## SABBATH SCHOOL

Welcome - Emerson Ferraz Opening Hymn - SDHA 499 "What a friend in Jesus" Prayer - Emerson Ferraz Mission Spotlight - "Does God answer prayer?" Sabbath School Lesson Intro - Emerson Ferraz Sabbath School Offering - Marcia Zottel Closing Song - Isaac Costa "Oh! Que amigo em Cristo" Closing Prayer - Issac Costa



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## SERVICES

### **FAMILY SERVICE**

Welcome & Announcements - Audrey Huzzey Call to Worship Hymn - 592 NAH "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee" (2 Verse) Invocation - Audrey Huzzey Hvmn - 573 SDAH "I'll Go Where You Want Me To Go" Welcome to Pastor Lorance Johnson Tithes & Offering - Audrey Huzzey Hymn 467 NAH "Take My Life and Let It Be" Children's Story - Pastor Alex Mareniuc Hymn 475 NAH "Have Thine Own Way Lord" Family Prayer - Audrey Huzzey Special Item - "It Is Well With My Soul" - The Cello Ensemble Scripture Reading: Romans 12: 3-13 - Matthew Stanciu Sermon - "Living Cacrifices, Loving **Community**" - Pastor Alex Mareniuc Closing Hymn 348 SDAH -"The Church Has One Foundation" Benediction - Pastor Alex Mareniuc

#### **PARALLEL SERVICE - 11AM**

Announcements, Welcome & Opening Prayer - Manuela Mai Worship - Gabriel & band Offering - James Special Item - Keila Special Feature - Pastor James & Dunstable Church Family Prayer - Douglas Children's Story - Thespina, Merlyn, & Ruby Scripture Reading - Madalayne - Luke 10:25-37 (NIV) Sermon - "Compassion isn't cheap" - Jackson Bright Closing Song - Gabriel Benediction - Jackson Bright

### WELCOME TO STANBOROUGH PARK CHURCH



Love must be sincere. Hate what is evil; cling to what is good. Be devoted to one another in love. Honor one another above yourselves. Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord. Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer.

Romans 12:9-12



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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE SAFEGUARDING TRAINING is open to all church members. All church officers are expected to attend. There will be no child care provision in the afternoon. Saturday, 17 May 2025, 2:30pm - 5:30pm at Stanborough Park Church - SPC Hall.

THE FLOWERS this week are given in gratitude to the Stanborough Park Church family for your love and friendship to Rosemary Boyle, who loved this church.

MEN'S GROUPS: inviting all men to join us for our next cycle ride of 2025. Meet at the back of the church on Sunday 8th June at 9:45am for a prompt start at 10am. All abilities accommodated. Any questions, please see Arto Keshishian.

FLOWER ARRANGING CLASSES: A series of five flower arranging classes will commence on July 1 at 7.30pm in the Cedar Sycamore Room. These are aimed primarily at those who would like to learn how to arrange pedestals and church flowers to enhance the worship services in Stanborough Park church. There will be a charge to raise funds for ADRA. If you are interested, please email Audrey: abalderstone@btconnect.com.

MAY TEATIME CONCERT: Stanborough Park College of Music Since its founding in 2011, Stanborough Park College of Music (SPCM) has been a place where people of all ages and backgrounds come together to grow, learn, and share their passion for music. Over the years, countless students have taken their knowledge beyond the classroom, enriching both their communities and their own lives through music. This month, we are delighted to invite you to a special Teatime Concert on Sunday, 25 May at 3:00 PM, featuring some of our talented students. As they take the next steps in their musical journey, we warmly welcome you to join us, enjoy their performances, and show your support for these young musicians. Admission is free, with a retiring collection to support young musicians.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT PRAYER MEETING in the Sanctuary. Zoom is also available. Meeting ID: 721 857 1482; Passcode: pray3r CALLING ALL CHOIR MEMBERS Join us in preparation for My Favourite Hymn 2025, taking place on Saturday, 12th July 2025, singing a number of beautiful modern choral music. Rehearsals begin on Friday, 6th June at 7:00 PM for 5 weeks. For more details, please contact: spcmahn@gmail.com Let's make music together in praise!

THE YOUTH CHOIR will resume rehearsals in preparation for My Favourite Hymn 2025, starting on Saturday, 7th June, immediately after the worship service. All individuals aged 15 to 25 are warmly invited to join. For more information, please email spcmahn@gmail.com or contact 07837 404 261.

#### 15TH CHILDREN'S CONCERT IN AID OF ADRA:

Thank you so much to everyone who supported the 15th Children's Concert last Saturday evening, held in aid of ADRA's Education Project. If you missed the concert or would like to watch it again, it is available on the church website or directly via this link: vimeo. com/1083119674.

We are delighted to share that the concert raised approximately £1,000. These funds will support music education in Lebanon through ADRA's ongoing educational initiatives. If you didn't get a chance to donate and would still like to support the cause, there's still time. Some of the children who participated in the concert will be collecting donations using tins, or you can contact Audrey Huzzey for more information on how to contribute. Thank you once again for your generosity and support!

WHIPPENDELL WOOD WALK: On Sabbath afternoon, 10th May, a number of us gathered at Whippendell Wood to enjoy a gentle walk among the bluebells. We had a lovely mix of ages and thoroughly appreciated the beauty and peace of the surroundings. It was a refreshing 'exhale' event, made all the more special by the warmth of good company and guided by our unknowingly nominated leader, Alison Burgess.

TEENS - Keep the Dates: Next Teen Meetings - 24th May & 7th June ADRA ANNUAL APPEAL: Please continue to support the ADRA Annual Appeal. Coin cards, home boxes and donation envelopes will be available after the service on Sabbath. You can also donate through Audrey's JustGiving Page justgiving.com/page/ audrey-balderstone-1735599011839

We have been getting a number of requests for our BOARDING SCHOOL which we hope to open in 2026. In the interim, we are searching for Host Families, who might be able to accommodate a child while they attend Stanborough Secondary School, from September 2025. If you are interested, then take a look at Host International's website, We hope to recruit our Host Families from this organisation. www.hosts-international.com/become-a-host/ Do let us know, if you apply to be a Host Family as we would like to recruit if possible from our own community. Please let others know about this unique and rewarding opportunity.

#### STRUGGLING WITH MENOPAUSE SYMPTOMS?

Join us for an inspiring afternoon of support, advice, and community. Sabbath, 7th June | 4–6 PM at Stanborough Park Church. With Dr. Gloria Mosha-Onchiri, GP specialising in Women's Health. Navigate the Change with Confidence - Join Our Menopause Workshop!

To receive the full announcement details, sign up for the church eBulletin in our website.

