

What's on at Stanborough



Spring 2023

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Church life

Dear Reader,

Happy New Year! It is the time of new resolutions, and fresh hope. It gives us great pleasure to introduce the main activities and events that are taking place at the Stanborough Park Church, centre and schools this quarter. We do hope that you find something of interest and value for you in our community at the beginning of 2023!

Best wishes,

Terry Messenger/ James Shepley



Parallel Service

Every Saturday from 11.00 – 12.15, you can join this relaxed and contemporary Christian worship service in the Cedar Sycamore Room or watch on-line.

Traditional Service

Every Saturday from 11.00 – 12.15, you can join this uplifting worship service in Stanborough's beautiful church or watch on-line. See special events below!

Come As You Are (CAYA) Service

Want to connect with God in a relaxed atmosphere with great Christian music, a short message and snacks. Come along to the Cedar Sycamore room on selected Saturday evenings at 7pm.

Baptism

Interested in following Jesus. Join our next baptism class which starts on Saturday, January 21st at 10.00am. To find out more, or arrange another time, contact Pastor James (07595288833)

Prayer and E-bulletin

If you need prayer, please contact one of the Pastors or why not join one of the on-line or in-person prayer groups. For further information and to find out more about what's coming up in the church subscribe to the free weekly e-bulletin below. Send request to jef@stanboroughpark.org

Clubs & Groups

Talking Jesus

Want to be more confident about sharing your faith in Jesus? Come along to 'Talking Jesus' – An uplifting and interactive six part training session in the Cedar Sycamore room 7pm. Led by Pastor James. Alternate Tuesdays on the following dates: January 24th, February 7th, 21st, March 7th, 21st, April 4th

Toddlers

Our busy and happy toddlers group meets every Thurs from 9.30- 12.00. £2/ child, £1/ adult supervisor. Contact Alessandra Ferraz on 07711 955 694

Pathfinders and Adventurers

This club (similar to scouts and cubs for ages from 4 - 15) meets every other Sunday from 12th February at 9.45am – 12.30am. To register your child, contact Davide Labalestra (Pathfinders: 10 – 15 years old) spcadventurersandpathfinders@gmail.com/ Contact Meghan Joseph (Adventurers: 4-9 years old) - spcadventurers@gmail.com

Seniors

Join our active seniors' group on alternate Mondays from 2pm – 4pm with great speakers on a range of subjects (£1.50/ session which includes a hot drink and a slice of cake) – January 16th, 30th, February 13th, 27th, March 13th, 27th. Contact – Amanda Powell - 07482888454 or seniors@stanboroughpark.org

Watford Floral Society

Interested in learning about flower arranging? Come along on the last Wednesday of each month: 25th January (AGM), 23rd February, 30th March at 7pm. Contact – Audrey Balderstone - 07970182915

Helping those in Need

Warm Spaces

Enjoy a welcome space (with hot drinks) at Stanborough Park church every Tuesday from 10.00am – 12.00am. Starting 17th January to 28th March

ADRA

The Adventist Development and Relief Agency serves people in need in 118 countries around the world. ADRA UK, situated on Stanborough Park, is the local branch. The funds collected this year will go to assist projects in Myanmar, Ghana, South Sudan, Thailand, Nepal and Sri Lanka. Donate online at sda4.life/audrey4adra2022 OR find out more at <https://adra.org.uk>

Pat's Sale

Selected Sundays from 12.00 – 4pm, come along and pick up a bargain at Pat's sale

Soup Run

Every Friday evening at 7.30pm, a team of volunteers heads into London by minibus to serve the needs of the homeless, distributing sandwiches, soup, clothes and toiletries. Volunteers are always welcome. Age 16+. Contact – Pat Walton - 07788 311 097

Welfare Department

The welfare department is open to provide good quality second-hand clothing to those in need. Donations are also welcome on appointment. Contact Pat Walton on 07788 311 097



Events

This Spring at Stanborough

Valentine's Day Service, Saturday 18th February at 11am

Come and celebrate God's love for you!

International Women's Day of Prayer, Saturday 4th March at 11am

Easter Service, Saturday 8th April at 11am

Come and rejoice in the Good News of the resurrection!

Music at Stanborough

The Stanborough Park College of Music offers music lessons for young musicians at Stanborough Centre from Monday – Thursday evening. Exceptionally gifted teachers teach a variety of instruments, including piano, cello, guitar, violin, saxophone, and flute. We provide music lessons for all levels and ages, including preparing auditions for schools, GCSE and A-level music etc. Contact info@spcm.org.uk or 07837 403 261

New Year's Concert: Saturday, 14th January at 7.30pm.

February Teatime Concert: Sunday, 26th February 3pm

March Teatime Concert: Sunday, 26th March 3pm

Visit us

Stanborough Park Church & The
Stanborough Centre, 609 St.
Albans Road, Garston, Watford,
WD25 9JL

www.stanboroughchurch.org

Room Hire at Stanborough Centre

Many community groups use the great facilities at Stanborough Centre throughout the week. For details on how to book meeting rooms, contact Rob Page 07908 362 431 - stanboroughcentre@gmail.com

Education at Stanborough Park Primary and Secondary Schools

If you are looking for bespoke education with Christian values, why not take a look at Stanborough Primary and Secondary schools? Situated on the beautiful Stanborough Park campus, the schools offer education from 3 – 16.

Primary school - <http://www.stanboroughprimary.org.uk> - 01923 673291

Secondary school - <https://www.spsch.org> - 01923 673268

Christian books, gifts and learn more

Looking for greetings cards, gifts, Christian resources, health food or your very own Bible, why not visit our bookshop on Stanborough Park at LifeSource Christian Bookshop, 653, St Albans Road, WD25 9JZ?

<https://lifesourcebookshop.co.uk> – 01923 893461

Seeking answers to life's deepest questions, keen to read the Bible in a group, or simply wanting to learn more about Jesus, contact one of the Pastors (see below) or visit

<https://adventistdiscoverycentre.org>