

Helderberg Kollege SDA Kerk



17 Mei 2025

“Daarop hoor ek die stem van die Here wat sê: Wie sal Ek stuur? En wie sal vir ons gaan? Toe antwoord ek: Hier is ek, stuur my.”

Jesaja 6:8



SPESIALE GEBEDE

Dankie Liewe Heer,

Vir U grootste liefde wat nooit

uitgeput raak nie.

Seën elkeen wat 'n behoefte

aan genesing het.

Droë die tranes af, van

die met 'n gebroke hart.

Ons het u so nodig

Elke dag!

Jack en Valerie Percival Joey van Eeden

Hilda Lourens Danie Gebhardt

Christa Naudè Di Austen Hannes en Annatjie van Heerden

Corrie van Heerden

Malcolm du Preez Viona Swart

Hierdie Week

- 18 May Isabella Africa
- 20 May Marge Rothwell
Caroline du Toit
- 21 May Clement Allard
Earl Allard
- 22 May Zurina Toffey
Yvonne Handley
- 23 May Marie J van Rensburg
Annette Schoeman
- 24 May Joey von Hörsten
Nick te Water



Volgende Week

- 26 Mei Sean du Toit
- 26 Mei Vanessa Coetzee
- 29 Mei Celesti Ficker
- 30 Mei Corrie van Heerden
- 31 Mei Millie Sterley

TIENDES EN OFFERGAWES:

SnapScan: Allokeer asseblief jou fondse

Elektroniese Betaling

SDA Kerk Helderberg

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ABSA Tjekrekening: 1017091049

Epos bewys aan hbcsdachurch@gmail.com

As verwysing sluit asseblief jou naam en die ALLOKASIE van tiendes, offergawe of ander fondse (Pastoraal, Welsyn ens.)

Tensy anders aangedui, sal alle fondse wat geskenk word vir die plaaslike kerk aangewend word.



Snap here to pay

SnapScan

ADVERTENSIE:

Almal is welkom om die biblioteek in die Klubhuis enige tyd te gebruik.

Kontak asb vir Corrie by 082 877 6135 om 'n afspraak te maak.

Daar is 'n groot 'n verskeidenheid boeke beskikbaar – van EG White tot mediese boeke.

Enige donasies van boeke sal opreg waardeur word.

Please submit a prayer request to our Prayer Team: Linda Wolfaardt 082 691 2096 or via email to Varinia (hbcsdachurch@gmail.com).

Want to join the Prayer Warrior WhatsApp group, please contact Linda Wolfaardt on 0826912096

WELFARE FUND

Dear Members

With your support, we were able to assist MANY needy families in our church or who have close contact with our church/church members. Together, we can keep on supporting families in need.

On behalf of our church community at Helderberg Church, we would like to thank you for your contributions towards our much-needed welfare fund in the past. We would like to also thank you in advance for your support towards our welfare fund. Your contribution will go towards assisting people according to the welfare policy that was approved by the church board. We need your help to make it happen!

Thanks again for your support to the Helderberg Welfare fund.



Children's World is nestled among majestic blue gums on the slopes of the Helderberg Mountain. For over 30 years the school has been creating a safe, fun & interactive learning environment with the aim to develop each child holistically, creating eager life-long learners.



Telephone: 021 855 1789

childrensworldpreschool@gmail.com



Jungle Kids
Ages 4-5

Fireflies
Ages 3-4

Butterflies
Ages 0-3

ALONGSIDE MINISTRY:

Should you feel the need for someone to “come alongside” you, to “bear one another’s burdens,” to help equip you for a more intimate and intentional walk with God, please contact Yolande Moroff at 083 387 7328 to set up an appointment.

GEBED VIR KERKFAMILIE

Georgina Lombard

Gayle Loveland

Cliff Madamombe

Grizelda Madamombe



“Christ looks upon the redeemed, renewed in His own image, every heart bearing the perfect impress of the divine, every face reflecting the likeness of their Kind. He beholds in them the result of the travail of His soul, and He is satisfied. Then, in a voice that reaches the assembled multitudes of the righteous and the wicked, He declares, ‘Behold the purchase of my blood! For these I suffered, for these I died, that they might dwell in My presence throughout eternal ages.’ And the song of praise ascends from the white-robed ones about the throne: worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honour, and glory and blessing.”

MISSION OFFERING 13TH SABBATH – 28 JUNE 2025

This quarter we feature the Southern Asia-Pacific Division, which oversees the Seventh-day Adventist Church’s work in 11 countries: Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Timor-Leste, and Vietnam. The region is home to 682 million people, including 1.7 million Seventh-day Adventists. That’s a ratio of one Adventist for every 404 people. Part of a special offering collected on the last Sabbath of this quarter will go to support four projects in Brunei, Myanmar, and Indonesia.

- ✓ Preschool, Myanmar Union Adventist Seminary, Myaungmya
- ✓ Life Hope Center, Yangon, Myanmar
- ✓ Health Clinic, Brunei
- ✓ Papua Adventist Theology College, Nabire, Indonesia

Thailand is the biggest producer and exporter of cut orchids in the world.

Around 1,300 orchid species are grown in Thailand’s orchid farms, and Thailand exports more than 50,000 tons a year.



Does God Answer Prayer?

Somsak first heard about praying to the God of heaven when he was boy in kindergarten at the Seventh-day Adventist school in Korat, Thailand. Like most people in Thailand, he came from a non-Christian family and didn’t know anything about the God of heaven.

At the start of kindergarten every morning, Thailand’s flag was raised high on a flagpole in the yard of Korat Adventist

International School. Then all the children from kindergarten and the higher grades stood near the flag for the playing of the Thai national anthem. After all, the teachers led the children in singing “The Prayer Song” — a beautiful song that asks the God of heaven to bless their day.

When Somsak grew a little older, he learned to pray all by himself. His second grade teacher taught him how. At the beginning of class every day, the teacher started a prayer and invited Somsak and the other children to add to it. The teacher would say, “Dear God.” Then one child would say, “Please make me smart.” Another would say, “Please keep me safe.” And a third would add, “Please help me to be good.”

The teacher would end the prayer by saying, “In Jesus’ name, Amen.”

After learning how to pray at school, Somsak began to pray on his own in the second grade. But he didn’t pray every day.

He didn’t even pray every month. He only prayed as a last resort. Usually, he felt smart. Usually, he felt safe. But sometimes he worried that he wasn’t smart or that he wasn’t safe. Then he prayed, “Dear God, Please make me smart.

Please keep me safe. In Jesus’ name, Amen.”

Somsak also prayed on his own as a last resort in the third grade and in the fourth grade. After that, he prayed in the fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, and ninth grades.

Today, he is a strong 16-year-old teenager in the tenth grade. He may not have prayed every day, but he has prayed for many years. How many of his prayers do you think God has answered? One hundred? Fifty? Perhaps 10 or 15? If you ask Somsak, he will tell you none. Zero. Zilch.

“I haven’t felt that God has answered my prayers,” he said. “I trust more in myself.”

Somsak may not have prayed every day. He may only pray as a last resort. But do think that it’s possible that God hasn’t answered even one of his prayers? What do you think? If you said that God surely has answered at least one of his prayers, then you are right. In the Bible, God says that He answers people

even before they pray. He says, “It shall come to pass that before they call, I will answer; and while they are still speaking, I will hear” (Isaiah 65:24, NKJV).

So, why does Somsak think that God hasn’t answered his prayers? Could it be that God has answered and Somsak simply hasn’t noticed? Could it be that we also pray and have not noticed that God has answered?

Teachers at Somsak’s school are praying that he knows the God of heaven who hears and answers prayer. It can be difficult for a boy or a girl to believe in the God of heaven when no one else in their family does. The teachers are praying that Somsak and all the other children at Korat Adventist International School see that God really does hear and answer prayers.

Would you like to join the teachers in praying for Somsak and the other children?

Let’s pray.

TO COME UNDER THE SOUND OF GOD'S WORD IS A VERY IMPORTANT PART OF OUR LIFE OF FAITH

SABBATH SCHOOL LINKS

- Afrikaanse Lesstudie 11:00: In die klubhuis
- Afrikaanse Lesstudie 11:00: In Teologie gebou en aanlyn
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81779907160> Meeting Code "Sabbath"
- English Bible Study 10:45 In Theology Building and online:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3983401875> Meeting Code "Connect"
- English Sabbath School class in the Theology building – Seminar room
- 2Sconnect Lesson Study 10h45: In-Person and Online:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82520441820>

PRAYER MEETING WEDNESDAY EVENINGS at 19:00

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81779907160> Meeting Code "Sabbath"

SERMON LINKS

"n Lig op ons lewenspad"
Leraar Hein von Hörsten

Helderberg SDA Church
www.facebook.com/HelderbergSDA

Helderberg SDA Church 1
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCofVaLizCFNrKyqR-5D3HTw>

12:00: IN PERSON and ONLINE:

"The Humility of Jesus"
Dr Adrian Platts

<https://www.youtube.com/@2sconnect293/streams>

OORPLASINGS na HBC 1st LESING

Tafadzwa Kamushinda vanaf Kraaifontein
Maureen Cromhout vanaf Johannesburg Noord
Brian Clarke vanaf Claremont
Natalie Clarke vanaf Claremont
Kihanna de Buys vanaf Kuilsrivier

BYBELSTUDIE: Beskikbaar in Engels of Afrikaans

EK IS VROLIK OOR U BELOFTE SOOS EEN WAT 'N GROOT BUIT VIND. Ps 119:162

Contact: Ps Dalbock 083 579 4080 / Robyn Dalbock 071 538 0671

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Hulle sal jou persoonlik, stap vir stap lei deur 'n wonderlike stel gratis Bybelstudies.



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