

Some of our Thursday activities continue throughout the Summer

10.30am: "Meet & Greet"

12.30pm: Lunch Club

The Hall will be open on Wednesdays & Fridays for Slimming World
Wednesday 3.30, 5.30 & 7.30pm **Friday** 9.30 & 11.30am Slimming World

Weekends during the Summer:

Sunday 29th July

TODAY

10.30am **Coffee & Cake Fellowship** with Kays Fruit Cake!
11.00am **Sunday Worship** with Colin & Nicola
5.00pm **NO** 5pm Sunday Worship until 2nd September

Saturday 4th August

10am-12pm Coffee Morning with Hilton & Lilian

Sunday 5th August

10.30am **Coffee & Cake Fellowship** with Carys & Senan
11.00am **Sunday Worship** with Colin & Nicola
Afternoon Band Ensemble at South Gloucestershire Show

Saturday 11th August

10am-12pm Coffee Morning with Julie Warren & Janet Banfield

Sunday 12th August

10.30am **Coffee & Cake Fellowship** with Margaret Bessex & Rita
11.00am **Sunday Worship** with Mike Dyer (Colin & Nicola away)
From 3.00pm **Page Park Praise** with Marc – see inside

Saturday 18th August

10am-12pm Coffee Morning with Margaret Belcher & Mark Clements

Sunday 19th August

10.30am **Coffee & Cake Fellowship** with Janet & Becky
11.00am **Sunday Worship** with Paul Heath (Colin & Nicola away)

Saturday 25th August

10am-12pm **NO** Coffee Morning – Bank Holiday Weekend

Sunday 26th August

10.30am **Coffee & Cake Fellowship** with Pauline & Viv
11.00am **Sunday Worship** with Colin & Nicola

Saturday 1st September

10am-12pm Coffee Morning

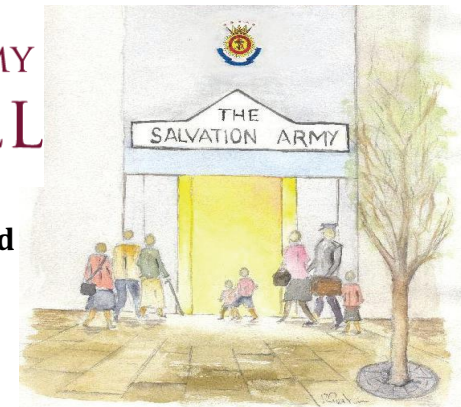
Sunday 2nd September

10.00am Young Peoples Breakfast
11.00am **Sunday Worship** with Colin & Nicola
5.00pm **Café One:** Mission & Summer Camp reports



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The Weekly Bulletin for Sunday 29th July 2018 and for the month of August

Hilton Baker spoke to us in our Open Band Night on Tuesday about his musical career as a Salvation Army Bandsman. Since he was aged 8, he has played in 7 different bands, played at some amazing locations & been on 5 tours abroad. However, what he remembers most are those occasions when he has been able to minister directly to people & portray Jesus. On one Christmas, having played carols in a ward, he passed a young boy & his father in a side room. It was clear that the boy was very ill. The father said "*I wish it was me and not him*". Hilton felt he could do no more than hug the father. Hilton spoke for us as a small group when we were able to play to Brenda Cook and her family last Sunday as she lay seriously ill in the BRI. We could do no more than be Gods physical presence for Brenda & particularly her family. Hilton reminded us that it's not about our ability to play & sing music, but our availability to be used by God wherever he places us.

As we continue in our attempts to grow Gods Kingdom here on earth, God does not begin by asking us about our ability, but only our availability & if we then prove our dependability, He will increase our capability.

'However, I consider my life worth nothing to me; my only aim is to finish the race and complete the task the Lord Jesus has given me - the task of testifying to the good news of God's grace'. (Acts 20:24)

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PAGE PARK PRAISE BULLETIN: Reaching Out to share Jesus

We will be at Page Park for the final **Page Park Praise** of the season on **Sunday 12th August**. We do have a number away which includes Colin & Nicola. Remember, it's not about our ability but it is about our availability. I'm available and with God's guidance, I'll give it my best shot. I do hope you are available as your help & support is vital. 2pm: Loading at the Hall. 2.30pm: Set up at Page Park. 3pm: The Band will play to attract people to what we're doing so you can welcome & chat to them. 3.30pm: Worship until 4.30pm (shorter if it's really hot). Remember we need help pack & put everything away. I know we're in for a great afternoon!

YOUNG PEOPLE'S OUTREACH SUMMER BULLETIN:

Don't forget this special event during the summer to allow us to keep in touch with our mid-week families over the summer break. This is an opportunity to do something a bit more overtly Christian as a one-off trial. If you've got any questions please ask Nicola or Karen, I know we can count on your prayerful support and maybe support in other ways.

Maybe you know someone who has children that you could invite?

FELLOWSHIP BULLETIN:

staplehillprayers@gmail.com Do remember Brenda & Paul Cook, Hilary Sims, Arnold Tilling, Helen & Michael Lyons & the children plus Mavis Stone and others you are specifically aware of especially given the hot weather and the holiday period. Please be neighbourly and keep in contact with those of our Fellowship who may be struggling.

David Banfield celebrates his 90th birthday on 30th July – **Congratulations!**

Pray for those of our Fellowship 'On Mission' & at Summer Camps:

Ukraine: Margaret Boxell, Mary White, Mark and Debbie Hatcliffe

Territorial Music School: Neil Baker (Staff)

Divisional Summer Camp: Nneka & Dennis, Carys & Senan, Harry & Jessica, Joseph & Thomas, Jakub, Shalom, Bethany plus Phil & Tash James (Staff)

Divisional Junior Camp: Gracey, Isabella, Dillan, Victoria & Jeovany



Summer Activity Morning

Bored during the Summer holidays?
Why not come along to our
Summer Activity Morning,
with your parents or carers

Wednesday 29th August
10am - 12noon

Suitable for children aged 7 and under
Theme - Noah's Ark

£2.00 per child
Adults Free
Refreshments will be served

To book your place please email
karen.read@salvationarmy.org.uk
Or Phone 01179 569733
Places are limited



CORPS DIARY BULLETIN: for the remainder of 2018

Sunday 5th August
Sunday 12th August
Sunday 2nd September

Sunday 9th September

Sunday 16th September
Saturday 22nd September
Saturday 29th September
Sunday 30th September

Mon 1st - Fri 7th October
Sunday 7th October

Saturday 14th October
Monday 15th October
Saturday 20th October
Sunday 21st October
Saturday 10th November
Sunday 11th November
Monday 12th November
16th – 18th November

CHRISTMAS 2018

Saturday 1st December
Sunday 2nd December
Sunday 2nd December
Friday 7th December
Sunday 9th December
Sunday 16th December
Sunday 23rd December
Monday 24th December
Tuesday 25th December

Brass Ensemble at South Gloucestershire Show
3pm: Page Park Praise
5pm: Cafe Celebration of
Summer Camps, Missions & Activities
4pm: 2nd Sunday Special - Summer Songs of
Praise in the Square (or inside if raining!)
3pm: Mission Council Meeting
Mission Council Vision Away Day
Harvest Weekend Social Event
Harvest Weekend - 11am Worship led by
Majors Mark & Linda Billard with Altar Service,
4pm: Divisional Youth Band & Chorus Festival
Mission Week
4pm Severn & Somerset Area Praise & Worship
Meeting at Bath (no 5pm meeting at Staple Hill)
10am: Table Top Sale in aid of Big Collection
8pm: Mission Council Meeting
Staple Hill Band at Staines Salvation Army
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10am: Coffee Morning in aid of Kenya Trust
Remembrance Sunday
8pm: Mission Council Meeting
Youth Retreat Weekend

Christmas on the Hill

11am: Toy Service

4pm: Christmas Family Crafts

Christmas with the Salvation Army

5pm Light up a Life Service with St Peter's Hospice

5pm: Family Carol Service

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5pm: Carols in the Square

11am: Christmas Day Worship & Celebration

Monday 31st December New Year's Eve Social Event

Would you like a New Year's Eve Social if I organised one? Let me know!

Don't forget Sunday 2nd September at 5pm:
Mission & Summer Camp reports!