

Family Service

11am in the Sanctuary

Welcome & Announcements

Meditation 4Plus Group

"Wonderful, Merciful Saviour"

Silent Prayer

Call to Worship

"Let All the World In Every Corner Sing,
My God and King!"

Invocation

Hymn of Praise SDAH 83

"O Worship the King"

Tithes & Offerings

Appreciation Moments Pastor Geert Tap

Children's Story Neilson Roberts

Development Offering

Songs of Praise

"Heaven Came Down and Glory Filled my Soul" AYS 55

"Far Beyond the Sun" AYS 33

Family Prayer Billie, Michael and Misha

Scripture Reading Misha Jordan

John 15:12-17 (NIV)

Ministry in Music 4Plus Group

"Mary Did You Know"

Sermon Pastor Geert Tap

"Presents or Presence"

Ministry in Music 4Plus Group

"Here I Am"

Hymn of Commitment SDAH 109

"Marvellous Grace"

Benediction

Reflection in Silent Meditation

Postlude

Offerings by Bank Transfer. For church budget offerings: Stanborough Park Church, 60-00-08, 40650561. For other offerings or to confirm Gift Aid, please email the treasury department: treasury@stanboroughchurch.org

Offerings by Text Giving. Text SDA STANPARK: to 70500 to give £5 per week; to 70300 to give £3 per week; to 70100 to give £1 per week. Text STOP to the same number to stop weekly donations.

Sunset Times

Today: 3:52pm Next Friday: 3:51pm (Watford)

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Bulletin Deadline Wednesday 6pm

(additional info or modifications will NOT be possible after 6pm)

bulletin@stanboroughchurch.org

7 December 2019

Welcome to Stanborough Park Church



"... But the greatest of these is love."

1 Corinthians 13:13 (NIV)



Seventh-day Adventist Church
Stanborough Park
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Morning Prayer Meeting

9-9.30am in the Maple Room

If you would like to privately share a **PRAYER REQUEST** with the Prayer Ministries Team and Pastoral Team, please send an email to prayeratstanborough@gmail.com or contact a Pastor or an Elder with your request.

Sabbath School

9.45am

Welcome Jim Huzzey

Opening Hymn NAH 1

"Praise My Soul The King Of Heaven"

Opening Prayer Paulina Dyason

Mission Spotlight The Gift of Hope

Musical Item Elizabeth Labalestra
"Someone is Praying for You"

Lesson Study Worshipping the Lord

Mission Offering Fineas Ivan

Closing Hymn NAH 98

"Angels from the Realms of Glory"

Closing Prayer Roselyn Guenin

Next Sabbath - Elder on Duty

Combined Toy Service David Burgess

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor's Leave Pastor Lorraine is on leave until 10th Dec.

Church Clerk Absence Pat Swan is with family in South Africa until 9th Feb 2020. Church work will continue but responses to emails may take longer.

The Flowers TODAY are to give thanks and acknowledge God's many blessings as Roland and Cathy celebrate forty years of marriage.

Congratulations to Audrey Balderstone who was officially elected as Chairman of the Home Counties Branch of the National Association of Flower Arrangement Societies (NAFAS) in November following three years as its Vice Chair.

Welcome to the singing group 4Plus from Swindon who will be blessing us today with their music. Thank you for your ministry and for worshipping with us today!

Family Ministry Prayer Basket will be presented to the Mumbo family. We invite the church to pray for Milimo and Wezi, their children Kabungo, Chibuye, Chibwe, Milambo and Chishi, their son-in-law Kasongo, their son's fiancée Chembo, as well as their two grandchildren Dineo and Benaiah. Their prayer request is that their family be drawn into a loving relationship with our heavenly Father and that they all be transformed in His likeness. *Isaiah 40:31.*

DBS Checks If your current DBS is more than 3 years or you are in need of a DBS check, you can email dbs@stanboroughpark.org to request a new one. Once your email is received, you will be contacted to start the process. If you have any DBS related queries, you can also send an email using the DBS email address.

ADRA "A Christmas gift to last a lifetime" is appealing for donations to provide clean, safe water for 345 families (2,100 people) in Kabanana, a village in southern Zambia. £10,000 is needed and you can donate by going to: justgiving.com/campaign/kabanana or by sending a cheque to ADRA UK.

Welfare Department is always in need of non-perishable food such as tinned fruit, tinned soup and vegetables plus pasta and pasta sauce. We are also in need of single and double duvets plus pillows. *The welfare department would be happy to have help in sorting out the donated items and tidying boxes ready to give away. If you can give 1-2 hours a week please contact Pat Walton on 01923 672 500.*

Watford ABC Special Christmas Opening Times on Sunday 8th, 15th and 22nd December from 11am to 4pm. Why not share great Christian material with your friends and family this Christmas?

PROGRAMMES & EVENTS

Fellowship Lunch TODAY for those who booked in advance.

Senior Club on Monday 9th December from 1pm to 4.30pm. This will be our long awaited Christmas Party for those who have booked and paid. It is now fully booked. We look forward to a delicious meal prepared by our dedicated volunteers, as well as fun, friendship and entertainment for all.

Choir Rehearsals on Mondays at 7.30pm. Please come along if you would like to join, or alternatively speak to Beatrice.

Tuesday Bible Study Group meet on Tuesdays from 10.30am to 11.30am in the Maple Room. All are welcome.

Stanborough School Carol Service "The King is Born" on Tuesday 10th December at 7pm in the church. Come and worship with us to celebrate the birth of our King by raising your voice to sing carols with the orchestra and choirs. Refreshments on sale

The Experience on Tuesday 10th December at 7pm in the Cedar-Sycamore Room. Come for supper and enjoy hearing Kish Poddar being interviewed.

7th Annual Award Ceremony for the Christmas Art Competition 2019 on Wednesday 11th December at 4.30pm for a 5pm start, at the Stanborough Centre. This event is run by the Co-op Food Group (Watford Area) in conjunction with the One Vision Project. The chairman of Watford Borough Council, Cllr Asif Khan will present the prizes along with Pastor Geert Tap and The Co-op. This year 5 schools are participating in this competition. There will also be the opportunity to taste a range of The Co-op Food and Fair Trade products. Looking forward to your support

Prayer Meeting on Wednesdays from 7-8pm in the Sanctuary. Be encouraged as Uche Ademuyiwa inspires us from the Word. Bring your prayer requests as we sing, pray & give thanks.

Soup Run on Friday 13th December will leave the church at 8.30pm. The driver is Brian Davison. If you would like to join please contact Pat Walton on mobile 07788 311 097. The soup run is in need of sleeping bags.

58th TOY SERVICE will be held on Saturday 14th December at 11am. The children will be given time in the programme to bring a new toy to the platform and place in the Christmas sacks! Mother's are invited to bring bags for other mother's. Teenagers are invited to bring bags for teenagers. The church will be open next Friday 13th December from 11am to 3pm to accept toys to be donated. The Mayor - Peter Taylor will be present.

Women in Prayer on Saturday 14th December after the service. All ladies are welcome to join us in praising God. A light lunch will be provided after the prayers.

Women's Ministry on Saturday 14th December from 3pm to 5pm. Brother Adewale Ademuyiwa will be speaking on the theme of "Dealing with Difficult Family Members".

Pancake Night Christmas Fun! on Saturday 14th December at 5.30pm. Kids' party games night, followed by pancakes for all at 6.45pm. Please bring a parent or guardian. See poster or Facebook for further details.

Emotional Resilience Dinner Event on Sunday 15th December from 4.30pm in the Cedar Sycamore Room. In the last 12 years, both Wale and Uche have visited many churches and held many workshops and events teaching people how to become emotionally resilient. This dinner is to encourage people to speak up if they are going through any emotional issues. This event is supported by SEC Corner Stone Department, OVP Projects and Adventist Radio. For more information and to book, please contact Uche on 07828 438 849.