

# Welcome to the Scots International Church Rotterdam

A congregation of the Church of Scotland International Presbytery
Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> July 2023

## May your time here be a blessing from God

#### SICR in Het Park

Following this morning's service, weather permitting, we'll gather in **Het Park** for a church picnic and games. This will be a bring your own picnic. All welcome. Tea and coffee will still be served after the service in the Lower hall.

#### August services

During August we will be covering four Psalms. Ps 17; 105; 133 and 124

#### Something to Celebrate

Congratulations to Tjakko Bouwman, Evelyn Koomson Mary Tataw Evere. Wisteria Cairo and Virginia Hendriks who have birthdays this week.

#### July's Mission Offering

This month we support a **Kerk in Actie** project 'The Presbyterian Training Centre in Northern Ghana' You are invited, if able, to give once during the month to the mission project. Thank you for your support.

#### Pray for today's Worship Team

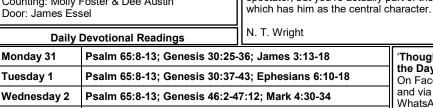
Preacher: Graham Austin Prayer: Molly Foster Children's Talk: Irene Bom Bible Reader: Bob Hensen

Music: Jan Hendrik van de Kamp Live Streaming & Beamer: Daniël de Jong

Sound: Stanley Murithi Hospitality: Rinus and helpers Welcoming: Margriet van Overbeeke & Ranee Damanik

Flowers: Family Pot

Counting: Molly Foster & Dee Austin



Thursday 3 Psalm 17:1-7, 15; Isaiah 14:1-2; Philippians 4:10-15 Friday 4 Psalm 17:1-7, 15; Isaiah 41:8-10; Romans 9:6-13 Saturday 5 Psalm 17:1-7, 15; Genesis 31:1-21; Matthew 7:7-11 Sunday 6 Psalm 17:1-7, 15, Isaiah 55:1-5, Romans 9:1-5 Communion Sunday reading: Psalm 17:1-7, 15 preacher: Rev Irene Bom

#### Summer Club

After the children's talk the children are free to gather in the Lower hall for fun and activities.

#### Being involved

Would you like to be involved in the service? Reading the bible, leading a prayer, doing a children's address, welcoming, flowers, technical etc. Then get in touch with the minister.

### House Groups/Bible Studies

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

LFFN (Ladies Fellowship and Fun Night) Next meeting Friday 18 August 7pm.

Contact Dee 0643136971

#### Possible New Fellowship Groups

Men would you be interested in forming a Men's Fellowship? (can't let the ladies have all the fun)

Are there any **18's to 35ish** (male and female) who would be interested in creating a young adults group?

#### Something to ponder

If you want to know who God is, look at Jesus. If you want to know what it means to be human. look at Jesus.

If you want to know what love is, look at Jesus. If you want to know what grief is, look at Jesus. And go on looking until you're not just a spectator, but you're actually part of the drama



group. Join by texting: 06 3059 9641





#### Welcome

#### Call to worship

Hymn Choice: MP 482 Nearer my God to thee

Prayer & 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

#### Children's Talk

Song: Lord, You are like a big strong tree

#### Church announcements

Reading: Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52

Hymn Choice: MP 25 All to Jesus I surrender (1, 3-5)

Sermon 'Kingdom pictures'

We receive the offering as we reflect and listen to Jan-Henrik

Dedicating the Offering

CH4 465 Be thou my vision

### Prayers for others

CH4 132 Immortal, invisible, God only wise

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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