

11 am Communion Service

Introit *Holy Holy Holy*

Silent Prayer

Call to Worship NAH 25 verse 1

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
In light inaccessible, hid from our eyes,
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
Almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise.

Invocation

Meditation Revelation 15:3-4 NIV

Hymn 183 *Sing We the King Who is Coming to Reign*

Tithes and Offerings

Family Prayer Pastor Patrick Boyle

Sermon "Bring It" – **Pastor** Jacques Venter
Scripture Text Isaiah 53:4-7

Hymn 470 *Not I But Christ*

Ordinance of Humility

Children's Time

Hymn 387 *Bread of Heaven on Thee We Feed*

The Lord's Supper

The Good Samaritan Offering

Hymn 409 *I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say*

Benediction

Reflection in Silent Meditation

Postlude

It is not enough to perceive the loving-kindness of God, to see the benevolence, the fatherly tenderness, of His character. It is not enough to discern the wisdom and justice of His law, to see that it is founded upon the eternal principle of love. Paul the apostle saw all this when he exclaimed, "I consent unto the law that it is good." "The law is holy, and the commandment holy, and just, and good." But he added, in the bitterness of his soul-anguish and despair, "I am carnal, sold under sin." Romans 7:16, 12, 14. He longed for the purity, the righteousness, to which in himself he was powerless to attain, and cried out, "O wretched man that I am! who shall deliver me from this body of death?" Romans 7:24, margin. Such is the cry that has gone up from burdened hearts in all lands and in all ages. To all, there is but one answer, "Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world." John 1:29.

The heart of God yearns over His earthly children with a love stronger than death. In giving up His Son, He has poured out to us all heaven in one gift. The Saviour's life and death and intercession, the ministry of angels, the pleading of the Spirit, the Father working above and through all, the unceasing interest of heavenly beings, - all are enlisted in behalf of man's redemption.

EG White, *Steps to Christ*, pp 19, 21

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Welcome to Stanborough Park Church



I am the vine, you are the branches.
He who abides in Me,
and I in him, bears much fruit;
for without Me you can do nothing.

John 15:5 NKJV



Seventh-day Adventist Church
Stanborough Park
609 St Albans Road, Watford WD25 9JL

Sabbath School

9.45am

Welcome Layna Nosaka

Hymn 180 *Crown Him With Many Crowns* Sayaka Higa

Prayer Ana Costa Pitta

Mission Story "I Feel Safe Now" Finley Simmons

"Still" by Andres Barroeta – Rolando Aquino

Bible Study Groups Aila Heck

Mission Offering Viola Freudenberg

Hymn 420 *I Will Sing the Wondrous Story* – Nebojsa Zivanov

Closing Prayer Daurio

Today

The Family Ministries Prayer Basket is with the Wosu family. Please pray for Ngozi, Uzoma, Chisom, Kelechi and Chika. Their prayer request is for the Holy Spirit to dwell and abide with us all as a church family even as we care for one another. *I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me. Philippians 4:13*

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Mrs Ariminta Solomon who has passed away. The funeral service will take place in this church on Thursday 13 October at 10.30am.

ADRA Gift Boxes should be brought to the church by 22 October. If you have not yet paid for your box(es), please see John Horwood today. Thank you.

Women in Prayer today We invite all women to a 30-minute meeting in the Oak Room immediately after the service today. We will resume our regular meetings from next month.

Revelation Bible Study today, 3.30-4.30pm in the Armstrong Hall. Topic: Revelation 20 and 21.

The Singing Group will go to The Chase Care Home, 4 Printers Avenue, WD18 7QR, at 3.30pm today.

Announcements

Church Budget Offerings	Budget	Actual
September	£5,833	£6,123
Year to date	£52,500	£50,459

Accommodation needed near the church (2-3 bedrooms) for a family with two children. If you can help, please contact Jiae Ahn spcmahn@gmail.com

The Welfare Department is in need of non-perishable foods – pasta, tins, jam, biscuits, etc.

Free leaflets and literature are available on the table in the North Porch. Please help yourself to them.

Tuesday Bible Study Group meets in the Maple Room, 10.30-11.30am. Topic: Gospel of Luke.

The Experience The next programme on Tuesday 11 October at 7pm will feature Karen Holford.

The Soup Run on Friday 14 October will be led by Eric Wolfram and the driver is Gordon Walton. If you wish to go on the Soup Run, contact Pat on 01923 672500.

KIT Distribution next Sabbath 15 October. We shall need our regular volunteers to take their copies of our newsletter. A copy is on the notice board. KIT is for friends of our church and those who used to worship with us. If you know of someone who should get a copy on WinterKIT, please give their land or email address to Bronwen Atkinson or email bet@roybron.plus.com

Men's Cycling Life Group Our next event is on Sunday 16 October. Meet behind the church at 9.30am for a 10 o'clock start. We will accommodate new starters by offering a two-stage circular ride. Come and enjoy fellowship and God's nature in a healthy pursuit. For more information please see Arto Keshishian or email lifegroups@stanboroughpark.org

DBS Checks Sunday 16 October 10am-12 noon, Maple Room. Please bring at least 4 pieces of personal evidence for your new DBS check. If your DBS check is stuck, bring your details and we will try to get the application live again. If you have completed the check, please bring your paper DBS certificate to be verified. It would help if you would make an appointment by email: helen.lockham@care4free.net

Youth Notes

Youth Day We are taking over Parallel on 22 October! Come along, bring a friend, and get involved! Let someone from the Youth team know ASAP what you would like to do. Please register places for yourself and your friends using the link on Facebook/WhatsApp.

Driving Treasure Hunt 15 October Please let Jared or Ben know if you're coming. If any church members can drive, please see Jared or Ben ASAP.

Fireworks We will be going to the fireworks at Cassiobury Park on 5 November. Meet at the Burgesses' house at 5pm for food before we go! Parents, please see a member of the youth team if you would be willing to help supervise this event – we will need lots of helpers.

Pizza Join us for another pizza night at the Mosers' house on 12 November. Timings to follow.

Stanborough School Speech Night 20 October at 7pm in the school gym. Come and join in the celebrations of our students' achievements. Refreshments on sale.

Church choir rehearsals resume on Friday 21 October at 7pm. We will be preparing for Christmas services. Everyone is welcome – we especially need more men!

The Teatime Concert is back on Sunday 23 October at 3pm with renowned pianist, Emmanuel Despax, regular performer at Wigmore Hall. He is described as 'a master colourist with genius-like ability'. His programme will include works by Handel and Ravel. A concert not to be missed, be sure to invite your friends and family for wonderful music, tea and cakes!

Afternoon Tea Jared will be hosting an afternoon tea on Tuesday 25 October at 3.30pm. £6.50 per person. All funds raised will go towards his university fund.

Sunset Times

Today: 6:21pm **Next Friday:** 6:08pm (Watford)

Prayer Corner

Let us pray for those affected by or in the path of Hurricane Matthew in the Caribbean. Also, please pray for our Life Group leaders as they seek ways of reaching the community around us.