

#### Meditation

#### **Silent Prayer**

#### Call to Worship SDAH 671

Now, dear Lord, as we pray,
Take our hearts and minds far away
From the press of the world all around
To Your throne where grace does abound.
Ma our lives be transformed by Your love,
May our souls be refreshed from above.
At this moment, let people everywhere
Join us now as we come to You in prayer.

**Invocation** Alain Fidelia

Hymn SOF 830

I the Lord of Sea and Sky

**Tithes and Offerings** 

Children's Time Lara Venter

Hymn NAH 700 When We Walk With the Lord

Family Prayer Alain Fidelia

Scripture Reading 2 Corinthians 4:16-18
Ashley Wragg

Hvmn SDAH 86 How Great Thou Art

Sermon Pastor Mark Finley
"Four Ways to Deal With Disappointment,
and Two Ways Not To"

Hymn SDAH 632 Until Then

**Benediction** Pastor Mark Finley

**Reflection in Silent Meditation** 

Postlude

**Job Opportunity** We are looking for a part-time (30 hours per week) Facilities/Events Manager who can be available to start work as soon as possible. Reporting to the Church Site Management Committee, you will be responsible for leading and managing all aspects of our premises and facilities, particularly for the numerous week-day events and bookings. This role will involve operational "hands-on" duties as well as managerial responsibilities. You will be highly organised, enjoy working with people, pro-active and reliable with a "can-do" approach to problem solving. In line with the church vision to be a growing, vibrant church community, energised to share their joyful experiences in Christ, the successful applicant will have a wide range of practical skills and be able to lead by example. Please email stanboroughcentre@amail.com to receive a detailed job description and an application form.

| Summary Church Budget Jan-Jun 2018       | Budget   | Actual   |
|------------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Church Budget offerings                  | 41,000   | 43,281   |
| Income from lettings                     | 32,200   | 40,175   |
| Other (eg grants from SEC/Area7)         | 2,500    | 2,437    |
| Operating costs                          | (12,248) | (13,036) |
| Centre costs (staff/servicing clients)   | (13,288) | (13,485) |
| Site costs                               | (41,964) | (32,253) |
| Funds for departmental activities        | (8,200)  | (8,200)  |
| Operating Surplus/(Deficit) year to date | <u>'</u> | 18,918   |

Site costs under budget because some repairs/maintenance items have been planned but not started, costs to come later in year.

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#### Bulletin Deadline Wednesday 3pm

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21 July 2018

# Welcome to Stanborough Park Church



Through the Lord's mercies
we are not consumed,
Because His compassions fail not.
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

## Morning Prayer Meeting

9-9.30am in the Maple Room

## Sabbath School

9.45am

Welcome Enoch Kanagaraj

**Hymn NAH 52** I Sing the Mighty Power of God Jasmine Kanagaraj

**Prayer** Abigail Davison

**Mission Spotlight** 

Standing on the Promises of God

Jefferson and Jan

**Lesson Study** Life in the Early Church

Mission Offering Ethel Kansere

**Hymn SDAH 633** When We All Get to Heaven Ruby Kansere

**Closing Prayer** Esther Kansere

## Parallel Service

11am in the Cedar-Sycamore Room "Obeying God's Call"

**Sermon** Pastor Geert Tap Where There is Smoke...

Scripture Reading 1 Kings 19:10-13

Prayer Elizabeth Roberts

## Sunset Times

**Today:** 9:06pm **Next Friday:** 8:58pm (Watford)

**In line with our church policy**, kindly refrain from photography during services.

**Sanctuary Reverence** Please be mindful to maintain reverence in the sanctuary during and after the service, as well as in the concourse when the Parallel Service is in progress. After the service the sanctuary space is available for reflection and quiet communion with God.

## Announcements & Diary

The Prayer Basket is held by the Ross family. We invite the church to pray for George, Katherine, Nathan and Daniel. "Our prayer request is for a better relationship with God and to lead the family to His throne daily. Also to be a better example to the children." Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. Phil 4:6.7

**We are sad** to announce the death of Barbara Margerison on Sunday, 15 July, aged 91. We offer our deepest condolences to Heather and the wider family. The funeral will be held at Stanborough Park Church on Monday, 6 August at 12 noon.

**The funeral** of Vera Colledge, who passed away on Sunday, 8 July, will be held on 5 August in the Carmarthen Church, South Wales, at 10.30am

**Pastoral absence** Pastor Jacques will be on study and annual leave until 7 August. For pastoral support during this period please contact Pastor Geert, Pastor Lolly, or one of the elders.

**The Church Clerk** is on holiday until 6 August. Emails will be answered as soon as possible.

**Welfare Department** There is still an urgent need for non-perishable food such as cans, packets, jars, etc.

**Sosmix** is available from Pat Walton. Profits to the church development fund.

**Please remember in your prayers** the volunteers leaving for a STOP project in India tomorrow, 22 July: Beth, Caitlyn, Adam, Tim, Susan, Ana, Sirbrina, Susan, Kish, Jason, Sherri-Lee, Sheena and Desiré.

**Deacons' Meeting and Pot Luck Lunch today** There will be a meeting for all deacons straight after the service today, followed by a pot luck lunch for all deacons and deaconesses and their families.

**The Singing Group** will not be going out today.

**Choir Practice** Mondays at 7.30pm in the church. If you would like to join, please come along, or speak to Beatrice or Grant.



Friday 17 August, 7:30pm
Unlocking the Mysteries of Egypt
Saturday 18 August, 7.30pm
The Hidden Secrets of Babylon
Sunday 19 August, 7:30pm
Fantastic Finds in Ancient Lands
Tuesday 21 August, 7:30pm
Jerusalem's Future Hope
Wednesday 22 August, 7:30pm
The Story of Two World Revolutionaries:
The Apostle Paul and Alexander the Great
Saturday 25 August, 7.30pm
Letters from a Lonely Isle

**Tuesday Bible Study** in the book of Hebrews, 10.30-11.30am. All welcome.

**Prayer Meeting** every Wednesday at 7.30pm.

**Parents in Prayer** All are invited to join us in prayer for our children and grandchildren next Sabbath, 21 July at 4.30pm in the Maple Room.

**Life Groups: Mens Cycling** Inviting all men to our next event tomorrow, 22 July, for an offroad cycle ride. Please meet at the back of the church at 9:30 for a 10am prompt start. All abilities accommodated. Don't forget to bring helmets and water. For further information, contact Arto Keshishian.

**Let's Walk** The next walk will be on 25 August. Details to follow, or speak to Edward Hammond.

**Women's Ministry Retreat** 14-16 September. See Florence for details.