

TODAY SUNDAY 28th August

10.30am Coffee & Cake Fellowship
Thank You to Beryl and Becky Gardner
11.00am **All-age Worship** with Colin & Nicola Hylton-Jones
5.00pm **No Worship**



Bank Holiday Monday 29th August

12.00pm **The Wedding of Hannah Louise Brewer & Nicholas John Fortt at the Staple Hill Salvation Army**

Tuesday 30th August

Wednesday 31st August

3.30, 5.30 & 7.30pm Slimming World

Thursday 1st September

10.30am "Meet & Greet"
12.30pm Lunch Club

Friday 2nd September

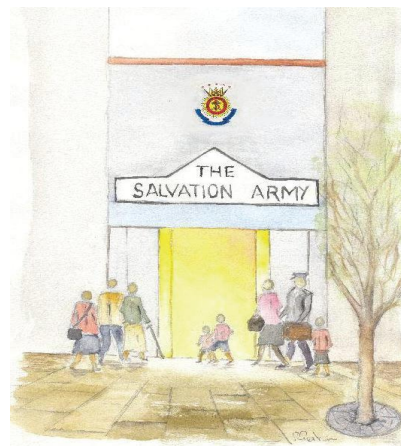
9.30 & 11.30am Slimming World

Saturday 3rd September

10am-12pm Coffee Morning

Sunday 4th September

9.45am Primary, Lighthouse Club & Youth
11.00am **All-age Worship** with Colin & Nicola Hylton-Jones
5.00pm **Sunday Supper: Summer School Memories**
An evening sharing the summer experiences of our young people – see inside for more information.



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Sunday 28th August 2016

Congratulations to Hannah Louise Brewer and Nicholas John Fortt who will be married tomorrow afternoon in this building. Our prayers and best wishes are with them both as they embark on God's plan for them in a life together. Their theme is *"Let love be your anchor and hope be your sail"* We have hope as an anchor for our soul, firm and secure (Hebrews 6:19)

love is...



The Love Chapter in 1 Corinthians chapter 13 was the bible reading for our wedding over 33 years ago. We spent last weekend with Barry & Brenda. On Sunday morning we went with them to worship at Plymouth Whitleigh Corps. The visiting officer spoke about striving to be Christ-like in our lives. She suggested that you read the Love Chapter and substitute your name wherever it says love and see if it stands the test. So here it is, I've taken out the word LOVE and you add your name where it says

..... is patient, is kind. does not envy, does not boast, is not proud. does not dishonor others, is not self-seeking, is not easily angered, keeps no record of wrongs. does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. never fails.

So how did you get on? Did you stand the test? How Christ-like are you?

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EVENTS BULLETIN:

Sunday Supper 4th September at 5pm:

“Summer School Memories”

Did you know that 3 of our children went to Summer Camp & 14 young people went to SWSCA? Come along to Sunday Supper & you will hear all about what they got up to & the impact it has had on their lives. Some of you will have been to Salvation Army Summer Camps yourselves, perhaps many years ago! Why not come prepared to share your special memories. Bring a small amount of food & I'm sure God will bless it into enough to share.

Sunday 11th September: Young People's Weekend. 11am Prize Giving and 5pm Young People's Showcase.

Sunday 18th September: Page Park Praise at 3.30pm

Saturday 24th September. At Coffee Morning, Mark Hatcliffe will be hosting a second-hand book sale in aid of a charity he supports (the Jubilee Sailing Trust - supporting disabled/disadvantage people) and would like any books you can donate. Please bring them to the Hall for Mark anytime.

Sunday 25th September. Back to Church Sunday at 11am & 5pm

Sunday Supper 2nd October at 5pm. We will have as our special guest Olympian Vernon Samuels – his wife Kim is the leader of the Renewal Gospel Choir. *“Vernon's greatest career achievement was finishing 13th at the 1988 Olympics as the top of three British competitors representing GB. He finished his international career in 1992 as top ranked GB indoor Triple Jumper. Vernon remains committed to sport in retirement and among a variety of roles he sits on his local ‘Sport Relief’ grant panel awarding funds to sports-based voluntary and community groups”.* **It will be a great evening and the perfect opportunity to Reach Out and bring someone to Church.**



Harvest Weekend: Saturday 15th October.

“An Aussie Themed Quiz & Social Evening”

Just to whet your appetite for the evening, each week I will be publishing a question for you to expand your Aussie knowledge. So here's this week's question:



What is a billabong? What is a jumbuck? What is their connection?

“Want to know the answer? Then come to the Quiz and Social Evening. Tickets available (soon) from Valerie Baker, Beryl Gardner and Viv Wallington”.

GENERAL BULLETIN:

Worship Questionnaire. Last chance to return yours

Crumbles for the Big Collection. Margaret & Derek Boxell are making the crumbles but need some fruit. Any donations would be appreciated – they'll even come & pick the fruit but no scrumping!!

FELLOWSHIP BULLETIN:

Members of our fellowship who I know need your prayers and contact: Madge Rickards, Catherine Read, Pat Tilling, Ruth Cable, Sue Mason & her mum, Jenny Palfreman. Les & Peggy Pearce, David Nee, David James & his sister and Morag Fletcher who will be attending her cousins funeral in Norwich on Monday 5th September. And there will be others you know.....

A former Hospice nurse, Wild Goose Volunteer colleague of mine & lovely Christian Hilary Jennings, sadly died in Majorca whilst on holiday this week. She was out running with a friend when she was hit by a van & died instantly. Please remember her family & friends as they mourn her sudden loss.

The “Wish you were here” List

Irene Ackerman, Molly Angle, Major Doreen Butland, Tom and Ruth Cable, Nancy Cryer, Geoffrey Driscoll, Joan & David Jones, Joyce Lear, Gwen Lear, David & Shirley Nokes, Madge Rickards, Valerie Scott, Francis & Ruth Shepherd, Tim Scott and others

The “Glad you're here” List

At the recent Pastoral Care Council (PCC) Meeting, we spent much time considering and praying for our children and young people. We are privileged & blessed that God gives us so many children & young people as part of our fellowship & we want them to enjoy being at the Army, their Church, as much as we do. Please continue to encourage them, help them find their way & consider the part you play in their journey with God.

Aimee, Bethany, William, Ellen, Orla, Katie, Hannah, Josh, Harry, Jessica, Emily, Adam, Oliver, Freya, Mia, Ellie, Victoria, Olivia, Nneka, Dennis, Victoria, Sophia, Carys, Senan, Charlie, Harry, Poppy, Alice, Jeovany, Mari, Thomas, Joseph, Isabella, Gracey, Jospeh, Megan, Jakub, Noah, Noah, Dillon.

Please pray for Friday 2nd, Saturday 3rd & Sunday 4th September as a new programme for Youth Discipleship starts at the Hall and various locations as our young people **Reach Deeper** to consider commitment and membership of our Church, the Staple Hill Salvation Army.