

SABBATH SCHOOL 9.45AM

Welcome – Roslyn Guenin

Hymn

Prayer – Pierre Guenin

Mission Spotlight

Meditation: Victoria Balan and Min Young Bae

Lesson Study Groups

Mission Offering

Hymn

Benediction – Roslyn Guenin

YOUTH NOTES

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| Regular Events | Tuesdays | Lads' Night, 8.30pm |
| | Wednesdays | Girls' Night, 8.00pm |
| | Thursdays | Baptismal class, 5.30pm |
| | | Teens Bible Study, 6.30pm |
| | Fridays | YU, 7.30pm |

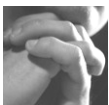
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Our services are streamed live on the internet and recorded on DVD. If you would prefer not to appear on camera, please ask a deacon to indicate where you should sit in the sanctuary.

DVD recordings of our services are available for purchase or on 1-week loan. Order from the desk after the service.

Listening and viewing of Sabbath Services on DVD and video is a great blessing to the housebound. Thank you to those who produce and distribute the recordings for your dedication. Please continue this wonderful work and may God bless you.

Marked accessible bays at the front of the church and at the top of the ramp at the rear are for the use of blue badge holders only. Badges must be displayed.



PRAYER CORNER

Let us pray for the emergency services in this awful weather.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We welcome you all to Stanborough Park Church. Pastor Paul Clee will open the Word of God to us today as Mary Barrett is unwell. We wish her God's blessings for a speedy recovery.

Sabbath School lesson books are available for collection from the desk after the service.

Deaconesses Today is KIT distribution day. Because of the severe weather warnings, many copies have been posted or delivered by hand already. Please collect the remainder after the service today. Your help is appreciated.

There are Christmas cards for everyone in the concourse. Please stop by to collect yours. They are in alphabetical order.

Pastor Ian Sleeman and Betty Hewitt will be here next Sabbath, Christmas Day, to give us an update on the Gucha Orphanage in Kenya and a special offering will be taken up to help the children there. If you will be away next week, you may wish to make a donation today or at any time – please place your gift in an envelope marked "Gucha Orphanage". At this season of giving, may we have willing and generous hearts.

The Soup Run people would like to thank all of you who have donated sleeping bags to the homeless in London, as well as the gifts for the Christmas bags which were delivered last evening. The Soup Run will resume on Friday, 8th January.

Sabbath morning baptismal class resumes on 1st January.

The Midweek Prayer Meeting resumes on 5th January.

Wednesday baptismal class resumes on 12th January.

Parents in Prayer resumes on 22nd January.

The next Tuesday Talks Reunion will be held on 11th January. Light supper at 7pm, followed by a talk by Patrick Boyle at 8pm. The talk will be streamed live on the church website: www.stanboroughchurch.org



SUNSET TIMES

Today 3:52

Next Week 3:52

I Cannot Tell

I cannot tell why He whom angels worship
Should set His love upon the sons of men,
Or why, as Shepherd, He should seek the wanderers,
To bring them back, they know not how or when.
But this I know, that He was born of Mary
When Bethlehem's manger was His only home,
And that He lived at Nazareth and laboured,
And so the Saviour, Saviour of the world is come.

I cannot tell how silently He suffered,
As with His peace He graced this place of tears,
Or how His heart upon the cross was broken,
The crown of pain to three and thirty years.
But this I know, He heals the broken hearted,
And stays our sin, and calms our lurking fear,
And lifts the burden from the heavy laden,
For yet the Saviour, Saviour of the world is here.

I cannot tell how He will win the nations,
How He will claim His earthly heritage,
How satisfy the needs and aspirations
Of East and West, of sinner and of sage.
But this I know, all flesh shall see His glory,
And He shall reap the harvest He has sown,
And some glad day His sun shall shine in splendour
When He the Saviour, Saviour of the world is known.

I cannot tell how all the lands shall worship
When, at His bidding, every storm is stilled,
Or who can say how great the jubilation
When all the hearts of men with love are filled.
But this I know, the skies will thrill with rapture,
And myriad, myriad human voices sing,
And earth to Heaven, and Heaven to earth, will answer:
At last the Saviour, Saviour of the world is King!



CHRISTMAS EVENTS

AT STANBOROUGH PARK CHURCH



The Parallel Christmas Café tonight is fully booked!

We are looking forward to seeing you all for a great evening. There is a waiting list, so if you are not going to be able to make it, please let Pat know as soon as possible on 01923 672500 so that your place can be offered to someone else.

Service of Nine Lessons and Carols Christmas Eve,

7pm A candlelight service to which all the family is warmly invited. There will be festive refreshments afterwards.



Sabbath School Lesson Study on Christmas Day



There will be no adult Sabbath School programme or children's Sabbath Schools on Christmas Day. However there will be a lesson study for adults from 9.30 to 10.10am led by Patrick Boyle in the Cedar-Sycamore Room.

Christmas Morning Service 10.30am


A family service with a festive message, traditional carols and a musical treat from the Stanborough Choir.

This Christmas

help an orphaned or abandoned child by sending a greeting to your church friends and family on a STOP (Save the Orphans Please) poster in the concourse and front foyer. Write your greetings on the stickers provided and hand your donation to Kish Poddar, Pat Walton or David Burgess.



Please contact one of the pastoral team if you would like a visit, or you know of someone who is unwell or in need of a visit for any reason, or if you would like to know more about the Bible. See back page for contact details.



DIARY

- Mon** Badminton at Stanborough School, 5.30pm
Wed Badminton at Stanborough School, 5.30pm
Fri Nine Lessons and Carols, 7pm
Sab Lesson Study for Adults, 9.30am
Christmas Service, 10.30am
Special Offering for Gucha Orphanage
Elders: Terry Menkens and Barbara Clee

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BULLETIN ITEMS – DEADLINE THURSDAY 3PM

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When sending emails, please write **BULLETIN ITEM** (only) in the subject line. Thank you.



18th December 2010



FAMILY SERVICE 11AM



Call to Worship NAH 84 vv 1 & 4

*There's a song in the air! There's a star in the sky!
There's a mother's deep prayer and a Baby's low cry!
And the star rains its fire while the beautiful sing,
For the manger of Bethlehem cradles a King!*

*We rejoice in the light, and we echo the song
That comes down through the night from the heavenly throng.
Aye! we shout to the lovely evangel they bring,
And we greet in His cradle our Saviour and King!*

Invocation



Hymn 89: *O Little Town of Bethlehem*

Tithes and Offerings



Children's Spot – Diana Ionita

Hymn 92: *Silent Night*

Scripture Reading: Luke 1: 26-38 – Daniel Sabatier

Family Prayer – Barbara Clee

Worship in Music

Sermon: *The Real Miracle of Christmas* – Paul Clee

Hymn: *I Cannot Tell*

Benediction – Paul Clee



Elders: Kish Poddar and Ben Davison

