

# Reformed Church Southern Suburbs

An English-speaking plant & ward of the Bellville RCSA

## Order of service :: 9:30AM :: 14 Augustus 2016

\* Call to worship, invocation & votum: Psalm 97

\* *Song of Praise*: Ps. 121

Corporate confession of Faith: Apostles' Creed

*Sing*: Doxology ~

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all  
creatures here below: alleluia, alleluia! Praise him above,  
ye heavenly host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:  
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Reading of the Law: Deut. 5:6-21; Matt. 5:12

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon: Ephesians 2:13-16

\* *Song of thanksgiving*: Smitten, stricken and afflicted

Prayer of illumination

Readings: Matthew 17:14-21

Sermon: The disciples fail again, but Jesus never does

Congregational prayer

\**Concluding song*: Psalm 86

\* *Benediction*

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\* Please stand if you are able

## Order of evening service :: 6PM

\* Call to worship, invocation & votum

\* *Song of Praise*: Psalm 27

Congregational prayer

\* *Song of thanksgiving*: Psalm 67

Readings: 1 Cor. 15:42-49; Belgic Article 14

Sermon: God's creation in covenant

\* *Concluding song*: Fairest Lord Jesus

\* *Benediction*

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\* Please stand if you are able

## Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.  
And in Jesus Christ his only begotten Son our Lord;  
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary;  
Suffered under Pontius Pilate; was crucified, dead, and buried;  
He endured the sufferings of hell;  
The third day He rose again from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the  
Father Almighty;  
From there He shall come to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit.  
I believe in a holy catholic Church; the communion of saints;  
The forgiveness of sins;  
The resurrection of the body;  
And the life everlasting. AMEN.

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:: RCSS Website: [www.rcsasouthernsuburbs.com](http://www.rcsasouthernsuburbs.com)

Announcements\*:

- :: Adult Bible Class and children's catechism
- :: Evening service at 18h00
- :: Bible study fellowship: Wednesday @ 19h00, Kenilworth
- :: Next Lord's Supper – 28 August
- :: Save the date: church bassar – 29 October  
See bulletin insert
- :: Looking for a new chairlady of the "Ladies" group
- :: Kindly refrain from parking on the grass on Scout Hall premises or neighborhood verges/sidewalks

Ways you can serve each other?

- :: Church flyer drop in the southern suburbs?
- :: Visit Dorothy Lucejko at Helen Keller?
- :: Open your home and show hospitality?
- :: Pray for each other?
- :: And... ?

Recent and upcoming birthdays

- 11 August – Heste Gerber (083-928-6151)
- 12 August – Andie de Villiers (081-331-6183)
- 27 August – Andrew Jooste (071-929-2851)

\* For more, RC Bellville Bulletin ("Loot") can be viewed at:  
<http://www.gkbellville.org/loot.htm>

Tea Duty

- 14 August: Andie – Milk & Claire – Biscuits
- 21 August: Heste – Milk & Thea – Biscuits

Prayer:

:: **Great commission:** Sudanese Reformed Churches (Rev. Patrick Jok Ding Wic); Sybrand Park'

:: **The persecuted church:** Christians attacked by ISIS in Middle East

:: **Our sick:** Dorothy Lucejko; Richard Jooste; Lydia Snyman; Andries (and Linda) Coetzee; Anzel Botha

:: **Our students:** Andie and Willem de Villiers; Sessie Ndou; Marleen Curtis; Yenny Park; Hilda Schnetler; Lina Groenewald

Prayer requests/your contact details/notes:

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For your meditation this Lord's Day:

Seek the fellowship of the saints when tempted --  
"No one should be alone when he opposes Satan. The church and the ministry of the Word were instituted for this purpose, that hands may be joined together and one may help another. If the prayer of one doesn't help, the prayer of another will." -- Martin Luther

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Bank: ABSA  
Checking account #: 929 012 6497  
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