

Sabbath School

9.45am

Welcome: Enoch Kanagaraj

Opening Hymn 263

Opening Prayer: Pat Walton

Mission News: Etienne & Carolyn Guenin

Hymn 498, Pat Walton

Bible Study Groups: 'The Church', Jim Huzzey

Memory Text: John 17:20-21

Mission Offering & Prayer: Richard Poulton

Closing Hymn 454: Robert Deane

Closing Prayer: Jacqueline Deane

Parallel Service

Coordinator: Kerhys Sterling

Host: Banwo Idowu

Praise Leader: Dan Sabatier

Preacher: Sam Neves

Sermon: 'The Longest Distance Between Two Points is a Shortcut'

Scripture Reading: Genesis 3:1-7

Announcements

PRAYER CORNER. People in Hiroshima, Japan, are suffering from landslides due to heavy rain. Let us pray for the rescuers, the bereaved and the injured.

THE SINGING GROUP will be going to Riverside Court, Gade House, Explorer Drive, WD18 6TQ at 3.30pm today.

THE SOUP RUN will recommence on Friday 5 September.

Announcements

WELFARE DEPARTMENT needs food – cans of fruit, cans of vegetables, pasta, pasta sauces, soup, etc..

FREE LITERATURE will be available on a table in the North Porch. Please help yourself to this material which you can give to your neighbours, friends, relatives and work colleagues.

GLUTEN FLOUR. If you would like to purchase gluten flour, please contact Pat Walton.

NEW TUESDAY TALKS SERIES starts on 9 September for 10 weeks. More details to follow.

SPECIAL SUMMER SABBATH SCHOOL TREAT. The five Sabbaths of August will host guest Discussion Group Leaders, as the lesson of the day is taken from the desk. Make sure you come early, and why not practise this good attendance habit from next week!

FAMILY MINISTRIES PRAYER BASKET is with the Valsin family. We invite the church to pray for Thérèse, Bianca, Ben, Christina and Adrian for them to have a close relationship with God.

DO YOU HAVE A FLAT OR HOUSE FOR RENT? We are an Adventist family, expecting a baby, and looking for a two bedroom flat/house to rent in the Watford area. References can be obtained from Audrey Balderstone. Please contact Elena & Marko Markov on 07738 239 147.

PARENTS IN PRAYER will meet today at 4.30pm in the concourse opposite Armstrong Hall. Please join us in prayer for our children & grandchildren.

PASTORAL ABSENCE. Pastor Mary Barrett will be on holiday for two weeks starting Sunday 17 August.

HEALTH LECTURE. There will be no health lecture in August and in December. The remaining 3 health lectures will be on **25 September** – Pastor Paul Clee, "Armchair Exercises – Keeping Fit Whilst Watching TV", **30 October** – Dr Marlene Levy, "Counselling and Therapy – Just What the Doctor Ordered", and **27 November** - Marlon Bridgeman, "A Two Edged Sword – Bipolar Disorder".

Announcements

THE CHURCH STIHL LEAF BLOWER AND STRIMMER ARE MISSING. If you know where these are, please contact Terry, Michael or Keith.

MESSY CHURCH RETURNS on 20 September. Bookings can be made from 20 August for church families, with acknowledgement of your booking taking place from the beginning of September. Please book via stanboroughparkmessychurch@gmail.com stating the names and ages of children attending along with the number of accompanying adults.

SEC FAMILY MINISTRY MARRIAGE RETREAT 19-21 SEPTEMBER – 'INTIMATE ALLIES'. Latimer Place, Chesham. Presenters Leslie & Irma Ackie. Contact the Family Ministries department on 01923 23 27 28 or fam@secadventist.org.uk

ADRA BOXES. If you would like to bring happiness to a child in Togo this year, please order boxes from Joy Bussey, 01932 461 044 or email js.bussey@ntlworld.com There is a charge of £2 to contribute towards both the manufacture of each standard sized box and transportation to Togo.

OPEN SESSION AND BUSINESS MEETING. The next Open Session will be held on **15 September** and the next Business Meeting will be held on **21 September**.

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS – FIRST READING. Roland and Methushella Bernardos from Stanborough Park Church to Oxford Church, and Barbara Joan Townsend from Bournemouth SDA Church to Stanborough Park.

BENIN. Following their month of training in the USA, Etienne and Carolyn Guenin leave for Benin on Monday 25 August! If you wish to see them off at the airport, they will be checking in at Heathrow T4 (Air France) at about 7.30am. Their postal address in Benin will be: E&C Guenin, c/o Michée Badé, B.P. 230, Kandi, Benin. They are incredibly grateful for all the love and support shown by the church family and will be keeping us posted with stories from the mission field! Please keep them in your prayers.

Divine Service

11am

Introit

Silent Prayer

Call to Worship

(Songs of Fellowship 40 v3)
*'Be still, for the power of the Lord
Is moving in this place:
He comes to cleanse and heal,
to minister His grace –
No work too hard for Him.
In faith receive from Him.
Be still, for the power of the Lord
Is moving in this place.'*

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 10:11–13, Eustace Cornwall

Hymn 219: 'Shine Thou Upon Us Lord'

Tithes and Offerings

Morning Prayer: Brian Davison

Children's Time: Cecilia Davison

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 4:14 – 16, Misha Jordan

Hymn 196: 'Breathe on Me, Breath of God', Misha Jordan

John 3:16 Prayer: Graham and Pauline Allcock

Sermon: 'If only I could have an Ice Cream!',
Pastor Paul Clee

Hymn 426: 'I am Trusting Thee Lord Jesus'

Benediction

Serving Elder: Eustace Cornwall

Organist: Brian Combridge

YOUTH EVENTS

26 August, REVISED DATE, Alton Towers Trip! See Sophie Dean for more details.

*For more info on other Youth Events, see Sheena Murphy,
Sophie Deane, Beatrice Dan or Jacques Vitry.*

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Bulletin Deadline WED 3pm
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SUNSET TIMES

Today: 8:07pm **Next Friday:** 7:52pm

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*Welcome To
Stanborough Park Church*



"Again I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything they ask, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven. "

Matthew 18:19



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