### Worship Service

11 am in the Sanctuary

#### Welcome Meditation Music Silent Prayer

**Call to Worship** SDAH 671 "As We Come to You in Prayer"

Invocation Terry Menkens

**Hymn** SDAH 100 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

**Tithes and Offerings** 

Family Prayer Terry Menkens

#### Children's Worship Time Irma Ackie

Hymn "Ancient Words"

Scripture Reading Andrew Poppa "Hebrews 4:12"

Special Item Hiroshima SDA School Vocal Ensemble "The Saviour is Waiting"

> Sermon Elder Luca Zagara "Why Scripture?"

Hymn SDAH 286 "Wonderful Words of Life"

Benediction Reflection in Silent Meditation Postlude

## Parallel Service

11am in the Cedar-Sycamore Room

Speaker Dejan Stojkovic Message "The real thing in a fake world" Praise Leader Beatrice Cooper Coordinators Stuart Joseph and Chantal Alan

### Sunset Times

Today: 4:09pm Next Friday: 4:02pm (Watford)

#### Treasury Department Announcement:

Summary Church Finance Report Jan-Oct 2018	Budget	Actual
Church Budget offerings	68,333	5,075
Income from letting halls/rooms in Centre	53,667	2,399
Other (e.g. grants received from SEC/Area 7)	4,167	2,575
Operating costs (bulletin, flowers, SVs, St SCH)	(20,413)	(28,325)
Centre costs (staff, servicing clients)	(22,147)	(23,053)
Site costs (utilities, repairs, cleaning, insurance)	(69,940)	(57,282)
Funds set aside for departmental activities	(13,667)	(18,667)
Operating Surplus / (Deficit) for year to date	0	12,715

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Bulletin Deadline Wednesday 3pm bulletin@stanboroughchurch.org

#### 17 November 2018

# Welcome to Stanborough Park Church



For everything that was written in the past was written to teach us, so that through the endurance taught in the Scriptures and the encouragement they provide we might have hope.

Romans 15:4 (NIV)



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Morning Prayer Meeting

9-9.30am in the Maple Room

## Sabbath School

Special programme presented by Stanborough Secondary School 9.45am

#### Welcome Belicia Miteva

Memory Text Jhavaughn Pitter

**Opening Hymn** Daniella Arce Tapia NAH 317 "We Love Thy Sabbath Lord"

**Opening Prayer** Ethel Kansere

**Mission Spotlight** Destiny Godwin-Etim, Ana Carolina Costa Pitta & Jennifer Mucheuki

Special tem "Smile" Hiroshima SDA School Vocal Ensemble

Introducing the Lesson Study Enoch Kanagaraj

Mission Offering Kaori Ikemasu

**Closing Hymn** Jessica Mwamuka SDAH 10 "Come, Christians, join to Sing"

Closing Prayer Mrs E Hussey

### Announcements

**Note of Thanks.** Pastor Geert would like to extend his heartfelt appreciation regarding the many messages, emails, texts and calls of support to his mother and the whole family during this sad time.

**Gift Contribution.** If you would like to make a monetary contribution towards Pastor Jacques' leaving gift, please place a clearly marked envelope in the offering plate or hand it to one of the deacons TODAY. Thank you.

1<sup>st</sup> **Reading Membership Transfer** to Stanborough Park Church of Emili Bombonatti Maia from São Paulo SDA Church, Brazil. The second reading will be next week when the vote will be taken.

**Community Chaplaincy Service** need to do a big drive for winter to support Homeless Warriors. Please contact Enoch Kanagaraj or Roy Christie for more information & to support by giving items of clothing urgently needed. **The Autumn Gala Concert** last week was a delightful evening and was well appreciated by all who came. Thank you for all your prayers and support, which allowed us to raise over £2,250 for the church development fund and other church projects.

A fantastic welcome back to Kimberly and Kelsey – former student volunteers here at Stanborough Park Church. They created a huge amount of fun and inspiration while here. Now they are back for a very brief visit, so get ready all you who knew them or know them.

The Family Ministry Prayer Basket is with the Severi family. We invite the church family to pray for Enio, Perpétua, Gabriel, Claudio, Liliane and Alice. Our prayer request is that God will strengthen our faith and create a reformation and revival of the whole family and bind us together. Also pray for Gabriel and Charlotte who took an important step in their lives, as well as for Claudio and his family. Ephesians 5:20

Adventurer and Pathfinder volunteers needed. Mentoring and training provided. We meet 2 Sundays a month and are looking for supervisors, musicians, game leaders and people who enjoy the outdoors. Join us in this fun and spiritually uplifting ministry with children. Contact Paula.

**One Vision Project & Gokula Café** feed the homeless or those struggling, on Mondays from 11am-3pm for free. If you know someone in need of a meal, please send them with the code to mention: One Vision Stanborough.

Gluten flour, Sosmix and broken cashews are now available from Pat Walton.

## Diary

**Door to Door Ministry** TODAY. Please bring lunch to share in the Maple room from 12.30-2.30pm, and we will then go out from 3-5pm. If you have truly experienced the love of Jesus, the natural response is to share and let others know about it, so join us as we connect and share the love of Jesus. The only requirement is a willing spirit. Bring warm clothes and an umbrella (just in case).

**Singing Group** TODAY, at 3.30pm, will be visiting The Chase Care Home, 4 Printers Ave, WD18 7QR.

**Christmas Gifts, Books and Craft Fair** TOMORROW from 11am to 3pm in the Stanborough Centre. Casual catwalk during the afternoon, and designer handbags at greatly reduced prices. Proceeds to the Peace Hospice. **Week of Prayer** starting TOMORROW and ending Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November. Please join us every evening at 7.30pm. The focus will be on God's living words of hope and grace in the Bible.

**Choir Practice** on Mondays at 7.30pm. If you are interested, please come or speak to Beatrice or Grant.

**Tuesday Bible Study Group** meet in the Maple Room from 10.30-11.30am studying the Gospel of John. All welcome.

**Prayer Meeting** every Wednesday at 7.30-8.30pm in the Sanctuary. All are welcome.

**Soup Run** on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November will be organized by the St Albans Church. If you would like to get involved by making sandwiches, driving the mini bus or going on the run, please contact Pat Walton on 01923 672 500. We URGENTLY need sleeping bags and men's clothing.

**Pancakes and Games Night** on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 5pm. Bring the children for an hour of fun and frantic party games. All are welcome for pancakes after!

**Teatime Concert** on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November at 3pm with the Aida Duo: Inês Delgado, Violin & Alis An, Piano. This will be the last concert this year, so make sure you come to enjoy the beautiful music, along with your friends and neighbours! The programme includes Bach, Mozart and Debussy. Teatime after the concert!

Annalisa's Cooking Classes on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm in the Williams Hall. We will be getting ready for Christmas with some delicious recipes. Please enrol at http://www.annalisaskitchen.co.uk/events.html . We are looking forward to seeing you there!

**Fellowship Lunch** on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December. Please book using the envelopes at the desk and by placing them in the offering plate. Or if you prefer, email Fiona at fellowshiplunch7@gmail.com by Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> November. (Please note that this is a normal fellowship lunch. There will NOT be a Christmas event this year.)

**Quiz Night** on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December. Gather a team of up to 10 people, or join a table on the night, for a brainteasing night of fun. The teens won last year – the challenge is on!

Toy Service will be on Saturday 8th December at 11am.

**Pool Party** on 5<sup>th</sup> January 2019 from 6-8pm. Swimming and splashing for all ages 0-90 at Westminster Lodge. Indoor toddler splash park, swimming areas & a large inflatable!