

Welcome to the Scots International Church Rotterdam

A congregation of the Church of Scotland International Presbytery
Sunday 3rd September 2023

May your time here be a blessing from God

Today's Service

We welcome Rev Jimmy Brown who will be our guest preacher today. Please pray for him as he conducts communion and leads us in worship.

SICR QUIZ NIGHT Friday 29 September

Lower Hall - 7pm for 7.30pm start

Ticket €5 including buffet interval

Teams of six people

Contact Annemiek or Rinus for more details/tickets

Open Monument Day Rotterdam 2023

The SICR is again participating and will be open on
Saturday 9th September 10:00-16:00.

There are enough guides, but there is a need for a few volunteers for the hospitality. Could you contact Christine Galloway if you can help.

September Mission Offering

Thank you for your support of the Church of Scotland Guild Project 'Hear Our Voice'. The final total is **€152.85**

For September we support Kerk in Actie 'Strong women in the church (Papua) in Indonesia'

Pray for today's Worship Team

Preacher: Rev James Brown

Prayer: Raneë Damanik

Children's Talk: Rinus Dekker

Bible Reader: Richmond Mensah

Music: Jan-Hendrik v.d. Kamp and choir

Live Streaming & Beamer: Rizal Sebastian

Sound: Stanley Murithi

Hospitality: Raneë Damanik and Shanny Sprangers

Welcoming: Margriet v. Overbeeke & Silvia Scott

Flowers: Peace Acquaaah

Counting: Raneë Damanik & Mavis Fleming

Door: Dennis Acquaye

Our Daily Bread APP

Due to the cost of postage hardcopies of the **Daily Bread** are not so available. However, there is an App which can be downloaded at www.odb.org

Something to Celebrate

Congratulations to Hank Meldrum, Jim van Putten, and Liz v. d. Velden, who have birthdays this week.

Something to pray: A Pilgrim's Prayer

Christ our Guide,

stay with us on our pilgrimage through life:

when we falter, encourage us

when we stumble, steady us

and when we have fallen, pick us up.

Help us to become, step by step,

more truly ourselves,

and remind us

that you have travelled this way before us. Amen

~ by Angela Ashwin

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 TBC 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? **For either option contact the minister.**

Membership Classes

Are you interested in membership classes, or renewing the vows you took in the past? Then please get in touch with the minister to discuss this further for Autumn/winter classes.

Daily Devotional Readings

Monday 4	Psalm 83:1-4, 13-18; Exodus 4:10-31; Revelation 3:1-6	'Thought for the Day' On Facebook and via a WhatsApp group. Join by texting: 06 3059 9641  
Tuesday 5	Psalm 83:1-4, 13-18; Exodus 5:1-6:13; Revelation 3:7-13	
Wednesday 6	Psalm 83:1-4, 13-18; Exodus 7:14-25; Matthew 12:22-32	
Thursday 7	Psalm 149; Exodus 9:1-7; 2 Corinthians 12:11-21	
Friday 8	Psalm 149; Exodus 10:21-29; Romans 10:15b-21	
Saturday 9	Psalm 149; Exodus 11:1-10; Matthew 23:29-36	
Sunday 10	Psalm 149, Ezekiel 33:7-11, Matthew 18:15-20 Preacher Sia van den Breemt Psalm 13 & Genesis 32: 22-32	

At the beginning of the service you will be asked to stand as the Bible is brought forward.

Welcome

Call to worship

Introit: Choir: 'The perfect wisdom of our God'

Hymn CH4 189 Be still

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

Hymn 'God, who made the earth'

Church announcements

**Readings
Romans 12:9-21 and Matthew 16:21-28**

Hymn CH4 198 Let us build a house

Sermon 'Are you serious?'

Offering

Dedicating the Offering

MP 414a Let us break bread together

Communion

Anthem: Choir: Panis Angelicus by Louis Lambert

Prayers for others

CH4 528 - Make me a channel of your peace

**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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