



He Knows

"You have searched me, Lord, and you know me." Psalm 139:1

Lea was about to start a job as a nurse in Taiwan. She'd be able to better provide for her family, more than she could in Manila, where job opportunities were limited. On the night before her departure, she gave instructions to her sister, who'd be taking care of her five-year-old daughter. "She'll take her vitamins if you also give her a spoonful of peanut butter," Lea explained, "And, remember, she's shy. She'll play with her cousins eventually. And she's afraid of the dark . . ."

While looking out the plane window the next day, Lea prayed: Lord, no one knows my daughter like I do. I can't be with her, but You can.

We know the people we love, and we notice all the details about them because they're precious to us. When we can't be with them due to various circumstances, we're often anxious that since no one knows them as well as we do they'll be more vulnerable to harm.

In Psalm 139, David reminds us that God knows us more than anyone does. In the same way, He knows our loved ones intimately (vv. 1–4). He's their Creator (vv. 13–15), so He understands their needs. He knows what will happen each day of their lives (v. 16), and He's with them and will never leave them (vv. 5, 7–10). When you're anxious for others, entrust them to God for He knows them best and loves them the most.

By: Karen Huang - Taken from odb.org



Pastor Dejan Stojkavic - Saturday 7th May 2022

Watch the [Family Service](#) online with Pastor Dejan Stojkavic

Announcements / News

- **Fellowship lunch 'Souper Sabbath' on 7th May.** Come and join us at 1pm for soup and fellowship in the Cedar/Sycamore room. Everyone is welcome. Please email fellowshiplunch7@gmail.com to book places to help with catering quantities. Thank you.
- **Parallel in the Park** - starts the month of May through to September (weather permitting). If it's dry then it's in the park. All are welcome to stay on for a picnic where we can enjoy each other's company. In the event of wet weather, we will meet in the Cedar Sycamore room. Service continues to start at 11am.
- **Jubilee Celebrations - May 29 and June 4.** We are inviting all members and friends from the community to join us for a Picnic in the Park on May 29th to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. We hope everyone will join together again the following Sabbath for a

special Jubilee service in the church on June 4. Details of both days will be available shortly, but in the meantime please put the dates in your diary and plan to celebrate this wonderful occasion together.

- **Wednesday Night Meetings** will be held in the Armstrong Hall and also on Zoom at 7pm. [Meeting ID](#): 519 552 6863 & Passcode: Pray3r
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- **Recent Church Board Action:** From the 9th of July onwards, future Communion services will be celebrated jointly by Parallel and Family Worship services in the main sanctuary
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The flowers at church are a thanksgiving for Grace Leah Swain and to celebrate her first birthday, from Joanna, Carl, Hana, her grandparents, and the wider family.

Evangelistic Bible Study Training: The training will commence on Tuesday 17th May at 7:30pm in the Maple Room. If you have not yet registered, please see Pastor Terry.

Kateřina Miklicov. I am 19 years old and I am currently studying Social work at the University of Ostrava in the Czech Republic. I have been chosen for studying at Hertfordshire University via Erasmus + programme. The problem is that the grant I will receive from this programme (600 per month) is not enough to cover the prize of accommodation in Hatfield. If there is anybody willing to help me with finding affordable accommodation or even offer accommodation itself, I would be very grateful. My studies in Hatfield start in September 2022 and ends in January 2023. See Pastor Terry for more details.

The funeral of Nan Tucker will now take place on Thursday 26 May at the SPC at 2pm. Let us continue to keep the family in prayer.

- **Memorial Service** for those of our members who have died over the past two years at SPC May 14th 3pm.

The Prayer Ministry Team has started a WhatsApp Group for everyone. On this Forum you can make your public Prayer Request and you will be reminded of all the Prayer Activities. If you would like your details to be added please contact [Bella](#) or [Uche](#).

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- **The teatime concert is back!** Tea Time concert in aid of Ukrainian Refugees by Alexander Aardakov. 22nd May 2022 Sunday 3pm.

- **Adult Sabbath School**

Pine Room class: (meets in Pastor Terry's office) [LINK](#)

Meeting ID: 844 6123 4211 & Passcode: 222000

Maple Class: [LINK](#) Meeting ID: 757 070 1887 - Passcode: 111000

PLEASE PRAY FOR

- Terry Menkens who is out of hospital but need continuous prayers.
- Individuals who are suffering from cancer, COVID and other health issues.
- Families who are experiencing recent bereavement.
- Families who are struggling financially and otherwise due to recent economic and social crises.
- A resolution to the conflict between Russia and Ukraine.

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

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- **40 days of Praying** and Fasting begin on 10th June 2022. The programme will be held from 6-6:30am and will be on Zoom. More information will be given later.

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- **South England Conference** is having a Prayer Retreat from the 15-17th July. If you are interested in attending please contact Uche Ademuyiwa or Bella Rajasekaran.

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- **ADRA UK** Please support the Annual Appeal by placing a donation in one of the special 'DO GOOD' ADRA envelopes, asking for an ADRA Home Can, writing a cheque to ADRA UK or donating online. If you donate online or send a donation directly to ADRA, please let me know so that we can keep a total of the contributions from Stanborough Park Church. The funds collected this year will go to assist projects in Myanmar, Ghana, South Sudan, Thailand, Nepal and Sri Lanka.

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- **World Adventurer Day** is coming up, and we are planning an Exciting Day for Adventurers. On 21 May 2022, all Adventurers are invited to join a magnificent day at Newbold College Sports Hall. The service will start at 11:00 am with praise and worship, music items and a word from Vanesa Pizzuto. After bringing your picnic and stretching out on the lawns of the college for lunch, we will commence 'THE BIG ADVENTURERS COMMUNITY IMPACT PAINT-A-THON'. 'Adventure Sabbath Treasure Hunt' as well as a 'Little Lights Adventure Craft'. The program aims to finish at 4pm.

- **Upcoming dates:**

May 7 – Pastor D Stojkovic

May 14 – Pastor Terry

May 21 – Pastor J Surridge

Family Service - 7th May

Announcements - David Burgess

Prelude

Call to Worship: NAH 6 - Praise To The Lord

Invocation - David Burgess

Hymn NAH 12 - Praise Ye The Father

Tithes and Offerings - David Burgess

Children's story - Caroline Swain

Dedication of Grace Leah Swain - Pastor Dejan Stojkovic

'For This Child' - Charlotte Marshall

Scripture Reading - Hana Swain

Church Family Prayer - David Burgess

Sermon Pastor - Dejan Stojkovic

NAH 637 - All The Way My Saviour Leads Me

The Blessing - Pastor Dejan Stojkovic

Parallel Service 11am

Parallel in the park weather permitting. Otherwise, meet in the Cedar Sycamore room.

Sabbath School from 9:45am

Welcome - & Opening Prayer - Massimo Molteni

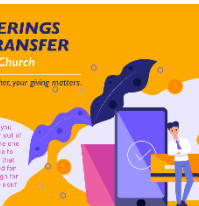
Opening Hymn - NAH 637 - All the way

Facilitator: Chris Levy

Panel: Erna Herteliu, Behki T. Moyo, Wallacia Scott, TBC

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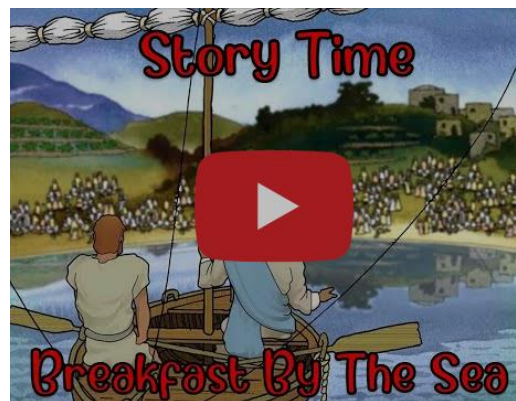
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THE OLDER BROTHER IN EACH ONE OF US
Daniel Duda - Saturday 30th April 2022

Family Service



Story Time
Breakfast By The Sea

Cradle Roll Sabbath School



THE GENTLE WHISPER
Pastor Terry Messenger - Saturday 30th April 2022

Parallel Service



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I WILL ALWAYS DO MY BEST.

Little Lights
World Adventurer Day
May 21, 2022

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CELEBRATE THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE

Bring your own picnic

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