### Family Service 11am in the Sanctuary

Introit Holy Holy Holy

#### **Silent Prayer**

#### Call to Worship Hymn 22 verse 1

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee; Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty, God over all, who rules eternity.

#### Invocation

Hymns of Praise led by Medwin Calvert 173 All Hail the Power 439 My Jesus I Love Thee SDAH 633 When We All Get to Heaven

Tithes and Offerings

#### **Family Prayer**

Children's Time Amanda Powell

**Pound in the Pot** for the Development Fund Praise Him, Praise Him, All Ye Little Children

Hymn 301 God is With Us

Scripture Reading Acts 11:19-30 NIV

**Sermon** Pastor Paul Clee The Vitality of the Early Christian Church

Hymn 200 O For That Flame of Living Fire

**Benediction** 

#### **Reflection in silent meditation**

Postlude

Sunset Times Today: 9:04pm Next Friday: 9:11pm (Watford)



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

**Gluten flour and Sosmix** available from Pat Walton. All profits to the Church Development Fund.

| Development Fund Summary April 2017 |                |                |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                                     | Jan-Dec 2016   | Jan-Apr 2017   |
| Opening balance                     | (1,172,789.91) | (1,107,404.66) |
| Offerings                           | 120,288.03     | 51,865.95      |
| Gift Aid                            | 60,428.59      | -              |
| Other income                        | 5,270.80       | 351.00         |
| Prof. fees                          | (83,537.17)    | -              |
| Loan interest                       | (10,641.54)    | (2,373.58)     |
| Other costs                         | (26,423.46)    | (505.40)       |
| Closing balance                     | (1,107,404.66) | (1,058,066.69) |

Estimated time to clear deficit: 7yrs 1mth

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27 May 2017

## Welcome to Stanborough Park Church



But those who wait on the Lord Shall renew their strength; They shall mount up with wings like eagles, They shall run and not be weary, They shall walk and not faint. Isaiah 40:31



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

# Sabbath School

9.30am

Welcome Ashley Welch Hymn 587 I Thank Thee Lord Prayer Mission Story Nonsie Hudson

What a Friend We Have in Jesus Jiae Ahn and Joan Maxwell

Lesson Study Be Who You Are Mission Offering John Horwood Hymn 617 Let Thy Life O Lord be My Life Closing Prayer Chelise Currow

## Parallel Service

11am in the Cedar-Sycamore Room Praise Leader Chantal Alen Scripture text Acts 2:42-47 Sermon My 5-Star Church Pastor Geert Tap Coordinators Lidia Diniz and Marc Neal

### Announcements

**Family Ministries Prayer Basket** Please pray for Uche and Wale Ademuyiwa and their children. 'Our prayer request is that the Lord will give our children, Timi, Temi and Tobi, good health, and that they will grow in the ways of the Lord.'

**The family of Vivienne Evers** would like to say a big Thank You for all the cards, flowers, thoughts and prayers that have been shared during this time. The funeral will take place at 11 am on Tuesday, 6 June at this church.

**Paulina and family** wish to thank all those who celebrated Usko's life during the memorial service last Friday, for the many cards and messages received, and for the donations of  $\pounds130$  to the Alzheimer's Society.

**Membership transfers first reading** To Stanborough Park Church: José Gil Munoz from Hampstead Church, London; Mrs Margarita Kassapoglou from Athens Church, Greece; Felipe Fustte and Mrs Carina Butierrez Fustte from Libertador Norte Church, Argentina. From Stanborough Park Church: Pastor Samuel Neves and Mrs Amy Neves to New Hope Church, Fulton, USA. Sabbath School lesson books for July-December should be ordered by 3 June. Order forms at the desk.

**The Pathfinders are camping** this weekend with Area 7 clubs to fulfil their camping skills requirements. May they have an enriching spiritual time and travelling mercies.

Let's Walk Today Meet in the car park in Little Gaddesden at 3pm. Take Leighton Buzzard Road from Hemel Hempstead and turn left just after car sales lot into Hudnall Lane. More details from Edward 07753 608382. Do not miss this walk!

**The Singing Group** will visit the Chase Care Home, Printers Avenue, Watford, at 3.30pm today.

London to Paris Cycle Ride John Cooper, Peter Kent, Mahesh Kukadia and Kish Poddar set off tomorrow to cycle from London to Paris, to raise funds for the Way to Life Children's Home. Please remember the riders and the support team in your prayers. To sponsor them or make a donation go to: <u>https://uk.virginmoneygiving.</u> <u>com/fundraiser-web/donate/makeDonationForCharity</u> <u>Display.action?charityId=1004073</u>.

**Sunday Tea Time Concert** tomorrow at 3pm. Come along and bring your friends and family for a wonderful concert by Trinity College of Music competition winners, the Alinéa Duo, followed by tea and cakes. Programme includes Rimsky Korsakov's *Flight of the Bumblebee*. Collection for the Development Fund.

**Wednesday Prayer Meeting** 7.30pm. All welcome for a time of contemplation, prayer and praise.

**The funeral** of Mrs Felicity Romain, grandmother of Jamal and Shanice, and mother of Virginia and Roseanna Romain, will take place at 11am on Thursday, 1 June at Stanborough Park Church.

**Agape** Friday, 2 June, 7.30 pm in the Cedar-Sycamore Room. A time to come in unity, as we are, to share and praise God together. Foot washing and communion will be available for those who wish to take part.

### Youth Notes

**Friday 2 June** is our next Travelling Programme at the Burgess home. Usual time 7.30-9pm.

**Saturday 3 June** STOP meeting, 7pm. We hope to see as many of you there as possible.

**Saturday 10 June** We are having a picnic. Bring some food, a blanket and all your family!

### Weekly Bible Studies

Sabbath 3.30-4.30pm: Studies in Daniel Monday 7.30-8.30pm: Studies in Daniel Tuesday 10.30-11.30am: Studies in Luke's gospel

The Soup Run on Friday 2 June will be led by the Watford Town Church. If you wish to go on the Soup Run, please contact Pat Walton. We are in urgent need of men's shoes and trainers, especially large sizes, and men's trousers.

Fellowship Lunch 3rd June Please book using the envelopes at the desk and place in the offering plate, or email <u>fellowshiplunch7@gmail.com</u> by 30th May.

**Summer Sunday Sale** 4 June, 12-2pm. All the usual stalls and light lunches. All proceeds to the Flower Festival. Please bring any donations on Saturday night after 9.15, or arrange delivery with Pat prior to the sale.

**Car wash and pampering**, including facials, available during the Sunday Sale on 4 June. Proceeds will go towards the Pathfinder Community Health Fair.

**Summer is here** and it's time for picnics! Join us for the first picnic on the Park on Sabbath 10 June straight after the services. Bring your food and a rug. Indoor space will be available in case of bad weather.

Family Beach Trip Sunday 18 June to Knoll Beach, Studland Bay. Meet from 10am to the left of the café for a day full of fun, sand, games and hopefully plenty of sunshine! See Facebook or Alix for more details.

### **Flower Festival**

Soli Deo Gloria ~ To God Alone be the Glory 14-16 July 2017

36 floral arrangements will depict aspects of our church life and celebrate the 90th anniversary of the laying of the

foundation stone of the church. Admission free. **Preview Evening, 13 July**, 7 for 7.30pm. Tickets from Kirra Moser or email <u>flowerfestival2017@outlook.com</u> **Worship Service, 15 July**, 11am **Gala Concert, 15 July**, 7.30pm. Free admission **Gala Dinner, 16 July**, 6 for 6.30pm. Tickets from Roslyn or email flowerfestival2017@outlook.com

## Prayer Corner

Let us praise and thank God for His mercy and justice. Please continue to pray for the people of Manchester following the terrorist attack on Monday.