

Worship Service

11am in the Sanctuary

Welcome

Meditation

Silent Prayer

Call to Worship SDAH 262

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit" (2 verses)

Invocation

Hymn of Praise *"In Christ Alone"*

Tithes and Offerings

Children's Story Aarinola Ayo-Ipaye

Development Offering

Songs of Praise

"God Will Make a Way"

"Near to the Heart of God" SDAH 495

"Worthy Is the Lamb"

Family Prayer Cecilia and Brian Davison

Scripture Reading Paul Godfrey

Luke 1:26-33 (NIV)

Special Item Tony and Andreas

Sermon Pastor Lorraine Fontaine

"Great Expectations"

Hymn of Commitment SDAH 469

"Leaning On the Everlasting Arms"

Closing Prayer

Reflection in Silent Meditation

Postlude

Sunset Times

Today: 3:55pm **Next Friday:** 3:52pm (Watford)

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Welcome to Stanborough Park Church



Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good;
His love endures forever.

Psalm 107:1 (NIV)



**Seventh-day
Adventist Church**

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Stanborough Park
609 St Albans Road, Watford WD25 9JL

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Morning Prayer Meeting

9-9.30am in the Maple Room

Sabbath School

Programme planned and presented by the Young Adults Class.
9.45am

Welcome Jefferson Nascimento

Opening Hymn SDAH 570 / NAH 470
"Not I, but Christ"

Opening Prayer Aarinola Ayo-Ipaye

Mission Spotlight Elizabeth Roberts
"Poisoned by a Mother"

Musical item Amy Cornwall

Lesson Study Kevin Stuart
"The most convincing proof"

Mission Offering Anjali Moser

Closing Hymn Emili Maia
SDAH 351 "Thy Hand, O God Has Guided"

Closing Prayer Emili Maia

Announcements

A special thank you, from John Miles, to all those members of the congregation who helped him and made him comfortable last week until the ambulance arrived. He is still in the hospital and has had a pace-maker put in last Wednesday.

Church Clerk absence. Pat Swan will be abroad visiting family during 6th December 2018 until 25th January 2019. Replies to e-mails may take a little longer.

Membership Database Information If you have not informed the Church Clerk of a change of address, email address or telephone number, please do so as soon as possible to ensure the accuracy of the Church and Conference membership database. Contact Pat Swan: swan.patricia4@gmail.com

The Welfare Department is in URGENT need of food – tinned fruit, beans, soups, and vegetables, plus packets of pasta, biscuits, etc.

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 Family Ministry Prayer Basket is with the Baylis family. We invite our church family to pray for Paul, Valeria, Eládio, Daniel, Danielle, Maria Eduarda, Edwarado, Ryan, Marly, Gabriel and Lincoln. May the Lord bless this lovely family who are growing every day in the Lord and who wish and pray for a deeper relationship with Him, trusting in His Bible promises that He will provide all of their needs. They ask for a special blessing regarding each member's health, spiritual life and professional growth. "I will say of the Lord, 'He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust'." Psalm 91:2

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

Diary

Fellowship Lunch TODAY for those who have booked in advance.

Singing Group TODAY at 4pm, will be singing at Courtland Lodge, Courtland Close, WD24 5GW.

Quiz Night TONIGHT at 7.30pm. Gather a team of up to 10 people, or join a table on the night, for a brain-teasing night of fun. The teens won last year – the challenge is on!

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

Bible Study Group on Tuesdays from 10.30-11.30am in the Maple Room. Studying the Gospel of John. All welcome.

Introduction to Domestic Abuse Awareness on Tuesday 4th December at 6.30pm. For more information, contact Enoch Kanagaraj: ccs@stanboroughpark.org or register with Jef Nascimento: stanboroughcentre@gmail.com

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

Youth Programme "How am I saved?" Please join the Youth Team on Friday 7th December for the 2nd part in a 2-part series delivered by Anthony Fuller, SEC Youth Director. Snacks will be provided!

Soup Run on Friday 7th December will be organised by the Watford Town Church. If you would like to get involved by making the sandwiches, driving the mini bus or going on the run please contact Pat Walton on 01923 672 500. The soup run URGENTLY needs sleeping bags and men's clothing.

Toy Service on Saturday 8th December at 11am. Please plan to bring your family and friends to this very special service. As in previous years we are asking mothers to pack a bag of toiletries for another mother. There will be time in the programme to bring your gift to the front, or you can bring it to the church on Friday from 11am-2pm. The elected Mayor of Watford, Peter Taylor, will attend with his family.

Women in Prayer on Saturday 8th December after the Worship Service. All the ladies are welcome to join with us. A light lunch will be served after the prayers.

The Experience on Tuesday 11th December at 7pm.

6th Annual Award Ceremony for the winners of the Christmas Art Competition 2018 - on Thursday 13th December at 4.30pm at the Stanborough Centre. This event is run by the Co-op Food Group, Watford Area in conjunction with the Community Chaplaincy Department of Stanborough Park Church. Seven schools are participating in the competition this year. There will also be the opportunity to taste a range of the Co-op Food and Fair Trade products. We are looking forward to your support at this event.

Carol Singing at INTU Watford on Thursday 13th December from 5.30-6.45pm. The SPCM has been invited again this year and our teachers and students have been preparing a special programme. We would like to invite our friends, parents and church members to sing many well known Christmas Carols with us. The singing will be accompanied by a small brass ensemble, string ensemble and bell ensemble. For more information, please contact Jiae Ahn: spcmahn@gmail.com

Pool Party on 5th 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!