

#### 9.45am

Welcome Hymn Prayer Mission News

Musical Item: Eustace Anthony
Lesson Study: 'The Eschatological Day of Atonement'
Mission Offering

Mission Offering Hymn Closing Prayer

Announcements

**PRAYER CORNER.** Let us continue to pray for the people of Glasgow - for those injured, and those who have lost loved ones, because of the helicopter crash last Friday.

**THE SOUP RUN** next week will be led by Hemel Hempstead Church. If you wish to go on the soup run please contact Pat on 01923 672 500.

**SENIOR CLUB, MONDAY 9 DECEMBER.** Over 110 seniors will be meeting for our Christmas Party. For those who have booked, please plan to be at the Stanborough Centre at 12:45 for a 1pm start. We plan to finish at 5pm. We look forward to an afternoon of festive food, fun, friendship and fellowship.

COME AND HELP SPREAD THE CHRISTMAS BLESSING by Singing Joyful Christmas Carols at ASDA on 16, 17 and 18 December from 5 – 8pm and 22 December from 11am – 1pm, and Gift Wrapping at the Intu Shopping Centre on 23 December from 9am–9pm. Fund raising for STOP International.

**THE LATEST EDITION OF LIFE.INFO** magazine is available – please take a bundle and deliver in your road and give to your friends.



**CHRISTMAS FELLOWSHIP LUNCH TODAY** is at 1.15pm for 1.30 pm.

# Announcements

**TUESDAY TALKS REUNION** will be held on Tuesday 10 December at 8pm when Jacques Venter will be the speaker. Supper 7pm.

**THE SINGING GROUP** will be going to Courtland Lodge, Courtland Close, WD24 5GW at 6pm today.

**PASTOR JACQUES** is asking all parents whose children attend the PRIMARY CLASS, to please stay behind in Church after the service as he would like to have a short word them.

**LOST PROPERTY**. Please come to the Deacon's room if you have lost something. There are items of clothing, toys, umbrellas and various bits and pieces. Items not claimed will be passed to the Welfare Department in two weeks so please check TODAY.

**THE FLOWERS THIS WEEK** are given, in gratitude to God, to celebrate the 80th birthday this past week of Eric Moser. With much love from the Moser family.

THE ANNUAL TOY SERVICE will be held next Sabbath at 11am. Dorothy Thornhill, the Mayor of Watford, will be with us for this service. Please invite your friends and neighbours to this wonderful service. The church will be open on Friday between 12-3pm if you wish to bring your toys. Otherwise you can bring it on Sabbath morning.

**THE CHRISTMAS STORY**. If you enjoy the Christmas video today you can show a new episode each day to your family. Go to www.wordlive.org in the top ribbon press 'advent'; in the top left select the date. Watch this every day for the full Christmas story.

<b>PASTORAL ASSISTANCE</b> - If you need pastoral support in any of the areas listed below, pleas
complete this form and place it in the offering plate, or hand to the Pastor or one of the Elders.

☐ I would like to receive Bible Studies☐ I need assistance with	□ I would like to prepare for Baptism
□ Other	
Name	Contact No.

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**EVELOPMENT NEWS SHEET NO. 2.** Please ensure you pick up the latest edition of the Development News Sheet before you leave today, copies will be available from one of the deacons or from the LA Desk at the close of the service.

**<u>DEVELOPMENT FUND</u>** will be collected today. All donations, large or small, are greatly appreciated.

CREATIVE CRAFT is running a beading workshop every Wednesday 1-3pm, on the run up to Christmas. We are decorating fairy lights with beads, sequins and sparkles. All materials supplied. There is a cost of £15 per person. If you are unable to come in the afternoon, there may be an opportunity to do an evening workshop but this will depend on numbers. Please register your interest with Joanne Gentle on 01442 404 038, 07753 57 240 or joanne.gentle@gmail.com

<u>WINTER EDITION – STANBOROUGH NEWS</u>. There are a few bundles left for distribution in the local community. Please take a bundle today.

**FAMILY MINISTRIES PRAYER BASKET** is with the Gil Family. We invite the church to pray for Jose Manuel, Martha, Samuel and Carlos Gil. Their prayer request is for God's protection, blessings and wisdom to be on them as they guide their children.

### STANBOROUGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES

Registration is now open! The scholarships and bursaries examinations in Math, Science and English will be held on 27 Jan '14, 9:30-13.00 for prospective students entering Year 7, 8, and 9 in Sep '14. Max award 50% reduction on tuition fees. Registration deadline 20 Jan '14. Please see notice board for further information.



#### **PARALLEL CHRISTMAS CAFE**

7pm 21 December



Cedar/Sycamore Room

# Divine Service

#### 11am

#### Introit

#### **Silent Prayer**

#### Call to Worship

'The Lord in Zion reigneth, these hours to Him belong; O enter now His temple gates and fill His courts with sona: Beneath His royal banner let every creature fall; Exalt the King of heaven and earth, and crown Him Lord of all.' NAH 228

#### Invocation

**Scripture Reading:** Isaiah 7:14 & 9:6,7, Michael Dragoyevich

**Praise and Worship:** Jim Huzzey

**Tithes & Offerings** 

Baby Dedication: Pastor Karin Wieczorek

**Morning Prayer** 

**Development Offering** 

**Scripture Reading:** Luke 1:26-35, Misha Jordan Dragoyevich

'The Beginning of the Christmas story', Video

What is your Hope for Christmas?

Pastor Venter, with Carolyn Guenin, Sharon Thanikkel, Peter Bone.

**Meditation in Music:** 'O Holy Night', Ji-hee Ahn

**Sermon:** 'Waiting for God', Pastor Karin Wieczorek

Hymn 88: 'O come, O come Emmanuel'

**Benediction:** Pastor Karin Wieczorek

**Serving Elders**: Roger Murphy and Barbara Clee

With Orchestra



SAB 7 Dec Divine Service, Combined, Jacques Venter

Christmas Fellowship Lunch

Sun 8 Dec Adventurers/Pathfinders, 9:45am Seniors Club Christmas Party, 1pm Mon 9 Dec

Badminton Club, Stan. School, 5.30pm

Tue 10 Dec Tuesday Talks Reunion, 8pm, Jacques Venter Wed 11 Nov

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Creative Crafts, 1-3pm Prayer Meeting, 7.30pm

SAB 14 Dec Tov Service, 11am Sat 21 Dec Parallel Christmas Cafe

#### **Pastoral Team**

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# **AV Advance Requests/Bookings**

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## **DVD Recordings of Services**

Available to order from the desk after the Divine Service

# Stanborough Park College of Music

Jiae Ahn, Tel. 07837 404 261 / Email: spcmahn@gmail.com

bulletin@stanboroughchurch.org - Deadline WED 3pm



# SUNSET TIMES

**Today: 15:52 Next Friday: 15:51** 

Welcome To

Stanborough Park Church



"...be confident of this, that He, who began a good work in you, will carry it to completion...' Philippians 1:6



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