

Give While You Live

"As long as it is day, we must do the works of him who sent me." John 9:4

A successful businessman spent the last few decades of his life doing all he could to give away his fortune. A multibillionaire, he donated cash to a variety of causes such as bringing peace to Northern Ireland and modernizing Vietnam's health care system; and not long before he died, he spent \$350 million to turn New York City's Roosevelt Island into a technology hub. The man said, "I believe strongly in giving while living. I see little reason to delay giving. . . . Besides, it's a lot more fun to give while you live than to give while you're dead." Give while you live—what an amazing attitude to have.

In John's account of the man born blind, Jesus' disciples were trying to determine "who sinned" (9:2). Jesus briefly addressed their question by saying, "Neither this man nor his parents sinned . . . but this happened so that the works of God might be displayed in him. As long as it is day, we must do the works of him who sent me" (vv. 3–4). Though our work is very different from Jesus' miracles, no matter how we give of ourselves, we're to do so with a ready and loving spirit. Whether through our time, resources, or actions, our goal is that the works of God might be displayed.

For God so loved the world that He gave. In turn, let's give while we live.

By: John Blase - Taken from odb.org



Watch the Family Service online with Pastor Clifford Herman & Pathfinders



Watch the Parallel Service online with Pastor Terry Messenger

Announcements / News	
	Adventurer and Pathfinder Clubs investiture on Saturday 22nd morning. All the Adventurers and Pathfinders are taking part in the worship service this morning.
	Enrollment now open for 2022 - If your child would like to join Adventurer club (4 to 9 yrs old) or Pathfinders (10- 15 yrs old) please email pathfinders@stanboroughchurch.org
	CSMC Notices: Thank you to those who no longer hold an office at Stanborough and have returned your keys, much appreciated. May we request those still needing to hand back keys give them to Rob Page, Centre Manager or to Bernell Bussue so key holders can be properly recorded and keys redistributed to those who need them. It would be appreciated if this could be done as quickly as possible. Thanks for you help in this.
	A mobile smartphone was left in the Maple Room during week commencing 9.1.22. If you have lost a phone, please contact Bernell Bussue: 0797 970 8086.
	It is with pleasure we announce that Alison Kinman (formerly Essery) and Roger Bailey were joined in marriage by a Registrar, at home, on 18th January 2022. Alison has been housebound for many years, but is still part of our church family. Roger has accompanied Alison in the past when she was able to attend. We wish them both God's blessing and happiness in their married lives.
	Adventist Risk Management®, Inc. (ARM) currently have a part-time Customer Service Representative position open on our Client Care team. Click here to see more details.
	Mini Sales on Monday 24 January and Tuesday 25 January from 10-11:30 a.m. Outside the Cedar/Sycamore rooms. Profits from the sales will support the Soup Run and Welfare Departments. PLEASE DO NOT BRING ANY ITEMS FOR SELLING. – COME AND BUY GOOD QUALITY ITEMS such as books, clothes, shoes, china, toys, linens, crafts.

Sabbath School for 16 to 18 yrs old takes place every Saturday in the Cedar room.

Young Adults Sabbath School is meeting every Sabbath in the Pine Room with Jackson and Tiwa leading the lesson. It is also possible to connect via Zoom.

Please join us in person or virtually. Meeting ID: 519 552 6863 - Passcode: Sabbath

Adult Sabbath School

Oak Room class: <u>LINK</u> Meeting ID: 891 2701 9299 || Passcode: jvfg2Z Maple Class: <u>LINK</u> Meeting ID: 757 070 1887 || Passcode: 111000

(Or by phone: +44 203 481 5240)

PLEASE PRAY FOR

- Sister Lola Gordon, who is receiving treatment.
- Terry Menkens, has come through the op. Praise God. Pray for his complete recovery.
- Donna Wray, for complete healing.
- Ruth Read, for complete recovery and help.
- Alain St Germaine for healing.
- All the families who are struggling with the effects of COVID especially Long COVID
- Everyone who is experiencing recent bereavement
- More Leaders and volunteers in the Children's Sabbath School
- The Nominating Committee as they continue to appoint Officers

If you have private Prayer Requests, please place them in the Prayer Box or you can email Florence Allen at lizallf@hotmail.com.

Family Service - 22nd January

Announcements & Prelude
Entrance of Adventurers & Pathfinders
Invocation

Welcome - Pathfinder Director Bukky

Adventurer Pledge, Law and Song - Erin & Zachary, Chaya, Elisha Pathfinder Pledge, Law, TLT pledge and Song - Daniel S, Neriya, Prosper, Meghan

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 6:8 NKJV - Merlyn

Hymn 'Seeking the Lost'

Tithes and Offerings - Sofia

Meditation in music - Adventurer Club - 'Be a missionary'

Children's Story - Mary and Kimberly

The year in a glance - Sara

Family Prayer - Cudjoe Family

Meditation in music: Pathfinder Male voice Group - 'Here I am Lord'

(Congregation please join in the last refrain)

Sermon: Pastor Clifford Herman – SEC Pathfinder Director

Closing Hymn: 'Give of your best to the Master'
Benediction - Pastor Herman

Postlude & Silent Meditation

Sabbath School from 9:45am

Welcome & Opening Prayer - Erna Herteliu Opening Hymn: NAH 60 - This is My Father's World

Facilitator: Erna Herteliu

Panel: Brian Davison, Yetunde Bright, Felipe Fuste, Ioan Herteliu

Parallel Service 11am - Cedar Sycamore

Co-ordinator – Tunde Adebayo Speaker: Pastor Terry Messenger

Sermon Title: "Luck, Coincidence or Providence?"

Partial Nominating Committee report (First reading)

Elder: Yetunde Bright

Outreach - Pastors; Team: Felipe Fusste

Prayer Ministry Leaders: Uche Ademuyiwa & Bella Rajesekaren

Women's Ministry: Wumi Idowu

Area 7 reps: Arto Keshishian & Brian Davison

Health Ministry Leader: Adewale Ademuyiwa; Assistant Leader: Caroline Perry

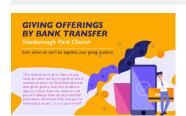
Mental Health First Aid: Elizabeth Burns

AV: Team - Carlton Plaadjes

Kitchen Manager - Davide Labalaestra

Communication Team – Judy Plaadjes; Arto Keshishian (photographer)

If there are any concerns about a name or you would like to meet with the Nominating Committee please contact a member of the Pastoral Team.











A Plea for Justice - Family Service

Cradle Roll Sabbath School -**January**



Parallel Service

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