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Newsletter from:

**Dutch Reformed Church in
Kampen and the supporting
churches**

Fnallus festival

In the first weekend of November, we as a congregation celebrated the Fnallus festival. This flea market (fancy fair), bingo and weekend of fun, aims to raise as much money as possible for our sister churches in KwaZulu-Natal (South Africa).

It was the first time after the Corona pandemic and it remained to be seen whether the festival was still as popular as before the Corona pandemic. We were therefore very happy that the gainings had never been as high as this year.

If you have projects that could use financial support, let us know!





Rev. Bruintjes will leave the church of Kampen

Our Reverend Frank Bruintjes has received a calling from the church of Westbroek (a place near to Utrecht). And he informed the congregation of Kampen on January 1 that he has accepted the calling. So our pastor will be leaving us later this year (May).

We are grateful for the many years that reverent Bruintjes has been pastor in our congregation. And wish him (and his family) a very good and blessed time in Westbroek.

Reunification of the NGK en GKv

Furthermore, the reunification of the Dutch Reformed Churches and the Reformed Churches Liberated has entered a final phase. One of the matters that needs to be discussed per congregation is how the mission will be implemented in these congregations.

The CZZA wrote a letter to all supporting churches to continue to support the work for (and by) our sister churches in KwaZulu-Natal. However, each congregation will have to make its own decision in the coming period. Please bring this up in your prayers before the Lord?

New pastor for the church of Zwolle

We greet you and your family's in the name of our risen Lord. We like to tell you about our congregation in Zwolle. On 15 January, we were privileged to confirm a new pastor, after being vacant for almost 2 years and a period of lockdown due to Covid. It was a festive service, with many guests and a communal meal to conclude.



The children had decorated the tables with flowers and garlands. We look forward to what God gives our congregation and in what ways we can share God's love for the city of Zwolle. It is good to pray for each other.

We ask your prayers for:

- The new pastor, Evert Jan Broekhuizen, that he may preach God's Word and help build up the congregation.
- The teenagers in our congregation who are coming to church services less and less. Please pray that they do not lose their relationship with God.
- The children's work in the church, that we help the children in knowing God and that they can build friendships among themselves.
- Our congregation and its place in the city; that we find ways to share God's love.

We greet you from Zwolle, The Netherlands and wish you the blessing of God, that He provides everything you need for your community!