Sunday 9th April Palm Sunday

9.45am Meetings for toddlers, children & teenagers 11.00am *Morning Worship* with Colin & Nicola

5.00pm Second Sunday Special "The Power of the Cross"

An Easter Songs of Praise with all our musicians

Monday 10th April

10.00am Gardening Club (2nd Monday of month)

12.15pm Funeral Service for Madge Rickards Soldier No 1 (1.45pm at Westerleigh Crematorium then refreshments at the Hall)

6-7.30pm **Easter Family Crafts**

Tuesday 11th April

10.30am Exploring Easter Together – Worship & Conversation 8.00pm Exploring Easter Together – Worship & Conversation

Wednesday 12th April

3.30, 5.30 & 7.30pm Slimming World

7.45pm Film Night "Risen" – on the Big Screen

Thursday 13th April

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

8.00pm Last Supper – Thoughts & Food "The week that was"

Friday 14th **April Good Friday** 9.30 & 11.30am Slimming World

10.15am Open Air Witness & distribution of Hot Cross Buns

11.00am Worship with Colin, Nicola, Band & Songsters

Saturday 15thApril at 12.00pm The Wedding of Emily Charlotte Hall & Andrew David Elliott



Sunday 16th April Easter Sunday

9.45am Meetings for toddlers, children & teenagers 11.00am *Easter Morning Worship* with Colin & Nicola

12.30pm Easter Fellowship Lunch

5.00pm **NO Worship**



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STAND ASIDE When the Salvation Army first went to India, the British authorities were concerned about them, and issued an order that no open meetings and no parades were to be held. But Commissioner Tucker of the Salvation Army decided that order must be defied. One day the

Salvation Army came marching down the street. They were met by soldiers. The officer in charge said, "In the name of her majesty, the Queen of England, I order you to disperse." But Tucker replied, "In the name of the King of kings, I order you to stand aside." They stood aside.

One day, one palm-waving day, Jesus marched right into Jerusalem, the Holy City, and said to everything unholy, "Stand aside." He is calling us to join him in the parade, and to say to every form of hatred, bigotry, ignorance and



apathy, "Stand aside," and when we dare to do it those things will stand aside. His kingdom will live in us, and we will help spread His rule in His world.

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Why not celebrate & reflect Holy Week at the Staple Hill Salvation Army? A week packed with different events.

You could start tonight at 5pm at our special Easter Songs of Praise. Music will be provided by our Bands & Choirs, you'll be providing the singing! We'll sing some of your favourite Easter Hymns and Nicola will bring us the word as we start Holy Week.





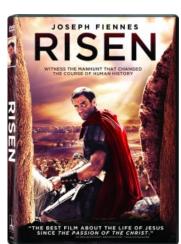
Monday 10th April 6-7.30pm Family Crafts

An evening of Easter craft activities for all ages and for all the family. Come along and make something crafty or just enjoy the fellowship and watch those who enjoy crafts.

Tuesday 11th **April 10.30am or 8.00pm** *Exploring Easter Together* What does that mean? The opportunity to worship together then enjoy conversations in small groups. Giving you the opportunity to discuss & explore Easter with Colin & Nicola and each other.

Wednesday 12th April is Film Night! Starting at 7.45pm, we'll be watching "RISEN" on the Big Screen in the Main Hall.

Risen (Certificate 12) is a 2016 Hollywood Biblical Drama Film directed by Kevin Reynolds. It was conceived from a screenplay written by Reynolds and Paul Aiello. The film stars Joseph Fiennes, Tom Felton, Peter Firth & Cliff Curtis and details a Roman soldier's search for Jesus' body following his Resurrection.





Good Friday 14th April

10.15am: The Band will be playing outside & we'll be distributing Hot Cross Buns to draw people's attention to Easter 11am: Good Friday Meeting featuring the Band & Songsters. A time of praise, worship & reflection with the words & thoughts from Colin & Nicola.



HE IS RISEN CELEBRATE THE SAVIOR

Holy Week culminates with Easter Sunday 16th April:

11am Easter Celebration Worship. A joyful occasion featuring everything that makes the Staple Hill Salvation Army an alive place to worship.

12.30pm: An Easter Sunday Roast Fellowship Meal – what could be better than to share together in food & fellowship.

Hallelujah – He is Risen!

There are 'Sign-Up' Sheets on the noticeboard in the Foyer for Tuesdays 'Exploring Together', Thursdays 'Last Supper' & Sundays 'Easter Roast'. But you are welcome to attend any activity – we'll find you a place & some food!