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Stanborough Park Church

)elcome to

2 January 2016



'Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say Rejoice'. Philippians 4:4



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Call to Worship 'Praise Him, Praise Him', (v.1)

Invocation Prayer

Praise Songs

'And Can It Be' 'How Deep the Father's Love for Us'

Welcome

Tithes and Offerings Congregation to sing, 'Worthy Is the Lamb,' during the offering

Family Prayer

Children's Time

Development Offering

Meditation in Music

Sermon: 'Who Do You Think You Are?' Pastor Jacques Venter

Hymn: 'All To Jesus I Surrender'

Benediction



SUNSET TIMES

Today: 4:03pm Next Friday: 4:11pm



9.45am

Welcome: Audrey Balderstone Hymn 7 NAH: 'Now thank we all our God'

Prayer: Luke Stickland

Mission News: Irma Ackie

Praise in Music: 'The most beautiful story that's ever been told', Stanborough Girls

Lesson study: 'Crisis in Heaven'

'Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne and to the Lamb'. Rev.7:10 (KNJV)

Mission Offering and Prayer: Ben Elias Hymn 500 NAH: 'March on my Soul with Strength'

Closing Prayer: Eva Papaioannou

Things you Need

PRAYER CORNER. Let us pray for those Christians who are in danger throughout the world. Also please remember people living in the flooded areas in Britain and America.

THE SINGING GROUP will be going to the Chase Care Home, 4 Printers Avenue, WD18 7QR at 3:30 pm today.

FAMILY MINISTRIES PRAYER BASKET will be with the Davison family. We invite the church family to pray for Ben, Natalie and children. 'Our prayer request is that God will give us wisdom, guidance and patience as we bring up our children 'in the training and instruction of the Lord.' "Do you not know? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and His understanding no one can fathom." Isaiah 40:28.

THE BIBLE STUDY GROUP restarts on Tuesday 3rd January at 10.30am. All welcome. Topic Mark's Gospel.

THE CONNECT/WELCOME TEAM have a committee meeting this week on Wednesday 6 January at 8:30 pm. in the Maple Room.

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, book your appointment through beatrice@stanboroughpark.org

THE SOUP RUN will be leaving on Friday 8 January at 8:30 pm. The Watford Town Church are leading out on that evening. If you wish to go on the soup run please contact Pat Walton on 01923 672500.

MESSENGERS 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 & neighbours.

CHRISTMAS CARDS. There are some Christmas cards awaiting collection in the North Porch.

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!"

THANK YOU FOR PASTOR SAM. Today and next week we will take up a thank you offering for Pastor Sam Neves, which will be given to him later in January. Please place your thank you offering in the offering plate clearly marked, "Pastor Sam".

CONSULTING ROOM (OLD MINISTER'S VESTRY). All members are asked to please be mindful not to leave anything in the new Consulting Office (the old Minister's Vestry). This room is in use during the week and requires to be clear of clutter at all times.

ADVENTURER/PATHFINDER next meeting is on Sunday 10 January 9.15-12noon at the Watford Leisure Centre, Horseshoe Lane, WD25 7HH. Next Saturday 9 January is the Area Pathfinder Bible Experience at North Wembley SDA church, 217 East London, HA0 3NG at 3.30pm. Please pray that our children would excel as they participate.

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.

DEACONESSES 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.

WOMEN IN PRAYER, 9 JANUARY, Beech and Oak rooms at 13:40. We will be praying for families and the community. If you have any specific request please join us. Light refreshments are served at 1 pm.

<u>CAP MONEY COURSE</u>. This course is a revolutionary money management course that teaches people budgeting skills and a simple cash-based system that really works. The course will help anyone to get more in control of their finances, so that they can save, give and prevent debit. The course is devised by the award winning debt counselling charity, Christians Against Poverty. Each course consists of three sessions, with homework in between. The first session begins on Sunday 10th January. For further details plS contact Pastor Mary.

TITHE RECEIPTS. New Procedure. Starting on the 2 January receipts for offerings given in the Tithe envelopes will be available for collection at the reception desk at the end of the church service. Further information regarding the Receipts will be available soon.

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:

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

PRAISE HIM! PRAISE HIM!

NEW YEARS CONCERT Next Saturday evening, 9 January, at 7.30pm Free Entry

An opportunity for us all to to start the New Year, singing and praising God for all of His blessing, together with out Church Choir and Orchestra. Please invite your friends and neighbours.

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.