

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

WEEKLY SERVICE TIMES

Programme	Day	Time
Friendship Club	Wednesday	1:00 - 3:00 pm
Prayer Meeting	Wednesday	7:30 - 8:30 pm
Prayer Meeting	Sunday	9:00 - 10:00 am
Sabbath School	Saturday	9:45 - 10:55 am
Family Worship	Saturday	11:15 am
Pathfinders	Saturday	5:00 pm
Adventurers	Saturday	5:00 pm
Joint Pathfinder & Adventurers	Every 3 rd Sunday	10:30 - 12:30 pm
Bible Study Class	Saturday	5:00 pm
Youth Service (AYS)	Saturday	5:00 pm

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

FIRE SAFETY

Fire exits are clearly signposted at the front, side and rear of the church building. The deacons will direct you to the nearest exit.

PARKING

Please be considerate of other drivers when you double park in the car parks. Please be kind enough to move your car immediately after the services. Additional car parking is available at the Holiday Inn Hotel, please ask the deacons for directions.

ACCESS TO THE CHURCH BUILDING

To gain access to the church building for meetings, please contact Phillip Buckley on 01923 467316.

COMMUNICATION REQUESTS

Bulletin announcements must be submitted to the Communications Team at watfordtownbulletin@gmail.com by **6:00 pm on Wednesday, the latest**. Please note, if this deadline is missed, items will not appear in the bulletin.

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SOCIAL MEDIA



<https://www.facebook.com/WatfordTownSDAChurch/>



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WHAT WE BELIEVE

God our Creator	Genesis 1:1-2
Jesus Christ, our Saviour	John 1:1-3, 14
The Bible, our Guide	2 Timothy 3:16-17
The imminent return of our God	John 14:1-3
The Ten Commandments	John 15:7-10
The seventh day as God's Sabbath	Luke 23:54-55
Healthful living	1 Corinthians 3:16-17
Baptism by Immersion	Mark 1:9-10
The return of one-tenth of our income	Leviticus 27:30-32

A full list of our 28 fundamental beliefs can be found here

<https://www.adventist.org/en/beliefs>

CHURCH OFFICERS

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Russell Jacob

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TBC

Children's Sabbath School Leader

Deborah Sterling

Adult Sabbath School Leader

Cynthia Goodman

Health Ministries

Ruth Perry

Pathfinders

Caroline Kamara

Prayer Ministries

Geraldine Thompson

Personal Ministries

Kevin Sterling

Youth Leaders

Ambé Cudjoe
Christine Kamara

WATFORD TOWN



Seventh-day Adventist Church

...a place to belong, believe, become

Sabbath 14th December 2019

*This is the day
the Lord has made:
Let us rejoice
and be glad in it.*
Psalm 118:24.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

BULLETIN VIA EMAIL

Want to receive the bulletin via email? Send an email to watfordtownbulletin@gmail.com with your name and email address and we will add you to the weekly distribution list.

MOBILE PHONES

With respect to our speaker and other worshippers, please switch mobile devices to silent or vibrate. Thank you.

CHILD PROTECTION AND SAFETY AWARENESS

Parents/guardians, please ensure that you know where your children are at all times. *Be vigilant, mindful and accompany your little ones to the toilets.*

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

The ministerial team and members, of Watford Town church, welcome you to our worship services. We hope you will enjoy the day with us. A light lunch is provided for our visitors after the service today, so you can relax knowing that you will be fed, emotionally, spiritually, socially and physically.

SABBATH SCHOOL 9:45 am - 10:55 am

Lesson 11 - Backslidden People

Scripture reading: Nehemiah 13:22, NKJV

Song Service	Richard Henry/Allan Mwase
Opening Hymn	590, "Trust and Obey"
Opening Prayer	
Welcome	Marlon Jones
Lesson Discussion	Classes
Closing Remarks	Marlon Jones
Closing Song	330, "Take My Life and Let It Be"
Closing Prayer	

FAMILY WORSHIP SERVICE 11:15 am

Praise and Worship	Praise Team
Announcements	Pastor Valentine Roach
Call to Worship	Ralford McLeary
Prayer	Elder Dean Campbell
Welcome	Ralford McLeary
Opening Hymn	27, "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart"
Children's Story	Debi Sterling
Tithes and Offerings	Ralford McLeary
Scripture Reading	Genesis 4:33 - 35
Pastoral Prayer	Kieran Sterling
Introduction	Dominic Buckmire
Sermon	Ralford McLeary
Closing Hymn	Elder Dean Campbell
Closing Prayer	34, "Wake the Song"
Recessional	Elder Dean Campbell

BIBLE CLASS Today: 4:30pm

ELDER ON DUTY Ralford McLeary

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY We welcome Elder Dean Campbell as he presents the word of God, we pray that everyone receives a blessing.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

We should go to God with our perplexities. He is the great, unerring Counselor.

Review & Herald April 16, 1899

PRAYER MEETING

We invite you to join us on Sunday mornings from 9:00 am to 10:00 am and Wednesdays from 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm.

BIBLE STUDIES

If you would like to receive Bible studies or are preparing for baptism, please contact a member of the ministerial team (Elders or Pastor) for details.

PASTOR'S SURGERY

Pastor Roach is available to talk with members confidentially on Wednesdays between 11:00 am to 5:00 pm.

PASTORAL VISITS

Please inform the ministerial team (Elders or Pastor) immediately if you know of any member that is unwell or requires a pastoral visit.

PRAYER REQUESTS Please remember our housebound, sick members, the bereaved, our youth, our community, our visitors and our local church family. If you have a prayer request, please contact Ralford McLeary, Geraldine Thompson or any member of the local ministerial team.

COMMUNITY SERVICES

Require non-perishable items and toiletries to help us to offer support to those in need.

Please contact Gwen Andrew for information on how you can volunteer your time.

FRIENDSHIP GROUP

Come and join us upstairs in the Charlotte Evett Hall on Wednesdays from 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm.

FACILITIES NOTICE

The downstairs toilets are provided for our visitors, the elderly and the disabled. If you notice anything broken, or any supplies missing, please notify the deacons immediately.

DBS CHECKS

All Church officers are reminded that they must have a current Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) certificate, if you do not currently hold a valid certificate, please see Deborah St Cyr or Ruth Perry for further information about how you can obtain one.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

SUNSET TIMES

Friday 13 th Dec	15:51
Friday 20 th Dec	15:53
Friday 27 th Dec	15:57
Friday 3 rd Jan	16:04
Friday 10 th Jan	16:12

HOMELESS SHELTER

A day/night shelter for the homeless will run from 24th to 27th December here at church. Volunteers and donations are welcome. If you would like to volunteer or donate, please contact Alma Parkes on 07947 365386 or email info@seedsoflove.uk

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Riva Ramberam
Mary Kamau

ADRA-UK CHRISTMAS APPEAL

From 1st December 2019 to 31st January 2020. ADRA-UK invites you to give *The Gift of Water* to the 345 families in Kabanana village in the dry Gwenibe Valley region of southern Zambia; by raising £10,000 to build a well to help the 2,100 people living in the village. The simplest way to support the appeal is by donating funds through our special Just Giving Page at <https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/Kabanana>

PATHFINDERS & ADVENTURERS

End of year party Sunday 15th December at 12:00 pm

WATFORD TOWN PATHFINDER DAY

Sabbath 25th January 2020.

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SABBATH CELEBRATION

21st December, please come along and invite a friend for a very special Sabbath. Invitations available from Cynthia Goodman

SENIOR MEMBERS DINNER

Sunday 29th December 2019. Anyone over 60 years old who has not yet received an invitation, please see Cynthia Goodman.

ABC SHOP WATFORD Christmas Opening Times

The ABC Shop will be open on the following Sundays. 15th & 22nd December from 11:00 am to 4:00 pm. Please visit to get your 2020 calendars, Christian books and materials.

SEC EVANGELISM EXPO

Sunday 5th January 2020
From 10:00 am – 4:00 pm at Newbold College. All departmental leaders are encouraged to attend.