

## TODAY Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> May Candidates Sunday

9.45am	Meetings for toddlers, children & teenagers
11.00am	<b>Morning Worship</b> with Colin & Nicola
4.00pm	Next Step Group Meeting with the Membership Team
5.00pm	<b>Café One</b> with Colin & Nicola

## THE COMING WEEK IN OUR SUITE OF BUILDINGS

### Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May

10.00am	Gardening Club (2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday of month)
6.00pm	Rainbows
6.30pm	Brownies
7.45pm	Cell Group at the Hall

### Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> May

9.30am	Parent & Toddlers
6.45pm	Young People's Band Practice
8.00pm	Senior Band Practice

### Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May

9.30am	Baby Song
3.30, 5.30 & 7.30pm	Slimming World
8.00pm	Cell Group at the Hall with Linda & Kelvin

### Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May

10.30am	"Meet & Greet"
12.30pm	Lunch Club
2.00pm	Friendship Club
6.45pm	Singing Company Practice (Junior Choir)
8.00pm	Songster Practice (Senior Choir)

### Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May

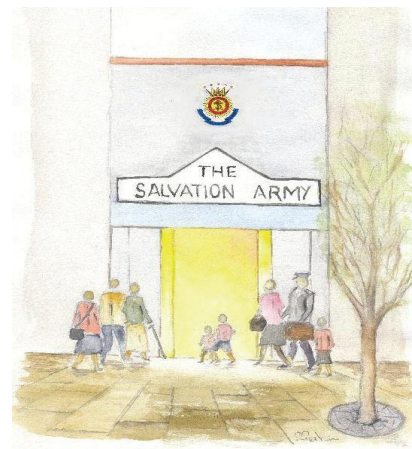
9.30 & 11.30am	Slimming World
6.00pm	Friday Club

### Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May

10am-12pm	Coffee Morning
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### Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May A day of Outreach – Reaching Out to share Jesus

9.45am	Meetings for toddlers, children & teenagers
10.00am	Band Outreach at Beaufort Court
10.30am	Band Outreach at Southmead Hospital
11.00am	<b>Morning Worship</b> with Colin & Nicola
3.00pm	March to Page Park
3.30pm	<b>Page Park Praise</b>
5.00pm	<b>NO</b> Worship at the Hall



# The Weekly Bulletin of the Staple Hill Salvation Army

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### UNIFORM BULLETIN: A message from Colin

Today, for those wearing uniform, is the '**Summer Uniform Day**' (in my head a fanfare is playing!) where we shed our tunics in faith that we will have a warm summer. If only it were as simple as taking off tunics. So to help with the conundrum of what to wear & when, here is the COs guide:

- Within the Hall, we will be in summer uniform;
- Where we have an opportunity for witness through worship i.e Page Park Praise (PPP), again summer uniform (no caps or hats). If the weather is cold, we will wear blue 'zipper' jackets - if you do not have one, please speak to a leader of one of the musical sections;
- Where we have an opportunity to witness through our presence i.e. C in the Park, community events in Page Park, we should aim for a more relaxed uniform of polo shirts, open neck shirts, blouses;
- For the Armed Forces Day Parade, we will be in summer uniform with hats and caps. In the event of cold weather, we will wear tunics.

No doubt, this will raise more questions than it has answered, but any confusion, please speak with Colin.

While writing, can I also advise that in the event of bad weather on a PPP Sunday, we will make the decision whether to cancel after the morning meeting. This decision will be announced and cascaded via the internet. In the event of PPP being cancelled, the rest of the day will be your own. As PPP is a Reach Out event, we would encourage you to engage in all that is happening and take every opportunity to engage with our local community.

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## DISCIPLESHIP BULLETIN:

Last week saw the establishment of a new Membership Team. Today we thank Margaret Boxell for her service as the Recruiting Sergeant. Margaret is taking on a new responsibility within the Discipleship Group establishing a new Cell Group to help us Reach Deeper to follow Jesus. If you'd like to join that group, please see Margaret. Remember **this afternoon at 4.00pm**, the **'Next Step Group'** will be meeting with Kay & the Membership Team to help those of you currently exploring the next step in your membership.

## LEADERSHIP BULLETIN:

The Administration Team has been bolstered by the addition of Debbie Hatcliffe as the Assistant Corps Secretary to Linda Hall. More appointments to follow in the weeks to come. Great to see people stepping forward and accepting responsibility for their part in Gods plan at Staple Hill.

## OUTREACH BULLETIN: Reaching Out to share Jesus

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May:** In the morning, the Band & its musicians will be taking the message out to Beaufort Court & Southmead Hospital. Don't forget, we'll be **Reaching Out** by taking our **'Second Sunday Special'** out into Page Park. We will be marching to the Park at 3pm, so we are sure people will hear & be drawn by our music, but we must also use this opportunity to invite people we know. There's also a practical part to the day – if you can help load at the Hall or set up at the Park, it would be great to see you at 2pm. Not forgetting that we've got to put it all away afterwards!

**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May:** The following Saturday starting at 10am, there will be a 'Big Breakfast & Coffee Morning' at the Hall in aid of the Kenya Trust. Having **Reached Out** in Page Park, this time we'll be **Reaching Out** inside our buildings. One naturally follows on from the other .....

**SANCTUARY BOOKS BULLETIN** *"As of 5<sup>th</sup> June this year, we will be changing how our bookshop space functions. We will continue to supply bible notes and a small selection of Christian greetings cards but will no longer be selling books. Instead we will open a Christian 'swap library' where you can bring and swap a book or two whilst enjoying a tea or coffee. You will also be very welcome to use the space to read, chat, or receive some prayer. Our opening times will be the same... 10am until 12pm Monday - Friday. We also wanted to give you notice that we will be having a 50% off sale to clear all our current stock so come and browse and pick up a bargain or two! We'd like to take this opportunity to thank you for your custom over the years and pray you will continue to visit us in the near future. God bless you". Nigel Farmer. The Sanctuary Church*

## MONTHLY PROGRAMME BULLETIN: MAY INTO JUNE

<b>MAY</b>	
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup>	Mission Council Meeting
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Divisional Youth Band Practice at Gloucester SA
Saturday 20 <sup>th</sup>	10am: Kenya Trust <i>'Big Breakfast &amp; Coffee Morning'</i>
Sunday 21 <sup>st</sup>	8.30am: Ashfield Prison Ministry (Band Ensemble) 11am: Worship with Colin & Nicola 5pm: Word on the Third 5pm: Y.P. Band & Singing Company at Easton SA
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> Bank Holiday Weekend	11am: Worship with Colin & Nicola 5pm: <b>NO</b> Go Forth in Worship
<b>JUNE</b>	<b>More details in weeks to come .....</b>
Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Page Park Praise (3.30pm)
Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Big Collection Table Top Sale <b>More details next week - see Pauline Perkins</b>
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Father's Day and Big Lunch

**FINANCE BULLETIN:** Those who give through standing orders set up with the Corps will need to change the instructions given to their bank. Each person now has an individual reference number which needs to be included on standing orders. If you have a standing order already set up, or if you wish to start a standing order (for any of your giving), please see Gary Matthews, Paul Heath or Marcia Grivelle to collect the pre-printed forms for existing standing order members, or to give your name if you wish to set one up.

## FLOWERS BULLETIN:

It is great each week to have flowers on our Alter Table. There will always be flowers and our thanks go to Valerie Cuff for co-ordinating this each week. However, you may want to donate flowers on special occasions, both in memory or in celebration. Valerie will prepare the flowers and you cover the costs. Or you may do as Kay & I did last week and purchase the flowers & arrange them yourselves. All you have to do is see Valerie Cuff. Thank You.

## FELLOWSHIP BULLETIN: Reaching Wider to love each other

**Remember Me:** Irene Ackerman, Molly Angle, Ray & Mary Brown, Doreen Butland, Ruth & Tom Cable, Nancy Cryer, Brenda & Geoffrey Driscoll, Margaret Hatton, Light Jatto Joyce & Gwen Lear, David & Shirley Nokes, Roy Rodman, Valerie & Peter Scott, Francis & Ruth Shepherd, John & Olive Sheppard, Yvonne & Alan Tilling .....

Dave & Doreen Slator are the proud grandparents to a new grandson: Joshua Joseph was born on 3<sup>rd</sup> May to Gary & Tracy. Congratulations!