

**Thought:** 'I am the living one! I was dead, but now I am alive forever.' – *Revelation 1:18, GNB*

## Sabbath School 10am

Welcome and Prayer: Ilidiko Masuko

Lesson Study 3: 'Images from Marriage'  
led by

Class 1: Linda Muganga

Class 2: Pr Curtis Murphy

Class 3: Pr Steven George

Mission Spotlight video

Offering and Prayer

Hymn, SDAH 656: 'O Perfect Love'

Closing Prayer

### 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.

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by Wednesday evening, or telephone 07898 696061

## Family Worship 11.30am

Invocation – Pr Steven George

Welcome – David Richardson

Hymn: SDAH 163 – 'At the Cross' – David Richardson

Scripture Reading: John 20:1-13 – Pr Steven George

The Lord's Tithe and Freewill Offerings – Prince Nambo

Children's Story: Pr Steven George

Congregational Prayer – Prince Nambo

Special Item: 'He Lives Again'

Sermon: – 'Graves Into Gardens' – Pr Steven George

Hymn: SDAH 526 – 'Because He Lives' – Prince Nambo

Benediction – Pr Steven George

The song 'He Lives Again' was created by Angie Killian & Joelle Einerson and will be performed today by the SDA Grantham Adult and Children's Choir



Sunset this week: 8.07    Next Week: 8.19

## Notices

### Prayer Pointers:

- Give thanks *Christ is Risen! Hallelujah!*
- Give thanks for the abundance of new life that is springing up in every nook and cranny and well as fields, forests and dales.
- That the countryside affected by wildfires across our land in recent weeks will recover quickly.
- The world offers us promises full of emptiness; but thank God Easter offers us emptiness full of promise – empty cross, empty tomb, empty grave clothes – all full of promise!
- Pray for the staff and children of Dudley House as they start a new term next week.
- Please pray for Matthew & Tash Seymour and their family; Karen & Richard Shelbourn; Chris & Sara Sheppard and their family.
- Thanks to those members who have already supported the costs of the children's trip to PGL Activity Centre in a few weeks' time. For those who have not contributed please be generous when the Dudley House penny offering is collected next week.
- Please remember Lucille McKoy who is slowly recovering from her accident.
- Please continue to remember Felicity and her family as they grieve the loss of a mother and grandmother.

**The North England Conference Camp Meeting** takes place at the Yarnfield Park Training & Conference Centre, located in Stone, Staffordshire, ST15OL, 28<sup>th</sup> May to 1<sup>st</sup> June. *See noticeboard for further details.*

**Sunday Breakfast:** The Sunday Breakfast teams are expecting a 'surprise visit' from the Health & Hygiene team from the local SKDCouncil to check on our kitchen facilities/storage areas to make sure that we comply with their stringent regulations. We have to pass all the regulations to get our 5-Star rating.

This week the Sunday Breakfast regulars will receive an Easter gift because of the kindness of the Nottinghamshire Building Society customers who donate items for

‘the people who are cared for by the Passage’. We thank God for their generosity and kindness.

**Lynne’s** team tomorrow. **Carole’s** team next week.

**Children’s Sabbath School:** There will be a Bible treasure trail and egg hunt this afternoon at 2:30 - 3:30. Starting from Lenton church carpark (NG33 4HE). Snacks included. All are welcome. *Don’t forget to bring a Bible.*

**Community Services:** An outing is planned for Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> April from the church at 10:00am or going direct to Springfields (Spalding) meeting at 11:00 am. Date subject to confirmation. *All are welcome.*

The next group meeting will be held at the Press on 6th May at 10:30am.

**Kitchen Hygiene:** In recent weeks the Breakfast teams have encountered mess and muddles in the kitchen which means we need to clear up before we can start preparing breakfast – eg, a very dirty kitchen floor, work tops covered in grease, hobs with ‘burnt-on’ food that had to be scraped off, leftover food not covered or refrigerated, dirty dishes left on the work surfaces, dirty tea towels left for us to deal with, bins not emptied of rubbish. If any inspector were to walk into our usually pristine kitchen – we would not get our 5-Stars!

**Accommodation:** A family of 2 (adult and child) are 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.

**Fellowship Lunch (today)** – We invite and encourage everyone to stay back for the lunch, you will be blessed.

**Afternoon Worship Service, today, at 4pm:** ‘*What has God ever done for me?*’ Learn and share the answer to this question through meditation, testimony, word and song. Let’s celebrate the story that changed everything. Bring along a friend.

**Movie Night (from 6pm)** – All are welcome to join us as we close Sabbath watching a Christian movie. Snacks and

refreshments will be provided! What movie are we watching? You will have to come along to find out.

**Foodbank AGM** has been postponed to 5pm on 24<sup>th</sup> April at 1-2 Greyfriars.

**Foodbank:** Thank you to all those who provide food for those in need; it is greatly appreciated by those who receive help from the local Foodbank. Please provide tinned and packet items (not fresh produce) as the ‘foodbank’ do not have the facilities to store fresh produce.

#### **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 12/04/25

NEC Tithe	£	502.00
Sabbath School	£	48.20
Grantham Budget	£	233.30
DHS Penny Offering	£	27.06
Local Evangelism	£	3.50

7Me App – if anyone is setting up their details on the 7Me App please make sure you are not duplicating yourself. We have several members who have duplicated themselves and now have two membership code numbers. If you need membership code details please contact Felicity.

## **Grantham Seventh-day Adventist Church**

**19<sup>th</sup> April 2025**



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