

* * * SERVICES FOR SABBATH 4th OCTOBER 2014 * * *

“Meet Your God” - Prayer Session 9:30 -10:00 - with Johnny Addai-Peprah

BIBLE STUDY HOUR: 10:00 am

The theme for this quarter is: **The Epistle of James**

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| Welcome & Prayer | Rhoda Fleming |
| Opening Hymn | 1 “Praise to the Lord” |
| Reading | Looking at the 1 st and 2 nd Commandments |
| Lesson Study | John Walton |
| Mission Story & Offering | Arthur Gall |
| Closing Hymn | 4 “Praise My Soul the King of Heaven” |
| Closing Prayer | Rhoda Fleming |

DIVINE SERVICE: 11:15 am

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| Welcome and Announcements | Pastor Neil Robertson |
| Opening Hymn | 341 “To God be the Glory” |
| Prayer | |
| Scripture Reading | |
| Special Item | |
| Tithes and Offerings | |
| Sermonette | Pastor Marcel Ghioalda |
| Foot washing/children’s story | Participants/Tobias |
| Hymn | 340 (1,2) “Jesus Saves” |
| Prayer | |
| Reading | |
| Prayer | Pastor Neil Robertson |
| Reading | |
| Prayer | Johnny Addai-Peprah |
| Closing Hymn | 340 (3,4) |
| Benediction | Pastor Marcel Ghioalda |

AFTERNOON PROGRAMME

2:00 pm Pastor Marcel Ghioalda

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Sunset Times:

Sabbath 4th October – 18:39 pm
 Friday 10th October – 18:24 pm

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* * * THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK * * *

HOLD ON UNTO YOUR FAITH

Looking back is not what many people recommend, even, in the Bible Lot’s wife was advised not to look back. Let’s share, please read: Rom. 8:35-39
 However, Bible sometimes advises the idea of reflection by viewing the past events for encouragement as well as warning purposes, for example, “remember Lot’s wife” also gives us another perspective of reasoning. So for example, when things are happening to you, it is sometimes difficult to judge the situation objectively. Looking back on the experience allows you to understand it with a much clearer perspective. I got baptized 1980, and anytime I reflect by looking back how I was graciously saved brings to me a very great boost of faith and my zeal to work for my “soon coming Saviour” increases. We also happen to be blessed with memory and the powers of description. So we look back at the past to enjoy our memories, to describe them and share them with others. What kind of descriptions do you have when you reflect by looking back? Are you growing in faith or you are backsliding in faith? Bible says “the night is far spent and the day is at hand”, and “our salvation is closer than when we first believe”. Again, looking back in reflection will certainly help us to answer this personal question with honesty.

My family moved up to Dundee since 21 months ago, and I honestly find this Church as a true community based, the love for one another is so strong. However, my little reservation is with the Sabbath afternoon. As people called by our name “Seventh-Day Sabbath Keepers”, will come for worship from 10-13:00hrs on Sabbath or up to 14:00hrs if one stays for lunch. This is NOT the Adventist style of Sabbath worship and I am appealing to all friends to reflect by looking back of our cherished “old style” of worship (from sunset to sunset, as the Bible recommends). We are a scriptural study-praying Church, and we cooperatively do this mostly during the Sabbath afternoon. The Sabbath is the only thing that makes us different from other Christian denominations, and if we DO NOT keep it as the Lord recommends, then, what? Bible says “he who has an ear, let him listen to the spirit”, and “he who overcomes will be given a chance to the tree of life”. Dear friends, let’s keep the Faith and not give up, for our Hope in Christ won’t disappoint us. Stay Blessed!!!

Elder Johnny Addai Peprah

* * * ANNOUNCEMENTS * * *

* **Welcome.** We are delighted to welcome you to Dundee Seventh-day Adventist Church; especially if this is your first visit. May our time together be blessed! We extend a warm invitation to all to join us for a bring-and-share meal immediately after the service.

* **"Agape Feast"** every Sabbath! After general consensus, we have decided to continue with the summer menu for Sabbath combined lunch. We will have a variety of bread, spreads, fruit, nuts and salads, etc. Please plan to join us and all contributions are greatly appreciated!

* **Request for funding:** **Mr. Robert Sullivan** has felt a call from God to pursue his theological studies at Newbold College and prepare for ministry. He has decided to respond to it, however, is kindly requesting that if anyone would like to support his fundraising efforts, he will appreciate it very much. Should you wish to respond to this request, please contact him directly on mrsullivan@hotmail.co.uk or Newbold College (student id 140159; tel. 01344 407 407).

* **Teens Bible Study – Wednesday 6.30pm** - Young people who would like to learn about the main pillars of our church are invited to join in a Bible Study on a Wednesday evening at the church. Please bring along your own Bibles.

* **Adult Bible Study. Thursday - 5:00 pm** - We invite any adults who wish to join us for a Bible Study. We will study together the main beliefs of our church.

* **The Scottish Mission Youth Retreat & Camp Meeting** 24-26th October with Pastor Gifford Rhamie and Dr S. K. Mfunu. Details are on a Poster on the church Notice Board. ABC (Stanborough Press) will be attending over the weekend of October 25, will have a display of books and will deliver pre-ordered foods. Apply to sdascotland@gmail.com.

* **Officers Training Day** on Sunday 16th Nov. from 10 am to 4 pm in the Crieff SDA church.

* **Community Cooking Hub.** Dundee SDA church 2nd & 3rd November. Will those interested in attending this training event please see Sandra Nel.

* **Toddler Group: Tuesday morning at 10:00 – 12:00.** Church members are invited to come along to our Toddler Group. We urgently need volunteers to help in the kitchen and befriend parents and carers. Your help will be appreciated.

* **Online Bulletins** at: www.adventistdundee.com. Email announcements and items for the Bulletin to: John Walton on or before Wednesday (Email: jcw@st-and.ac.uk).

Forthcoming Preachers:

4th Oct - Pastor Marcel Ghioalda
11th Oct – International Day
18th Oct – Johnny Addai-Peprah
25th Oct – Dr Bankole Davies-Browne
1st Nov – Pastor Marcel Ghioalda
8th Nov – Tarzan Bhebhe
15th Nov – Pastor Marcel Ghioalda
22nd Nov – Pastor Doug Sinclair

Forthcoming Events:

4th Oct – Communion
11th Oct – International Day
24-26th Oct - SM Camp Meeting, Gartmore House
2 & 3 Nov – Cooking Hub
16th Nov – Officers Training Day, Crieff
13th Dec – Messy Church



BULLETIN FOR 4th OCTOBER 2014



We extend a warm welcome to you and hope you enjoy worshipping with us today!

Guided by God's sufficient grace
Relying on God's free gift of grace
Acclaiming God's abundant grace
Calling all to live by God's merciful grace
Enlightened by the sure word of God's grace