

SABBATH SCHOOL 9.45AM

Welcome – Pierre Guenin

Hymn 308: *Far From All Care* – Michael Burgess

Prayer – Audrey Reitsma

Mission Spotlight

Sweet Hour of Prayer – Miriam Ivan, piano

Bible Study Groups

Mission Offering

Hymn 587: *I Thank Thee Lord*

Benediction

Please remember that the accessible bays at the front of the church and at the top of the ramp at the rear are for the use of blue badge holders whenever the church or centre is in use, and not just for Sabbath services. Badges must be displayed.

Our services are streamed live on the internet and recorded on DVD. If you would prefer not to appear on camera, please ask a deacon to indicate where you should sit in the sanctuary.

New Opening Hours for ABC Shop Monday to Thursday 8.45am–5.00pm (closed for lunch 1.00–1.30pm); Friday 8.45am–12 noon. Closed on Sundays.

Sabbath, 1st May, 3.30-4.30pm

Prayer and Reflection: The God who Guides

Dr Daniel Duda will be sharing with us how God can actually guide us in our lives when we turn to Him for direction. Pastor Ian Sleeman will be leading out in the worship time and there will be time to talk with God on your own and pray with a friend or one of the pastoral team. There will also be a separate programme for young children during the prayer time.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We welcome you to Stanborough Park Church today. Our speakers today are Pastor Eric Lowe in the Family Service, and Henrik Jorgensen in Parallel Service in the Stanborough Centre.

The flowers today are given by Philippe and Therese Valsin to express gratitude to their Creator for His mercies and love to them throughout their many happy years together.

Enid Roberts would like to thank you all for your prayers, visits and many expressions of love and support.

Pastor John Arthur is making steady progress in hospital. He is still receiving treatment for the infection that was the cause of his stroke and is undergoing physiotherapy and strenuous gym sessions, but he is in good spirits. Please continue to remember John and Ruth in your prayers.

Yves Vitry is home from hospital and thanks you for your visits and prayers.

Jean-Marc and Sunsiree Renard express their thanks and appreciation for your support and prayers on the birth of their new baby boy, Davide.

Congratulations to Peter and Pat Bone on the birth of their second granddaughter, Annabelle.

It's Messy Church this afternoon and we look forward to seeing parents with their children from 3.45 for registration. Children under 7 years, please bring a cardboard tube and an apron with you if possible.

The Sunday Sale last week raised £1200 for ADRA-UK, plus an additional £200 from the Pathfinders and Barbara Bus stands. Many thanks to all who supported this sale.

Do you have a special event to celebrate this year? If you would like to express your gratitude to God by donating the flowers for Sabbath, please contact the head deaconess, Paulina Rinta-aho, for more information and to reserve a date.

Adventist Review magazines are available for distribution. They are on the windowsill in the North Porch – help yourself to as many as you wish to take.

The Adventurer & Pathfinder Club resumes tomorrow from 10am to 12 noon.

Adventures in Living *The Sleep of Reason* is the title of the Tuesday Talk this week at 8pm in the Stanborough Centre. A light supper will be served at 7pm.

The speaker for the prayer meeting this Wednesday will be Sharon Platt-Macdonald, BUC director for Health Ministries: *Praying the Promises*, part 3 of our series on *Strengthening Your Relationship with God*. We meet in the church at 7.30pm

The Orchestra meets for rehearsal this Friday, 23 April, at 6.15pm and for the Song Service next Sabbath at 9.30am.

The Soup Run this Friday will be led by Pat Walton and the driver will be Brian Davison. If you wish to go on the Soup Run, please see Pat Walton.

The next health lecture will take place on Thursday 29th April, at 8pm: "Mental Health: a bio-psychosocial/spiritual perspective" presented by Dr Carl London. A light supper will be served at 7pm.

The next Fellowship Lunch is on 1st May. Please book in advance – special envelopes available at the desk.

YOUTH NOTES

Regular Events		
Tuesdays	Lads' Night, 8.30pm	
Thursdays	Baptismal class, 5.30pm	
	Teens Bible Study, 6.30pm	
	Girls' Night, 6.30pm	
Fridays	YU, 7.30pm	

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SUNSET TIMES

Today 7:59

Next Week 8:10

The ADRA Annual Appeal

27 March – 18 April



Changing the World One Life at a Time

Total counted so far is £2664.26; number of permit holders 67; number of cans issued 115, people who have returned cans 36, cans counted 68. Permits, cans and territory (Borehamwood) will be available in the Cedar-Sycamore Room after the service. Tomorrow is the last day for door-to-door collecting.

Order an Indian meal from Kish Poddar to raise funds for the appeal. Advance bookings only. Call 01923 673987.

Saturday, 8th May at 7pm

Let's Celebrate Diversity

Isn't it wonderful to know that we are part of a church family that is so beautifully diverse? Let's celebrate together by a show of culture! We want to hear from you if you would like to participate with a decorated stall, finger food, traditional dance, music, costumes and games, or any other aspect of your culture that you would like to share with the rest of us! It is a great outreach opportunity as well as a learning experience. Help us make this a fun evening!

If you would like to take part, please let Diana, Daniel or Alix know.



PLEASE PRAY...

... for those in our own community who are seriously ill;
... for the bereaved and injured following the earthquake in China;
... for the final thrust for the ADRA Annual Appeal.

DIARY

- Sun** Adventurer & Pathfinder Club, 10am
Mon Badminton, 5.30pm
Tue Tuesday Small Group, 1.45pm
Bible Studies Small Group, 7pm
Adventures in Living Tuesday Talk, 8pm
Wed Badminton, 5.30pm
Baptismal Class for 12-14 year-olds
Prayer Meeting, 7.30pm
Fri Orchestra Practice, 6.15pm
Soup Run, 8.30pm
Sab Prayer Group, 9am in the Maple Room
Baptismal Class, 10am
Family Service, 11am. Speaker Bertil Wiklander
Serving Elders: R Poulton and H Comerasamy
Parallel Service, 11am. Speaker Steve Moser
29 Apr Health Lecture, 8pm
1 May Fellowship Lunch
Prayer and Reflection, 3.30-4.30pm
8 May International Night, 7pm

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Please contact us if you would like a visit or know of someone who is unwell or in need of a visit for any reason, or if you would like to know more about the Bible.

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17th April 2010

Welcome to
Stanborough Park
Seventh-day Adventist Church

FAMILY SERVICE 11AM

Call to Worship:

Be still for the presence of the Lord,

the Holy One, is here,

Come bow before Him now with reverence and fear.

In Him no sin is found, we stand on holy ground.

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the Holy one, is here.

Invocation

Hymn 15: *O Praise Ye the Lord*

Tithes and Offerings

Children's Story – Rosemarie Plimmer

Hymn 456: *Dear Lord and Father of Mankind*

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 8: 1-9 – Jake DeBique

Family Prayer – Brazilian Youth Prayer Group

Lisa and Bella Bryer, Julianna Keshishian,
Rebecca and Matthew Morais

Meditation: *There's Room at the Cross* – Des Rafferty

Sermon: *The Grace of Giving* – Pastor Eric Lowe

Hymn 602: *Be Thou My Vision*

Benediction

Serving Elders: Barbara Clee and Ben Davison