

Sabbath School

9.45am

Welcome Victoria Balan

Hymn 191 *Spirit Divine Attend our Prayer*

Prayer Jefferson Nascimento

Mission Story Steven Moser

Praise in Music Victoria Balan

Bible Study *The Baptism and Filling of the Holy Spirit*

Mission Offering Christian Guenin

Hymn 195 *Holy Spirit Faithful Guide*

Closing Prayer Paul Clee

Announcements

Sabbath Morning Prayer Meeting 9.00-9.30am in the Maple Room. All are welcome.

The Family Ministries Prayer Basket is with Etienne, Carolyn and Sébastien Guenin. "God knew we would need the prayer basket at this time! Thank you for your prayers. Carolyn is recovering well after unexpected surgery earlier this week. We praise God for His goodness in providing wonderful medical staff and supportive families to help us'. Please continue to pray for Carolyn's recovery and strength for Etienne as he looks after Sébastien, who has been as good as gold!" *Before they call I will answer; while they are still speaking I will hear.* Isaiah 65:24

We are sorry to announce the death of Mrs Christine Hall, wife of the late Pastor Victor Hall. Christine died on Tuesday in a nursing home in Scotland. She was a member of this church when Victor was the pastor here.

Pastoral Absence Pastor Jacques has been granted a 3-month sabbatical, commencing 2 March. Plans are in place to provide support for Pastor Geert and the elders during this time. Pastor Paul Clee has agreed to assist Pastor Geert as a non-stipendiary worker. We are also working closely with the Conference to facilitate a replacement for Pastor Mary Barrett as soon as possible. Any questions regarding church administration during this time should be addressed to Pastor Geert or David Burgess. For help with visitation, please contact Pastor Clee, Barbara Clee, Roger Murphy or Terry Menkens.

Membership Transfer Second Reading Charlotte Marshall from Eight Miles Plain Church, Brisbane, Australia, to Stanborough Park. Action will be taken today.

Next Church Business Meeting We are waiting to hear back from the Mayor's office on a meeting with local community leaders. As soon as we can provide you with a report on the needs analysis for our community, a Business Meeting will be called.

The Sale last Sunday raised £1000 for the running of the Soup Run, and £90 for the Pathfinder Club, which ran the car wash. Thank you to all who supported this event – it is much appreciated.

Text Giving You may now support the Stanborough Park local church budget by making a small regular gift through text giving. Text SDA STANPARK to 70500 to give £5 per week, or to 70300 to give £3 per week, or to 70100 to give £1 per week. Your kindness and generosity will make a difference! Thank you.

Do you use Gift Aid? In order for us to receive Gift Aid funding as quickly as possible, all Gift Aid donations are processed through the Conference. Please help us to streamline the process by making your cheques for all donations, including the Development Fund, payable to "SOUTH ENGLAND CONFERENCE". Thank you.

Help Required The Management Committee, responsible for the Church and Centre, is looking for volunteers who could provide holiday cover for the Centre Manager. If you are organised, enjoy working with people and could give a few days a year to help run our busy Church and Centre, please contact Brian Davison 07957 856715.

Welfare Department Donations of non-perishable food – tins, pasta, jam, biscuits, etc, are urgently needed.

Free leaflets and booklets are available on the table in the north porch.

Safeguarding Training All elders, diaconate and ministry leaders working with children and the elderly, are asked to plan to attend this training today at 3pm in the Williams Hall. This includes procedures that we as a church ought to follow.

Youth Notes

Parents' Meeting immediately after church today in the Williams Hall to discuss the year ahead. All parents are asked to attend. Thank you.

Prayer Corner Let us pray for those who are addicted to drugs. Also, we each need to continue to pray daily for our three special people.

The Singing Group will visit The Chase Care Home, 4 Printers Avenue, Watford WD18 7QR, at 3.30pm today.

Revelation Study Group meets today in the Armstrong Hall, 3.30-4.30pm. We look forward to seeing you there!

Tuesday Bible Study meets from 10.30-11.30am in the Maple Room. We are studying the Book of Luke.

Wednesday Prayer Meeting 8 February, 7.30pm in the sanctuary. Join us for a season of prayer and a talk by Patrick Boyle.

The Soup Run on Friday 10 February will be led by the Youth Department. Rachel Lunan is the Soup Run leader for the Youth. If you wish to go on the Soup Run, please contact Rachel or Pat Walton. We urgently need sleeping bags and warm blankets.

Parallel Worshipers! Sabbath 11 February, 1-4pm in the Maple Room: Sharing and Envisioning the Future of Parallel Worship and its Outreach. Come, share and dream. For more information, see Pastor Geert or Dan Sabatier.

Women in Prayer will meet next Sabbath, 11 February from 12.30 to 2.30pm. All ladies are welcome to join us for prayer, followed by soup and rolls.

Let's Walk dates for your diary 25 February and 25 March. Make 2017 the year you walk more and enjoy our local countryside. Details to follow.

The Sixth Annual Children's Concert in aid of ADRA will take place on 11 March at 7.30pm. This charity concert is part of the ADRA Annual Appeal and gives our children the opportunity to help less privileged children in the UK and other parts of the world. If your child sings or plays an instrument, we want to hear from you! Please apply by 19 February. Due to the anticipated high number of applications, none will be accepted after this date. Email Jieun Ahn: music@stanboroughpark.org



In line with our church policy, kindly refrain from photography during services in order to maintain an atmosphere of reverence.

11 am Worship Service

Introit *Holy Holy Holy*

Silent Prayer

Call to Worship NAH 10, verses 1 and 2

*My Maker and my King, to Thee my all I owe;
Thy sovereign bounty is the spring
Whence all my blessings flow.*

*The creature of Thy hand, on Thee alone I live;
My God, Thy benefits demand
More praise than I can give.*

Invocation – Pastor Jacques Venter

Youth Bible Reading Psalm 139:14 NIV Nadene Moser

Hymn 713 *Will Your Anchor Hold*

Tithes and Offerings

Children's Time Pastor Geert

Development Offering Roger Murphy

Mission and Family Prayer Pastor Jacques Venter

Hymn 482 *O Master Let Me Walk With Thee*

Sermon *The Cost of Discipleship!*
Pastor Atte Helminen

NAH 519 *He Leadeth Me*

Benediction

Reflection in Silent Meditation

Postlude

Sunset Times

Today: 4:56pm **Next Friday:** 5:07pm (Watford)

Weekly Diary

- Saturday 4 February -

11am Combined Service: Pr Atte Helminen
12pm Pathfinders – Larch Room
12.30pm Children's Choir – Armstrong
1pm Fellowship Lunch – Cedar/Sycamore
3.30pm Bible Study Group – Armstrong

- Sunday 5 February -

9am Pathfinders – Upstairs

- Monday 6 February -

5.30pm Badminton Club – School

- Tuesday 7 February -

10.30am Study Group – Maple

- Wednesday 8 February -

9.30am/1pm Toddler Club
1pm Creative Crafts – Maple
5.30pm Badminton Club – School
7.30pm Prayer Meeting – Church

- Thursday 9 February -

9.30pm Toddler Club
7.30pm Church Board – Oak Room

- Friday 10 February -

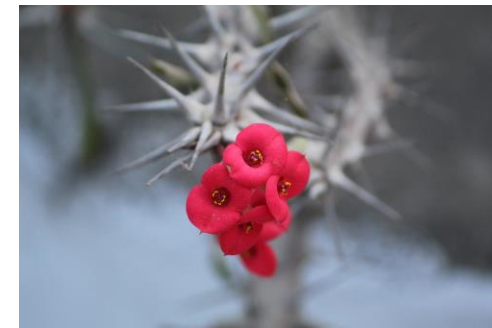
8.30pm Soup Run

- Saturday 11 February – Baptism Service -

11am Traditional Service: Pr Jacques Venter
11am Parallel Service: Pr Geert Tap
12pm Pathfinders – Larch Room
12.30pm Children's Choir – Armstrong
12.30pm Women in Prayer – Oak & Beech
3.30pm Bible Study Group – Armstrong
Youth Sleepover – Williams/Armstrong

4 February 2017

Welcome to Stanborough Park Church



Be joyful in hope,
patient in affliction, faithful in prayer.
Romans 12:12

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