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# Lift

#### "Be strong and very courageous." Joshua 1:7

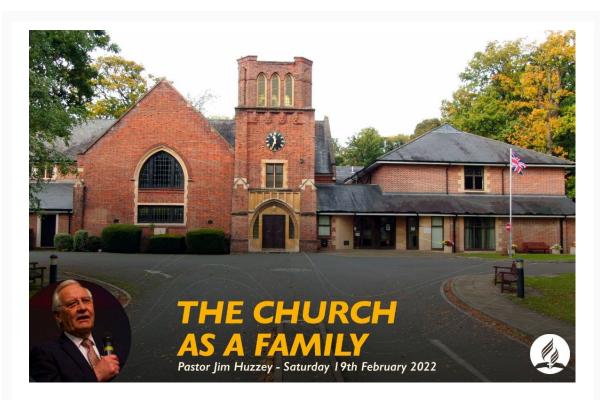
During our tour of an aircraft carrier, a jet fighter pilot explained that planes need a 56-kilometer-perhour wind to take off on such a short runway. To reach this steady breeze, the captain turns his ship into the wind. "Shouldn't the wind come from the plane's back?" I asked. The pilot answered, "No. The jets must fly into the wind. That's the only way to achieve lift."

God called Joshua to lead His people into the "winds" that awaited them in the promised land. Joshua required two things. Internally, he needed to "be strong and very courageous" (Joshua 1:7); and externally, he needed challenges. This included the daily task of leading thousands of Israelites, facing walled cities (6:1–5), demoralizing defeats (7:3–5), Achan's theft (vv. 16–26), and continual battles (chs. 10–11).

The wind that blew in Joshua's face would lift his life as long as his thrust came from God's instructions. God said he must "be careful to obey all the law . . . do not turn from it to the right or to the left . . . meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful" (1:7–8).

Are you resolved to follow God's ways, no matter what? Then look for challenges. Fly boldly into the wind and see your spirit soar.

By: Mike Wittmer - Taken from odb.org



# Watch the Family Service online with Pastor Jim Huzzey

# **Announcements / News**

- □ We will be performing a fire alarm test on Sabbath 26 February 2022. This is to get everyone familiarised with the sound of the alarm in preparation for future fire drills which is a mandatory and legal requirement under the Fire Act 2021. Please be patient with us as this is carried out.
- Would all those with food items in the fridges and freezers in the Cedar/Sycamore room,
  Williams Hall kitchens or the freezer behind the lift ensure that all items are properly labelled with name and date or removed. After 28.2.22 the fridges and freezers are to be cleared of out of date items.
- ADVENTURERS & PATHFINDERS Enrolment is open now For further details please email <u>pathfinders@stanboroughchurch.org</u>. The club's welcome ceremony will take place on 26th Feb afternoon.

**Parallel Fellowship Lunch** Lunch will be served at 1pm in the Williams Hall. This is an opportunity to fellowship with each other and delve deeper into the message delivered during the Parallel service.

- Musicians Needed Parallel is looking for musicians to join the worship team. Drums, guitar, piano and other instruments are welcome you don't need to be a pro. If your voice is your instrument that's welcome too. Please contact Karen Vontzalidis or Dan Sabatier for more information.
- AV Team The Parallel AV team needs new members. If you would like to serve in this capacity please contact Karen Vontzalidis.
- Fellowship lunch 'Souper Sabbath' on 5th March Come and join us at 1pm for soup and fellowship in the Cedar/Sycamore room. Everyone welcome - please email <u>fellowshiplunch7@gmail.com</u> to book places to help with catering quantities. Thank you. Fiona, Alison and team.

**Women's Ministry:** Join us for an interactive afternoon from 3pm to 5pm this sabbath. Our guest speaker for today's programme is Brother Wale Ademuyiwa, a stress therapist. Looking forward to seeing you. Meeting ID - 7279659834 | Passcode - WMmeeting

**Bible Experience -** Please pray for the Adventurers (ABE) and Pathfinders(PBE) who are taking their Bible test today in Newbold. Our church has 4 teams in total attending. May God be with them and the rest of teams across the SEC and grant them safe journey to and from the venue. May this gathering be a joyful experience.

**Are you the parent of a teenager? Our Sabbath evening teens meetings are back!** These take place along the themes of spiritual, service and social activities. Please message Naomi (07711 115 617) to join the WhatsApp group for more information.

#### Lockdown News #20 Read here

#### Adult Sabbath School

Pine Room class: <u>LINK</u> Meeting ID: 845 9488 6639 Passcode: H01ieU Maple Class: <u>LINK</u> Meeting ID: 757 070 1887 - Passcode: 111000 (Or by phone: +44 203 481 5240)

### PLEASE PRAY FOR

- Lenny Peters for healing.
- Joy Bussey for healing.
- All the families who are struggling with the effects of COVID, especially Long COVID.
- Everyone who is experiencing recent bereavement
- More Leaders and volunteers in the Children's Sabbath School.
- Tunde Adebayo, who lost his father last week.
- "My husband's sight has improved. Before he could see nothing, now he is seeing and it should continue to improve in the coming weeks. Prayers are moving mountains in this situation, he can see us again compared to a couple of weeks ago. Thank you for all your support my SDA family". Message from Donna Wray regarding her husband, Nicolas Wray.
- □ **If you have private Prayer Requests**, please place them in the Prayer Box or you can email Florence Allen at <u>LIZALLF@hotmail.com</u>.
- Upcoming dates: 26rth Feb Pastor Terry
  5th March Uche Ademuyiwa (Women's Day) 12th March Morning baptism; 9th April Communion; 16th April Easter service;

#### Family Service - 19th February

Welcome & Announcements - Bernell Bussue Call to Worship: Hymn 5 NAH: Let All the World in Every Corner Sing (1verse) Invocation - Burnell Bussue Hymn 16 NAH: O Worship the King Tithes & Offering - Bernell Bussue Children Story - Eileen Hussey 1st Scripture reading - Genesis 33:1-12 - Rachel Ntata Hymn 726 NAH: Sweet Hour of Prayer Family Prayer - Carlton and Judy Plaatjes 2nd Scripture Reading - Ephesians 5:25-30 - Bradley Lusinga Musical Item "The Greatness of the Lord" - Yui Hanada **Sermon - ' The Church as a family' - Pastor Jim Huzzey** Hymn 263 NAH: The Church's One Foundation Benediction- Pastor Jim Huzzey

## Sabbath School from 9:45am

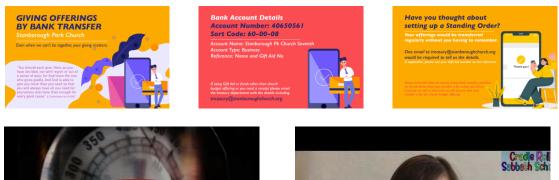
Welcome & Opening Prayer - Massimo Molteni Opening Hymn: NAH 637 - All the way Facilitator: Wallacia Scott Panel: Adewale Ademuyiwa, Ioan Herteliu, Catherine Phiri, 4th panelist TBC

Parallel Service 11am - Cedar Sycamore - Agape Service Theme: In the middle of storms (life) there is Hope! We see storms, He sees us! Speaker: Geert Sermon Title: "In the eye of the storm"

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Partial NC Report (2nd Reading)

First Aid Co-ordinator – Volker Herkner

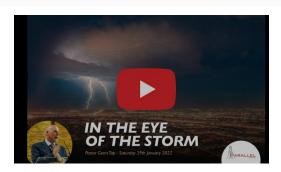




**Family Service** 



Cradle Roll Sabbath School -February



**Parallel Service** 

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