welcome

### Call to worship

Let us make a joyful noise,  
singing glory to God, offering glorious praise.  
Let us say to our God:  
'How awesome are your deeds. Holy is your name.'  
(based on Psalm 66)

### CH4 249 (vs 1, 2, 4)

1. We have heard a joyful sound, 'Jesus saves!' Spread the gladness all around, 'Jesus saves!' Bear the news to every land, climb the steepes and cross the waves. Onward! 'tis our Lord's command. Jesus saves!	2. Waft it on the rolling tide, 'Jesus saves!' Tell to sinners far and wide, 'Jesus saves!' Sing, ye islands of the sea; echo back, ye ocean caves; earth shall keep her jubilee: Jesus saves!
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4. Give the winds a mighty voice, 'Jesus saves!'  
Let the nations now rejoice, 'Jesus saves!'  
Shout salvation full and free  
to every strand that ocean laves  
this our song of victory: 'Jesus saves!'

Priscilla Jane Owens (1829-1907)

## Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven  
hallowed be thy name,  
Thy kingdom come.  
Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts,

as we forgive our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory, for ever.  
Amen

## Children's Talk

1, 2, 3 Jesus loves me  
1, 2 Jesus loves you  
3, 4 He loves you more  
than you've ever been loved before  
5, 6, 7 we're going to Heaven

8, 9 truly divine  
9, 10 it's time to end  
(1st) But instead we'll sing it again.  
(2nd) *There's no time to sing it again.*  
Words and Music by Barry Jones, Ernie Rettino and Debby  
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## Reading: Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

10 After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them two by two ahead of him to every town and place where he was about to go. 2 He told them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field. 3 Go! I am sending you out like lambs among wolves. 4 Do not take a purse or bag or sandals; and do not greet anyone on the road. 5 "When you enter a house, first say, 'Peace to this house.' 6 If someone who promotes peace is there, your peace will rest on them; if not, it will return to you. 7 Stay there, eating and drinking whatever they give you, for the worker deserves his wages. Do not move around from house to house. 8 "When you enter a town and are welcomed, eat what is offered to you. 9 Heal the sick who are there and tell them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' 10 But when you enter a town and are not welcomed, go into its streets and say, 11 'Even the dust of your town we wipe from our feet as a warning to you. Yet be sure of this: The kingdom of God has come near.'

16 "Whoever listens to you listens to me; whoever rejects you rejects me; but whoever rejects me rejects him who sent me." 17 The seventy-two returned with joy and said, "Lord, even the demons submit to us in your name." 18 He replied, "I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. 19 I have given you authority to trample on snakes and scorpions and to overcome all the power of the enemy; nothing will harm you. 20 However, do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

1. You are called to tell the story,  
passing words of life along,  
then to blend your voice with others  
as you sing the sacred song.  
Christ be known in all our singing,  
filling all with songs of love.

2. You are called to teach the rhythm  
of the dance that never ends,  
then to move with in the circle,  
hand in hand with strangers, friends.  
Christ be known in all our dancing,  
touching all with hands of love.

3. You are called to set the table,  
blessing bread as Jesus blest,  
then to come with thirst and hunger,  
needing care like all the rest.  
Christ be known in all our sharing,  
feeding all with signs of love.

4. May the One whose love is broader  
than the measure of all space  
give us words to sing the story,  
move among us in this place.  
Christ be known in all our living,  
filling all with gifts of love.

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### Sermon: 'The Mission'

Offerings to the Church and Mission offering 'Living Water Nigeria'.  
You are invited to reflect as listen to

1. Behold the Lamb  
who bears our sins away,  
slain for us - and we remember:  
the promise made  
that all who come in faith  
find forgiveness at the cross.  
*So we share in this bread of life,  
and we drink of His sacrifice,  
as a sign of our bonds of peace  
around the table of the King.*

2. The body of our Saviour,  
Jesus Christ,  
torn for you - eat and remember  
the wounds that heal,  
the death that brings us life,  
paid the price to make us one.  
*So we share in this bread of life,  
And we drink of His sacrifice,  
As a sign of our bonds of love  
Around the table of the King.*

3. The blood that cleanses  
every stain of sin,  
shed for you - drink and remember  
he drained death's cup  
that all may enter in  
to receive the life of God.  
*So we share in this bread of life,  
and we drink of His sacrifice,  
as a sign of our bonds of grace  
around the table of the King.*

4. And so with thankfulness  
and faith we rise  
to respond, - and to remember  
our call to follow in the  
steps of Christ  
as his body here on earth.  
*As we share in His suffering  
we proclaim Christ will come again!  
and we'll join in the feast of heaven  
around the table of the King.*

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### Communion

### Dedication of Offering and Prayer for Others

1. Send out the gospel! Let it sound  
northward and southward, east and west;  
tell all the world Christ died and lives,  
he gives us pardon, life, and rest.

3. Send out your gospel, gracious Lord!  
Yours was the blood for sinners shed;  
your voice still pleads in human hearts;  
let all the world to you be led.

4. Send out Your gospel, holy Lord!  
Kindle in us love's sacred flame;  
love giving all with heart and mind,  
for Jesus' sake, in Jesus' name.

5. Send out the gospel! Make it known!  
Christians, obey your Master's call;  
sing out His praise! He comes to reign,  
King of all kings and Lord of all.

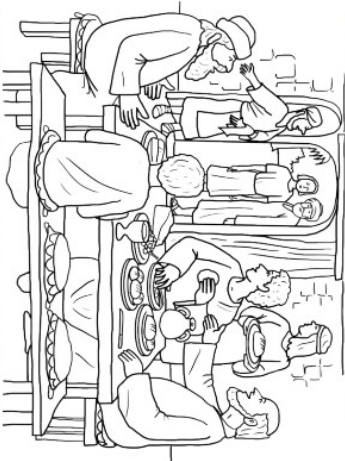
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### Benediction and Threefold amen

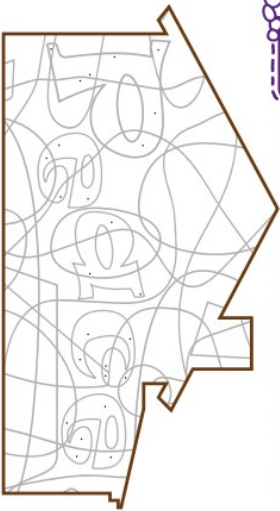
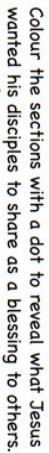
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The disciples are sent out to give and receive God's blessing.



When you enter someone's home say, 'Peace to this house'.



Tick which of these is a way of blessing or being blessed.



Think of a word/phrase about blessings starting with each letter of the word 'Blessing' and write it down. Then you will have created a blessing acrostic poem!

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