#### **TODAY SUNDAY 10th December**

9.45am Meetings for toddlers, children & teenagers

10.00am Senior Band at Beaufort Court & Cossham Gardens

11.00am *Worship* with Colin & Nicola

5.00pm *Family Carol Service* – featuring all our young people

Monday 11th December

1.45pm Funeral Service for Frank Mills

6.00pm Rainbows

7.00pm Toy & Food parcels sorting & preparation

Tuesday 12th December

12.30pm Band Ensemble at Rotary Christmas Dinner7.30pm Songsters at Woodlands Residential Home

Wednesday 13th December

2.30pm Band Ensemble at Badminton Court Carol Service

3.30, 5.30 & 7.30pm Slimming World

6.30pm Band Ensemble: Fishponds Community Outdoor Event

Thursday 14th December

10.30am "Meet & Greet"

12.30pm Lunch Club Christmas Dinner & Carol Service 1.30pm

2.00pm Friendship Club

6.00-7.30pm Young People's Band carolling at Tescos Extra Yate

6.00-9.00pm Senior Band carolling at The Mall

Friday 15th December

9.30 & 11.30am Slimming World

Saturday 16th December

10am-12pm Coffee Morning

11.00am-3.00pm Senior Band carolling at The Mall 2.00-3.00pm Senior Band at 'Carols in Page Park'

Sunday 17th December

9.45am Meetings for toddlers, children & teenagers 10.00am Senior Band at Cleeve Lodge & Peache Court

Young People at Park View Court

11.00am *Worship* with Colin & Nicola

2.30pm Community Care Ministries & Band Ensemble at

Deerhurst Carol Service

5.00pm *Carol Service* 

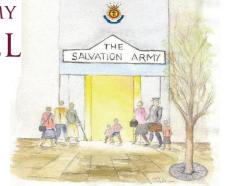


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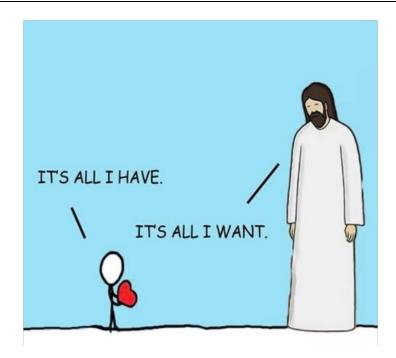
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## Weekly Bulletin for Sunday 10th December 2017



What can I give Him, poor as I am?
If I were a shepherd, I would bring a lamb,
If I were a wise man, I would do my part,
Yet what I can I give Him, Give my heart.
(A Christmas Carol also known as "In the bleak Midwinter")

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### **Internal Christmas Post: Last Post today!**







Further to the front page of the Weekly Bulletin a couple of weeks ago, the influence of the Staple Hill Christmas Angel continues to grow. Via our website, we received an e mail from what turns out to be a 10 year old boy called Julius. He was interested to find out more about our gift appeal & how he could help. The result is that his rugby club are to donate over 50 presents! Although we were not mentioned by name, his story featured on the TV on Points West – now there are over 80 gifts!!

**We need help** tonight following the Family Carol Service once all our guests have left, to move all the gifts into the Bradbury Hall ready for Monday evening. (Also to prepare the Hall ready for Frank Mills Funeral).

**We need help** on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December at 9am to collect the food for the parcels from Tesco – please see Colin if you can help.

**We need help** on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm to prepare the food parcels & sort the many toys that have been donated. It would be great to see as many of you as possible. There might even be coffee & mince pies!!

**Colin needs a circular saw** in preparation for next weeks Carol Service! (I think it's making items in advance of the service). See Colin if you can help.

# December at the Staple Hill Salvation Army continues to be a "Journey to Bethlehem".

Still time to join us for as much of the remainder of the journey .......

There's the Family Carol Service tonight & at the Carol Service on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December, both at 5pm – bring your family & friends!

Don't forget we will be meeting out in the Square for Carols on Christmas Eve at 4pm.

And then we all meet together to celebrate the birth of Jesus on Christmas Day at 11am.

Please use this journey and the various opportunities to invite those whom you meet.



## FELLOWSHIP BULLETIN: Reaching Wider to love each other

Congratulations to **Paul Heath!** 50 years young on 11<sup>th</sup> December

 $\boldsymbol{Brenda\ \&\ Paul\ Coo}{k\ \&\ their\ family\ continue\ to\ need\ our\ prayerful\ support}$ 

Heather & Paul Campbell as her dad has been admitted to Hospital

We have received news that **Terry Short** has suddenly passed away. Some of you may remember Terry who was Songster Leader at Staple Hill many years ago. Our prayers are with Shirley and sons David & Neil & their families.

**Frank Mills** funeral will take place on Monday  $11^{\rm th}$  December, 1.45pm in our own Hall followed at 2.45pm at Westerleigh Crematorium.

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