7 January 2017

11 am Worship Service

Introit Holy Holy Holy

Silent Prayer

Call to Worship NAH 15, verse 4

O praise ye the Lord!
Thanksgiving and song to him be outpoured
All ages along;
For love in creation, for heaven restored,
For grace of salvation,
O praise ye the Lord!

Invocation Brian Davison

Youth Bible Readings

Sharolyn Rajasekaran and Beth Molteni

Hymn 726 Sweet Hour of Prayer

Tithes and Offerings

Dedication Chiamaka Ngwaba Pastor Mark Finley

Children's Time Pastor Geert Tap

Development Offering Dave Burgess

Mission and Family Prayer Pastor Raafat Kamal

"Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee" Sixteen Strings

Sermon Prayer Makes a Difference Pastor Mark Finley

Hymn 722 What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Benediction

Reflection in Silent Meditation

Postlude

Weekly Diary

- Saturday 7 January -

11am Combined Service: Pr Mark Finley 1pm Souper Sabbath 3.30pm Revelation Bible Study, Armstrong Hall

Sunday 8 January

9am Pathfinders

Tuesday 10 January

10.30am Study Group in Maple Room 7pm The Experience in Cedar/Sycamore

Wednesday 11 January

9.30am/1pm Toddler Club1pm Creative Crafts in Maple Room7.30pm Prayer Meeting in Church

Thursday 12 January

9.30pm Toddler Club

Friday 13 January

8.30pm Soup Run

- Saturday 14 January -

11am Communion Service: Pr Jacques Venter12pm Pathfinders PBE7.30pm New Year's Concert

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Bulletin Deadline Wednesday 3pm

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Welcome to Stanborough Park Church



And I said to the man who stood at the gate of the year: "Give me a light that I may tread safely into the unknown."

And he replied: "Go out into the darkness and put your hand into the Hand of God. That shall be to you better than light and safer than a known way." So I went forth, and finding the Hand of God, trod gladly into the night.

And He led me towards the hills and the breaking of day in the lone East."

Minnie Louise Haskins (1875-1957)



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Sabbath School

9.45am

Welcome Roslyn Guenin
Hymn 716 Look Upon Jesus
Prayer Aila Heck
Mission Report Jim Huzzey
Praise in Music Victoria Balan
Bible Study Quarterly Overview Dr Daniel Duda
Mission Offering Daniel Guenin
Hymn 708 I'm Pressing On
Closing Prayer Ellen Philbert



In line with our church policy, kindly refrain from photography during services in order to maintain an atmosphere of reverence.

Sunset Times

Today: 4:10pm Next Friday: 4:18pm (Watford)

Prayer Corner

This week let us pray for those affected by the shootings in Istanbul. Also, please remember those who offer a chaplaincy service to our neighbours.

Announcements

Sabbath Morning Prayer Meeting 9.00-9.30am in the Maple Room. All are welcome.

The flowers this week are given by Mick and Chari Lilley to celebrate 15 years of happy marriage, with thanks to God for being with them every step of the way.

The Family Ministries Prayer Basket is held by the Kemp family: Ketsia, Julien and Gabriel. "Deuteronomy 31:6 reminds us to be strong and courageous, for God is with us, and He will never leave us nor forsake us. This is what we as a family invite the church to pray, so that this promise is kept in our hearts and is not forgotten in difficult times."

Souper Sabbath today from about 1pm to 4pm in the Cedar-Sycamore Room for those who have booked. We look forward to seeing you. For those who missed this opportunity, the date of the next Souper Sabbath will be advertised soon in the bulletin and on the Church Facebook page.

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

Free leaflets and booklets are available on the table in the north porch.

2016 Expense Claims Any outstanding expense claims for Stanborough Park Church relating to 2016 should be submitted to the Local Treasury Team by 28 January, by email to treasury@stanboroughchurch.org, or in person to Wederly Aguiar or Pam Robertson.

Church Clerk absence Pat Swan is on holiday until 26 January. You may still contact her by email but replies may take a little longer than usual.

Audio-Visual Team help needed Do you regularly attend Parallel Service and would like to help out? We are looking for willing volunteers to join the AV team. Come and speak to Neilson Roberts after the service or email spcavteam@gmail.com. No prior technical experience necessary, just a willing and committed spirit.

The Singing Group will not be going out today.

Revelation Study Group meets today in the Armstrong Hall, 3.30-4.30pm. We look forward to seeing you there!

Adventurer & Pathfinder enrolment Sunday 8 January. New members aged 6-15 years welcome. Email Paula at special-com for further details.

Tuesday Bible Study meets from 10.30-11.30am in the Maple Room. We are studying the Book of Mark.

The Experience Tuesday 10 January at 7pm: "Our Creator God". Light supper will be served. Please come and bring a friend.

Wednesday Prayer Meeting The speaker this week will be Sheilla Luz. 7.30pm in the sanctuary.

Soup Run The leader for the Soup Run on Friday 13 January is Rachel Lunan, and the driver is Brian Davison. If you wish to go on the Soup Run, please contact Rachel or Pat Walton.

Women in Prayer All ladies welcome to join us after the service next Sabbath, 14 January, 12.30-2.30pm, for a season of prayer followed by soup and rolls.

New Year's Concert 14 January at 7.30pm You are invited to attend our annual new year concert and join the Stanborough Park Choir and Orchestra in singing some well-loved hymns. Entrance is free.

