

***Thought:** 'We are not all in the same boat, we are in the same storm. Some have yachts, some have canoes, and some are drowning. Just be kind and help when you can.' – Anon.*

Sabbath School 10am

Welcome: Sheryl Davidans

Opening Hymn, SDAH 100: 'Great is Thy Faithfulness'

Prayer

Lesson Study: 4. 'God's Passionate and Compassionate'

led by

Class 1: Pastor Steven George

Class 2: Pastor Curtis Murphy

Class 3: Joanne Cameron

Mission Spotlight video

Offering/prayer

Hymn, SDAH 295: 'Chief of Sinners'

Closing Prayer:

Bulletin details: Please send all material to bulletin@grantham-sda-church.org by Wednesday evening, or telephone 07898 696061

Family Worship 11.30am

Today we welcome Pastor Steven George to our pulpit.

Invocation – Pr Steven George

Welcome – Sheryl Davidans

Hymn, SDAH 327 – 'I'd Rather Have Jesus'

Scripture Reading – John 10:10, Joshua Puckering

Tithes and Offerings –

Children's Story – Pr Steven George

Congregational Prayer – Pr John Ferguson

Special Song – 'By the Saviour's Power'

Message – Pr Steven George: 'A life Worth Living'

Hymn – SDAH 526 – 'Because He Lives'

Closing Prayer – Pr Steven George



Sunset this week: 4.32 Next Week: 4.45

Service times:

Sabbath School 10am; Break 11am; Announcements 11.15am; Song Service 11.20am; Divine Service at 11.30am. Monthly Afternoon Service on 3rd Sabbath of each month: 3pm

Notices

Prayer Pointers:

Please pray for Trevor & Kristina Hammond and their family; Stephen & Elizabeth Holden and their family; Audrey & Peter Howard.

- Continue to remember Edna Philip and Kathleen Weekes who are still very unwell.
- Please pray for the hostages that have been released this week so that they will settle into the peace of normality once again.
- We need more pupils in our school. WILL YOU ALL pray for our school and its mission?
- Another tumultuous week has passed into history with the inauguration of Donald Trump. Please pray for our world in these troubled times and that God will provide new opportunities for sharing the Gospel.

Congratulations to Steve and Liz on the birth of their second grandchild – a baby girl, ***Iona Winifred Walton***. She was born on 12th January and weighed 7lb 6oz. Congratulations go to her proud parents Jenny and Matthew, and big brother Teddy.

Prayer Meeting: Next Wednesday at 7pm Pastor will be leading our prayer meeting. He will be taking us through Peter Roennfelt's book: *Following Jesus*. Why not join us?

Sunday Breakfast: Last Sunday we were fearful that we might be short of volunteers for the breakfast duties. God was with us as we served over 30 hungry people. We also had a good tidy up and now have cupboards that are spick and span.

- We will be happy to receive underwear, hats, socks, gloves and trainers (that are new or nearly new) for SB visitors.
- If you would like to join a Passage team, please see Esme or John.

Anne's team tomorrow. **Jenny's** team next week.

NEC Church Officers' Training – *All deacons and deaconesses are strongly encouraged to attend the online Zoom training that will have participants from both North and South conferences.*

To attend:

1. Go to <https://tinyurl.com/anvk3vwf> and complete the form. I suggest at least an hour before the meeting starts. (You will then receive an email with a link to join the meeting)
2. At the start of the meeting, open the email and click the link to join the call.
3. You can remain mute and camera off during the call or you can unmute and camera on if you want to ask questions and engage in the meeting.

The best experience on these calls is by using a computer, else a tablet or if neither available then a phone. The training so far has been very beneficial and has included the topic of hospitality and also the very important topic of safeguarding.

Any questions or issues – feel free to contact me by email or 07908 845745

Reminder to parents of children attending Junior

Sabbath School: Please do not leave your children unsupervised in the hall.

If you arrive and Junior Sabbath School has not started, please take your children with you into Senior Sabbath School.

Once Sabbath School has finished at 11am children are the responsibility of their parents and due to safeguarding guidance should not be left to play in the hall or outside unsupervised.

THE SAFETY OF OUR CHILDREN IS OF THE HIGHEST IMPORTANCE!

Saturday, 15 February – Book Blessing Service. Guest Speaker: Pastor Sam Ouadjo (BUC Ministerial Director). We will welcome our friends from the Stanborough Press who will bring books that have been printed during 2024 for a special blessing service. Fellowship Lunch is planned as well as the Afternoon Programme. Please plan to come and invite your friends along.

Can you help? Family of 2 (adult and child) in need of temporary accommodation in Grantham. If you are able to assist or know of anyone who can help, please contact the pastors or elders. Thank you for your help.

Treasury information:

To pay church budget and local offerings by bank transfer, please use the following account details:

Account Name	Grantham SDA Church
Account Number	03310485
Sort Code	60-09-09

Please always include your name and the offering purpose (e.g. Sunday, Samaritan, Budget etc) in the reference field to assist the Treasury Team.

Offerings for last Sabbath (18th January 2025):

NEC Tithe	£ 405.80
Sabbath School	£ 60.71
Grantham Budget Offering	£ 281.75
DHS Penny Offeering	£ 52.85
ADRA	£ 13.62

Thanks to Steve C, John S and Felicity for helping with the counting.

Live/Recorded Zoom Meetings

Divine Service every Sabbath at 11.15am
Join Zoom Meeting

<https://tinyurl.com/y44c8men>

Meeting ID: 867 0662 0811 Passcode: 707873

Afternoon Service (3rd Sabbath in month) at 3pm

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://tinyurl.com/y44c8men>

Meeting ID: 867 0662 0811 Passcode: 707873

Not recorded: Prayer Meeting at 7pm every Wednesday

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://tinyurl.com/3jkye3ss>

Meeting ID: 85108528921 Passcode: 382860

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