



Safely Ashore

"Peace, be still!" Mark 4:39 nkjv

In Papua New Guinea, the Kandas tribe awaited with excitement the arrival of New Testament Bibles printed in their language. To reach the village, however, the people bringing the books had to travel on the ocean in small boats.

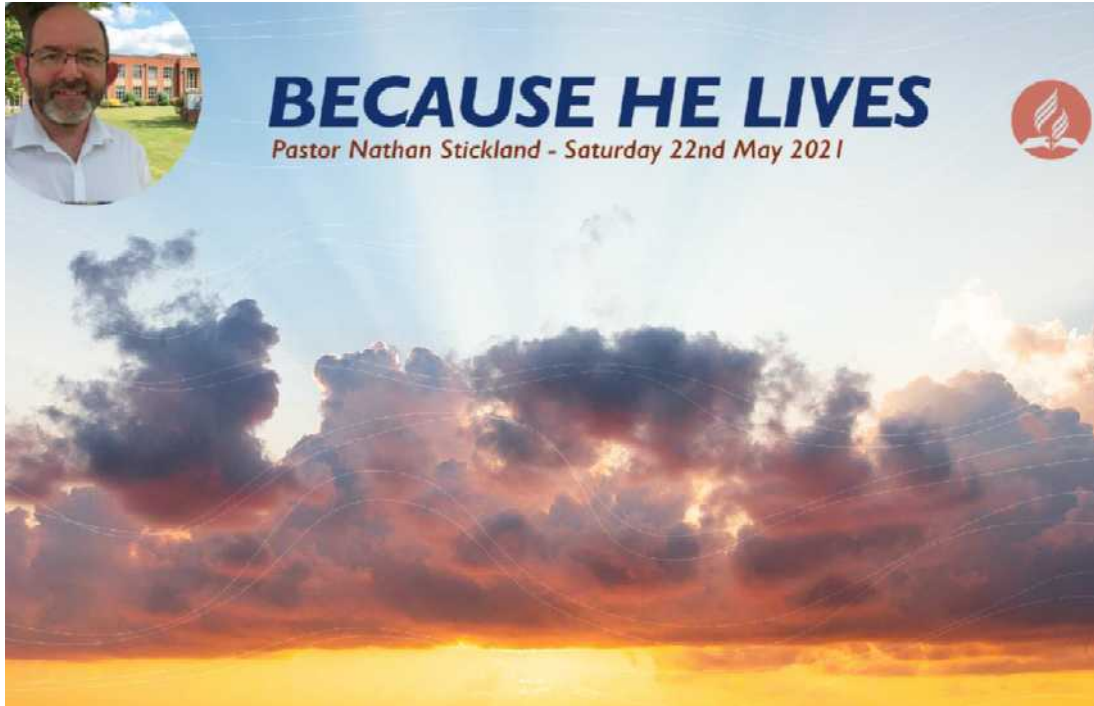
What gave them courage to travel across great waters? Their seafaring skills, yes. But they also knew who created the seas. He's the One who guides each of us across our life's churning waves and deepest waters.

As David wrote, "Where can I go from your Spirit?" (Psalm 139:7). "If I go up to the heavens, you are there; . . . if I settle on the far side of the sea, even there your hand will guide me, your right hand will hold me fast" (vv. 8–10).

These words would resonate deeply with the Kandas, who live on an island nation whose tropical coasts, dense rainforests, and rugged mountains have been called "The Last Unknown." Yet as believers there and everywhere know, no place or problem is too remote for God. "Even the darkness will not be dark to you," says Psalm 139:12, and "the night will shine like the day, for darkness is as light to you."

On stormy waters, therefore, our God speaks, "Peace, be still!" and the waves and wind obey (Mark 4:39 nkjv). So, don't fear life's deep or turbulent waters today. Our God safely leads us ashore.

By: Patricia Raybon - Taken from odb.org



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Zoom Meeting ID: 840 134 7522, Passcode: 2007691

Announcements / News

□ **Important information for Church members:**

Please follow [this link to the church website](#) (announcements page) where you will find 5 documents to [download](#), including information on some proposed changes to Sabbath service timings and the Recommendations Committee voting form. The forms need to be returned by June 14th.

□ **Treasury Report 2020** [Read it here.](#)

□ **Services will be live during the month of June.** The number that can attend is a max of 70. If you wish to attend the services please contact Audrey Balderstone (abalderstone@btconnect.com) or Roger Murphy (rt.murphy@hotmail.com) who will assist to accommodate you.

□ **DBS:** All those who have received their DBS need to contact Uche Ademuyiwa. She needs to update the system. Email: uchejbc@yahoo.co.uk



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□ **ADRA** As we will not be able to collect door to door for ADRA again this year, Audrey Balderstone has come up with a fund raising idea. She plans to give a

donation to ADRA for the birthday of each of her friends and relatives during the year. She is also asking for donations to ADRA instead of birthday presents to her. If you would like to swell the fund for ADRA you could donate in honour of a friend or family member - or as a 'thank you' present for God's blessings. **To donate please go to Audrey's Just Giving' page:**

<https://justgiving.com/fundraising/Audrey-Balderstone1>

Cradle Roll Programme May edition Sabbath at 9:45am on [Youtube](#) and [Facebook](#).

Women's Ministry: The next Programme will be on the 12th of June, which will be Women Emphasis day. The programme will be held during the Divine Service with the theme 'Come and see the Saviour of the World'. On the same Sabbath, in the afternoon from 3pm, the programme will continue on zoom, with the theme 'The Captive Maid and Me'. Zoom details will be provided in the next bulletin.

Everyone is invited to join the Women Ministry Programme.

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- **The next Church Business Meeting** will be held at church at 6pm on June 27th. Please plan to attend if possible.

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- **The Adventist Virtual Global Campmeeting** brings the entire world church together to worship, be inspired, and learn. This event showcases the incredible breadth and depth of Adventist ministries around the world. [Join Now](#).
 - **Join the [Bible Heroes Championship](#)**

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- Hyland House will be open for our first physical sale (Sunday 30 May 2021) The sale will be online, and in our shops in Watford. Advent Centre and Aston

newton shop outlets. www.stanboroughpress.org.uk Online Store: [Lifesource Christian Bookshop](#)

□ **Upcoming dates:** Members Meeting 27th | June Communion: 10 July

□ *Please continue to pray for Margaret Anthony at this challenging time. And, also 'Thank You' for your love and concern for our family - Eustace.*

Traditional Worship Service - 22nd May (online)

Welcome, Announcements & Opening Prayer - Bheki T. Moyo

Opening Hymn: When Morning Guilds the Skies

Children's Story - Naomi Burgess

Scripture Reading - Acts 1:1-11 and Luke 24:50-53 - Victoria Hall

Musical offering: This is my Father's World - Reuben Hall

Sermon - "Because He Lives" - Nathan Stickland

Closing hymn: Because He Lives

Benediction - Nathan Stickland

Membership Transfers

Mr Ernest and Mrs Lola Gordon from LeHigh Acres SDA Church, Florida to SPC.

Mrs Adebukola (Bukky) Ayinke Ayo-Ipaye from Victory Sanctuary SDA Church, Lekki Phase 1, Lagos, Nigeria to SPC.

Mr James and Megan Joseph from Ilford Lane SDA Church to SPC.

Pauli and Sandra Madeira from Stanborough Park Church to UNASP-EC Church in Brazil.

This is the second reading of these names.





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