## **TODAY SUNDAY 5th June**

9.45am Meetings for toddlers, children & teenagers 11.00am *All-age Worship* with Lt Col Ray Kirby

5.00pm **Sunday Supper** – "Wedding Memories" A sociable

time of worship & fellowship with your wedding photos

Monday 6th June

6.00pm Rainbows 6.30pm Brownies

7.45pm Cell Group with Peter Belcher

Tuesday 7th June

9.30am Parent & Toddlers

10.00am Cell Group with Pat & Arnold Tilling (1st & 3rd Tuesday)

6.45pm YP Band Practice (Junior Band) 7.45-9.00pm Revision Space (with Tash)

8.00pm Senior Band Practice with Bandmaster Jonathan Corry

Wednesday 8th June

9.30am Baby Song

3.30, 5.30 & 7.30pm Slimming World

8.00pm Cell Group with Linda & Kelvin

Thursday 9th June

10.30am "Meet & Greet" 12.30pm Lunch Club 2.00pm Friendship Club

6.45pm Singing Company Practice (Junior Choir)

8.00pm Songster Practice

Friday 10th June

9.30 & 11.30am Slimming World

6.00pm No Friday Club until September

Saturday 11th June

10am-12pm Coffee Morning including "Sitting Day" – see inside

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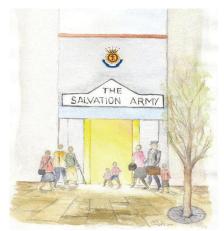
9.45am Meetings for toddlers, children & teenagers

11.00am *All-age Worship* with Colin & Nicola Hylton-Jones

11.00am-5.00pm The Big Lunch at Page Park

5.00pm **Sunday Worship** led by Colin & Nicola supported by

the Songsters, Senior & Young People's Bands



# The Weekly Bulletin of the Staple Hill Salvation Army

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# Sunday 5th June 2016

When you are the neediest, He is the most sufficient.

When you are completely helpless, He is the most helpful.

When you feel totally dependent, He is absolutely dependable.

When you are the weakest, He is the most able.

When you are the most alone, He is intimately present.

When you feel the least, He is the greatest!

When you feel the most useless, He is preparing you.
When it is darkest, He is the only light you need.

When you feel the least secure, He is your rock and fortress. When you are the most humble, He is the most gracious. When you say that you cannot, remember that He can!



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We welcome Ray & Joan Kirby back to Staple Hill today and particularly thank Ray for preparing & leading worship this morning.

#### **EVENTS BULLETIN:**

#### Sunday Supper 5th June at 5pm "Wedding Memories"

Andy & Hilary are celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary. So we thought we'd enjoy a sociable time of worship & fellowship together. Bring along wedding photos or DVD's – your wedding, your parents, your friends. E mail them to Mark Dickens and we can all see them on the big screen! The food? Afternoon English Tea – sandwiches (no crusts!) and cakes.

We've invited you to take part in Standing Days, well now we'd like to invite you to a **Sitting Day!** We are purchasing new chairs for the Bradbury Hall. We have a number of chairs for you to trial and let us know your thoughts. So please come along next Saturday morning 11<sup>th</sup> June between 10am-12pm (Coffee Morning), rest your weary limbs & have your say!

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June at 8pm.** Senior Band Practice will be led by Jonathan Corry, who is the Bandmaster of the Enfield Salvation Army Band. Why not come along - all are welcome to come & listen.

### The Big Lunch at Page Park. Sunday 12th June 11am-5pm.

This is a community event which is an excellent opportunity for us to 'Reach Out' to our community. Laura Baker is co-ordinating our presence aiming at

children & families. We will have the branded gazebo with activities happening inside. Ideas so far are to hand out 'Goody Bags' out the front of the gazebo and have a 'crowd pleaser' activity - possibly balloon modelling or handing out SA branded balloons. Inside the gazebo will be two tables set up with a different activity happening on each. If you can help or support, please see Laura.



A date for your diary:  $Sunday 26^{th}$  June:

**Mission Sunday**. Morning Worship at 11am, stay for lunch & then hear what all the various aspects of the Mission Council are planning & how you can be involved. Then we'll finish with a short time of Worship & Commitment. **Exciting times!** 

Also keep Tuesday (28th), Wednesday (29th) & Thursday (30th) June free. Those will be the inaugural meetings of the groups which you can attend.

#### The Big Collection.

Friday 5th August. Standing Day at Tesco's, Bradley Stoke Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> July at 7pm. The Big Collection Concert. Tickets £5

#### **GENERAL BULLETIN:**

**Lunch Club on Thursdays.** Would you like to play an active role in support this growing out reach activity? We are looking for 1 or 2 volunteers to help on a Thursday on a regular basis maybe weekly or every other week.



You'd be helping with general kitchen jobs, nothing too strenuous, laying tables, prepare vegetables, washing and wiping up. It could be for a couple of hours, first thing to prepare veg or later to help with washing up when the meal has been eaten, make tea and coffee after the meal. If you think you could help in any way, please speak to Nicola or Mary.

**The Big Collection.** Don't forget, we're still looking for someone to coordinate the Big Collection. It could be you!

Please note, there will not be a June Edition of the Staple Diet. But we hope there will be bumper Summer Edition for the end of July

#### **FELLOWSHIP BULLETIN:**

Catherine Read is still in Hospital and in our prayers.

### Congratulations to Gwen Lear who is 60 on the 8th June.

Whilst we may not see Gwen each week, do remember her in your prayers. In fact, why not ring her on Wednesday to wish her a "Happy Birthday!"

**The Flowers** today are for Andy & Hilary in celebration of their Golden Wedding Anniversary – congratulations to them both!

Continue to pray for our fellowship especially those who you know need your prayers and support this week



Fail to prepare, then prepare to fail!

