

11 am Worship Service

Introit: 'Holy, Holy, Holy'

Silent Prayer

Call to Worship NAH85

*O Come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem!
Come and behold Him,
Born the King of angels!
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
Christ, the Lord!*

Invocation

Meditation

Opening Hymn NAH84: 'There's a Song in the Air'

Tithes and Offerings

Children's Story

Hymn NAH459: 'Love Divine'

Family Prayer

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 12:1-2

Music in Meditation: Sophia Vontzalidis

Sermon: Fixing our Eyes on Jesus
Pastor Aris Vontzalidis

Hymn NAH101: 'Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne'

Benediction: Pastor Aris Vontzalidis

Elder: Brian Davison

Organist: Joan Maxwell

Contacts

Pastoral Team

Jacques Venter

jventer@secadventist.org.uk / 07868 546 941

Sam Neves

samneves@mac.com / 07522 088 007

Mary Barrett

mbarrett@secadventist.org.uk / 07961 777 446

Stanborough Centre Office

Michael Swain

stanboroughcentre@gmail.com / 07962 320 372

Church Clerk

swan.patricia4@gmail.com / 07905 620 080

Bulletin Deadline Wednesday 3pm

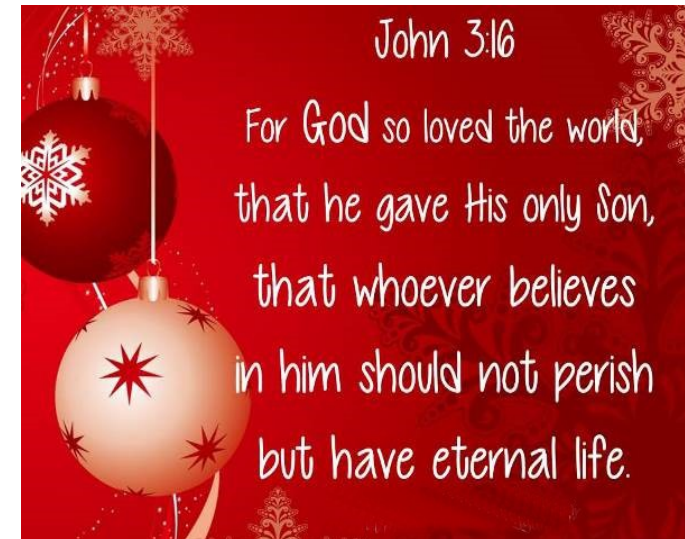
bulletin@stanboroughchurch.org



SUNSET TIMES

Today: 3:56pm **Next Friday:** 4:05pm

Welcome to Stanborough Park Church



Pastoral Team: Jacques Venter; Mary Barrett; Sam Neves
Stanborough Park Seventh-day Adventist Church
609 St Albans Road, Watford WD25 9JL
01923 894 664
www.stanboroughchurch.org
[facebook.com/stanboroughparkchurch](https://www.facebook.com/stanboroughparkchurch)
twitter.com/stanboroughhpc

Sabbath School

9.45am

Welcome and Introduction: Peter Bone

Hymn 96: 'It Came Upon the Midnight Clear'

Prayer: Eustace Anthony

Mission News: Paulina Rinta-Aho

Musical Item: 'In His Presence', Christine Cornwall

Bible Study

Mission Offering: Clinton Quarshie

Hymn 87 NAH: 'As With Gladness Men of Old'

Closing Prayer: Roy Burgess

Things you Need to Know

PRAYER CORNER. Again let us thank God for the first Christmas Day. Also let us remember two groups of people in need. The first are those facing more flooding in Cumbria. The others are civilians in Syria who are still having bombs taking their lives, and destroying their homes and hospital.

THE SINGING GROUP will be going to Green bank Care Home, WD174JR at 3:30 pm today.

SOUP RUN will restart on Friday 8 January. Many thanks to those who donated items for the Christmas Soup Run. They were much appreciated.

FAMILY MINISTRIES PRAYER BASKET is with Montague family. We invite the church to pray for Gary, Wendy & the extended family. 'May God provides protection & health to our extended family.' "Even though I walk through the darkest Valley I will not fear not evil, for you are with me; your rod and staff, they comfort me." Psalm 23:4

PASTOR SURGERY Beginning on the 6th January, Pastor Jacques Venter will be available on Wednesdays, from 10am-1pm, for all the members that would like to meet with him. In order to maintain a fluid and organized schedule, please book your appointment through beatrice@stanboroughpark.org

THE FLOWERS TODAY celebrate the 90th birthday of Sheila Burgess, thanking God for His faithful providence and watchcare through the years.

YOUTH AFTERNOON. All youth aged between 13-20 are invited for a pot luck lunch in the Cedar/Sycamore after church on the 16th of January. After lunch we will have games, activities and the opportunity for you to tell the new committee what you would like to do in 2016. We will conclude the day with an ice skating social in the evening. Hope to see you there!"

DEACONS AND USHERS: All are required to attend a meeting with the Pastor/Elders immediately after the Divine Service on 2 Jan 2016 in the Oak room.

DEACONESES 2016. There is a meeting for all deaconesses at the church on Sunday 3rd January at 2.30 pm. Please let Paulina know if you are unable to attend.

PRAYER MEETING. There will be no prayer meeting on the 30th December. The next prayer meeting will be on the 6th January.

CAP MONEY COURSE, starting January 10th. The CAP money course is a management course that teaches people budgeting skills and a simple, cash based system that really works. It is devised by Christians against Poverty. For more details please contact Pastor Mary.

MESSENGRS AND ADVENTIST REVIEW MAGAZINES are available on the table in the North Porch together with free literature to take away and give to your friends and neighbours.

BUDGET UPDATE

	Budget	Actual
Nov	£5,147	£6,646
To Date	£59,583	£60,750

Our deepest joy for God's richest blessings. He has provided for you and we want to say thank you to all of you for being willing to give so sacrificially to the budget of the Church. If you give freely today as you have in the past it is our anticipation that we will make our budget this year. To God be the glory for his provision.

BUSINESS MEETING. After considering the request from the previous Business Meeting, the Board has made the decision to call a combined Business Meeting for 24 January at 7pm. All 2015 department leaders are asked to prepare a written report and submitted to Pat Swan by the 10th of January so that it can be prepared for distribution on the 17th of January 2015. Agenda for this meeting will be:

- Finalising goals for 2016 and beyond.
- Reflections on Department Reports.
- Refurbishment and Extension Financial Update



PLEASE RESPECT GOD'S HOUSE.

As people are being ministered to via live stream & around you, in order to maintain an atmosphere of worship, & out of respect to worshipers around you, please turn off all mobile, dispose of all food & drink before entering the Sanctuary, and please do not allow children to damage Church furniture.