

SERVICE OUTLINE FOR SABBATH 18th JANUARY 2020

MORNING PRAYER SESSION: 9:45 - 10:00

BIBLE STUDY HOUR 10:00

Welcome:	Elder Johnny Addai-Peprah
Opening Hymn:	524 – ‘Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus’
Prayer:	Washington Manenji
Remarks:	Elder Johnny Addai-Peprah
Lesson Study:	Les Simpson
Mission Offering:	Elder Johnny Addai-Peprah
Closing Hymn:	213 – ‘Jesus Is Coming Again’
Benediction:	Jeremy Addai-Peprah

DIVINE SERVICE 11:15

Welcome & Announcements:	Jeremy Addai-Peprah
Opening Hymn:	469 – ‘Leaning On The Everlasting Arms’
Opening Prayer:	Elder Brenya Obeng
Scripture Reading:	Jeffrey Addai-Peprah
Tithes & Offering:	Joshlen Addai-Peprah
Special Item:	Naomi & Ropa
Children’s Story	Elder Johnny Addai-Peprah
Meditational Song	483 – ‘I Need Thee Every Hour’
Sermon	‘Holy Spirit, Our Need of Him’ – Eld. Johnny
Group Prayer Session:	
2 nd Meditational Song:	478 – ‘Sweet Hour Of Prayer’
Closing Hymn	633 – ‘When We All Get To Heaven’
Benediction:	Elder Johnny Addai-Peprah

AFTERNOON SESSION 14:30

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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

Mistaken Identity

All over the world you will find places with names that look and sound as if they had their origins in Scotland. This is quite a feat for a small country at the top of an island in the north Atlantic! It is a testimony to the hardiness and adventurous nature of the Scottish people, who fearlessly ventured out across the world taking their culture and place names with them.

My parents, being good hardy and adventurous Scots, ventured out as newlyweds in 1925 to settle in Alberta in western Canada. And like so many other Scots, they named their farm Dumbreck after my father’s family farm in Aberdeenshire as a way of remembering home.

However, not all places abroad with a Scottish sounding name are named after a real place in Scotland, or are actually Scottish names at all! There is an impressive 9,630-foot-high pyramid shaped mountain in Alberta, Canada, which is called Mount Glasgow. Everyone assumes it is named after the City of Glasgow. The truth is that it is named after the battleship HMS Glasgow, built in Glasgow in 1909, which helped to sink a German cruiser and another ship in the Battle of the Falklands in 1914.

How easy it is to fall into the trap of mistaken identity. I am not a great lover of the City of Glasgow, but I would prefer a beautiful mountain to be named in honour of Glasgow, rather than after a battleship which was involved in war and the loss of life of brave soldiers and sailors.

Names are the way we identify people, and parents struggle long over choosing an appropriate name for a child. I have not come across the name, Judas, as a boy’s name! I well remember my daughter’s parents-in-law being scandalised at the name of a Solicitor’s office in Cupar – Pagan Osbourne! Would you trust a solicitor with the surname Pagan?

I am sure Bill Pagan was a very nice man and a good solicitor, it is just unfortunate that we attribute unappealing characteristics to certain names, a simple case of mistaken identity.

All of us in church today are proud to take the name Christian, and the world has a well-established understanding of what to expect of a person with that name. Does your life live up to the expectations of that name, or is it a case of mistaken identity?

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.

FOODBANK APPEAL: Please be generous and donate some tins or tasty treats for the local Dundee Foodbank this winter. Everyone needs to eat to keep warm and stay healthy. So please spare a thought for the poorer ones in our community. The collection box for your donations of non-perishable food items is in the fellowship hall. Thank you for thinking of others this Christmas!

MIDWEEK PRAYER: Every Wednesday from 6:00 pm at Church. You are welcome to the Testimony and Prayer Sessions, invite friends and families.

TITHE, OFFERINGS & OTHER PAYMENTS: Sort Code: 83-25-25, Account No: 00172727 and email n.robertson@onetel.net

MEDIA RECORDING: No unauthorised video, still pictures or audio are to be recorded during church services. During special events and other services, only the church's communications team is allowed to record any media and to make it available to the members through the channels available.

CHILDREN SAFETY/CARE: In Dundee, our intention is for everyone to enjoy their worship experience. We therefore request that all parents should always know where their children are; and are responsible for their children's whereabouts on church premises. Thank you for understanding.

BULLETIN ITEMS: Forward to: mervyn007fa@gmail.com or WhatsApp 07412679232 by Thursday evening.

Forthcoming Preachers

25/01 – Elder Brenya Obeng
01/02 – Pr. Jim Botha
08/02 – Elder Tarzan Bhebhe
15/02 – SM Youth Day
22/02 – Dr. John Walton

Forthcoming Events

25/1 – SM Training Day
15/2 – SM Youth DoF (Dundee)
7/3 – Women's Day of Prayer
21-28/3 – Youth Week of Prayer

SUNSET TIMES:

Friday 17th January – 16:10
Saturday 18th January – 16:12
Friday 24th January – 16:24
Saturday 25th January – 16:26

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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**