11 am Worship Service

Introit Holy Holy Holy

Silent Prayer

Call to Worship NAH 11 verse 3

Here, great God, today we offer of Thine own to Thee; And for Thine acceptance proffer, all unworthily, Hearts and minds, and hands and voices, In our choicest melody.

Invocation

Responsive Scripture Meditation 1 Chronicles 29:10b-13 NKJV Grant Elias

Hymn 1 NAH Praise My Soul the King of Heaven

Tithes and Offerings

Children's Time Cecilia Davison

Family Prayer Brian Davison

Scripture Reading Isaiah 39:1-7 NKJV Estelle Elias

Hymn 458 NAH Come Jesus Lord With Holy Fire

Sermon Change is on Its Way: How Do You Respond? Jan Barna

Hymn 100 SDAH Great is Thy Faithfulness

Benediction

Reflection in Silent Meditation

Postlude

Sunset Times Today: 6:11pm Next Friday: 6:21pm (Watford)

Prayer Corner

- Let us praise and thank God for His guidance in our lives.
- Please pray for the people in East Africa who are threatened with starvation.



SPC Operating	BUDGET	ACTUAL	VAR'CE
Summary Feb 2017	Feb-17	Feb-17	Feb-17
Church Budget Income	12,333	12,007	(326)
Church Other Income	2,500	1	(2,499)
Centre Hall Hire Income	10,333	10,126	(207)
Church Operating Costs	(3,869)	(4,402)	(533)
Church Site Costs	(12,683)	(22,794)	(10,111)
Centre Costs	(4,914)	(5,093)	(179)
Operating s'plus/(deficit)	3,700	(10,156)	(13,856)
Less: Transfers to Depts	(22,200)	(22,200)	-
Total surplus/(deficit)	(18,500)	(32,356)	(13,856)

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18 March 2017

Welcome to Stanborough Park Church



Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. Lamentations 3:22-23



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

Sabbath School

9.45am

Welcome Angelika Horwood Hymn 525 Lead Us Heavenly Father Lead Us Prayer John Horwood

Mission Spotlight

Bible Study Grieving and Resisting the Spirit Mission Offering Dean Papaioannou Hymn 196 Breathe on Me Breath of God Closing Prayer Brian Davison

Sabbath School teachers, please note: the lesson on the first Sabbath of each quarter will be taken from the desk.

Parallel Service

11am in the Cedar-Sycamore Room

Speaker Steven Moser Scripture Reading Annabelle Lim Family Prayer Matthew Marshall Children's Story Vanesa Pizzuto Music Coordinator Charlotte Fidelia Service Coordinator Charlotte Marshall

Announcements

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

The flowers today are in loving memory of Aenid Wright, from Jeanne, Karl, Kristopher, Kathryn and Jon.

The Family Ministries Prayer Basket is held by the Molteni family. Massimo, Annalisa and Beth request prayers for wisdom and guidance to face the changes and challenges they encounter. Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus." Phil 4:6-7

Kindergarten Sabbath School Would you help teach the lesson story to a small group of 4-6 year-olds during the 2nd quarter April-June? Any help would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Elaine or Helen: <u>elainethomo@amail.com</u> / <u>hkbrown49@amail.com</u> "Inside Stanborough" formerly Stanborough News, introduces topics of Christianity and encourages local people to come and meet us and join in worship, learning or any of our diverse activities. It is a witness to what we believe that goes straight to our neighbours' homes. Please take a bundle from the lobby today to distribute in the area around the church.

The Welfare Department in is need of non-perishable foods: cans, packets, jars, etc. Thank you.

Help Required The Management Committee is looking for volunteers to provide holiday cover for the Centre Manager. If you are organised, enjoy working with people and could give a few days a year to help run our busy Church and Centre, contact Brian Davison 07957 856715.

Quiet Bags are provided for use by families in the services, with priority given to visitors. Please collect all items after use and return to the bag for the next family to enjoy. Some items have been lost or damaged; if you can donate colouring pencils, books, soft toys/puppets, quiet games/puzzles, etc, please give them to Alison Burgess, Pat Walton or Alix Roberts. Thank you.

A big Thank You for the hospitality shown to the Pathfinders who visited us last Sabbath for the Bible Experience event, and for contributions of refreshments.

Pathfinder Bible Experience Congratulations to our two teams for achieving first place. One of our teams qualified with another club for funding to attend the Division level test in the USA. As the funding is shared between the two teams, we now need to raise the remaining £5000. Any donations would be most welcome.

The Singing Group will visit Fairhaven, Park Avenue, WD18 7HR at 3.30pm today.

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

The funeral service for Laverne Byng will be held at this church tomorrow at 10am, followed by refreshments at Stanborough Secondary School.

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

Wednesday Prayer Meeting 22 March at 7.30pm in the sanctuary. Amanda Brown will give a short talk entitled *Stories*, followed by praise and prayer. All welcome.

Youth Notes

We are going to **Laser Quest** on 25 March. Let us know if you would like to come via Whatsapp.

Let's Walk It feels like Spring! Let's plan to walk together on 25 March at 3pm. See Edward for more information.

The Soup Run on Friday 24 March will be led by the Hemel Hempstead Church. If you wish to go on the Soup Run, please contact Pat Walton. The Soup Run is in urgent need of sleeping bags and warm blankets.

ADRA Annual Appeal begins Sunday 26 March and all are encouraged to be involved. Collect home cans from Peter Walton or John Horwood after the service today. Cans and permits for door to door collecting, and maps, will be available after the service on 25 March.

Teatime Concert Sunday 26 March at 3pm. Come along with your friends and family for wonderful music, tea and cakes! Collection for the Church Development Fund.

Men's Cycling Club Join our friendly group for our first event of 2017 on Sunday 26 March. Meet at the church at 9.30am for a 10am start. Routes to suit all abilities. See Arto or email <u>lifegroups@stanboroughpark.org</u> for details.

Music Workshop Sunday 26 March at 3pm with the Wind Up Penguin Theatre for children aged 6-12. Free event, but booking essential. Email <u>info@spcm.org.uk</u> or <u>spcmahn@gmail.com</u>

Fellowship Lunch 1 April Please book using the envelopes at the desk and place in the offering plate, or email <u>fellowshiplunch7@gmail.com</u>

Sale in aid of ADRA Annual Appeal Sunday 9 April at Blue Firs, 200 Toms Lane: all sizes of new and nearly new clothes. Details to follow.

Thinking of you • I love you • Thank you

Say it with flowersI Dedicate a lily to someone special this Easter. The lilies will decorate the church on Easter Sabbath, 15 April, and special dedication cards will be displayed. The lilies and cards will be distributed to the recipients after the service. All proceeds to the Church Development Fund.

See Roslyn or Audrey for details and an envelope.