The Week Ahead

Sunday 2nd June

9.45am Meetings for toddlers, children & teenagers

11.00am *All-Age Worship* with Colin & Nicola

5.00pm **Café One** with Colin & Nicola

Monday 3rd June

TODAY

6.00pm Rainbows

8.00pm Mission Council Meeting

Tuesday 4th June

9.30am Parent & Toddlers

10.00am Cell Group at the Hall with Pat & Arnold

6.45pm Young People's Band Practice

8.00pm Senior Band Practice

Wednesday 5th June

9.30am Baby Song

3.30, 5.30 & 7.30pm Slimming World

7.45pm Cell Group at the Hall with Gerry & Malcolm

8.00pm Cell Group at Linda & Kelvins

Thursday 6th June

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

6.45pm Singing Company Practice

7.30pm Songster Practice

Friday 7th June

7.30, 9.30 & 11.30am Slimming World

6.00pm Junior Club

Saturday 8th June

10.00am-12.00pm Coffee Morning

Sunday 9th June

9.45am Meetings for toddlers, children & teenagers

11.00am *All-Age Worship* with Colin & Nicola

3.30pm **Second Sunday Special - Page Park Praise**

2.00pm Load at the Hall2.30pm Set up at Page Park3.00pm Band in the Bandstand

3.30pm Page Park Praise

4.15pm Pack up & return equipment to the Hall



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The Weekly Bulletin for Sunday 2nd June 2019



The Lord's Prayer is my daily prayer & I particularly pray "Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven" for I believe that to be central to our mission here at Staple Hill. Fridays UCB Word for Today implored us to 'Share it with them'. The Band had a great time last Sunday at Newton Abbott & Teignmouth doing just that, sharing Gods love with all who were attracted to our music – inviting them to the Kingdom. All our activities every day of the week has the same purpose of sharing God's love with them, often in a practical way, but ultimately, inviting them to the Kingdom. So does every action of our lives. We must start where people are, using words they understand, not worrying if they say no. What could be worse than not giving them the chance to say yes? But no matter how we attract them, however warm we make the fellowship, not matter how positive we make the welcome to the Kingdom, they have to make that choice for themselves. They have to accept God and His love for them through Jesus. Let's join this global initiative & light up the world of Staple Hill with prayer!

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The Funeral Service for Harry Brooksbank will take place on Tuesday 18th June, 2pm at the Hall & 3.15pm at the Crematorium followed by refreshments back at the Hall. Our prayers continue to be with Rita & the family.

Continue to remember in your prayers: Ruby James, Morag Fletcher, June Wallington, Mavis Stone, Brenda & Paul Cook as well as others

Flowers: Yvonne Faulkner in memory of her mum & dad Joe & Audrey Hobbs

Ian & Rachael Roberts were invited to Buckingham Palace for the Royal Garden Party on Wednesday in recognition of Ian's 40 years loyal service to the NHS – congratulations Ian & we hope you both had a great day!

PAGE PARK PRAISE BULLETIN: Sunday 9th June at 3.30pm

Our first Page Park Praise of the year in May went really well despite being without our usual van & Colin! Both Colin & the van are back for this one, but it would be great if everyone could pitch in as you did last month & lighten the work load – that includes prayer for God's Will to be done through us.

BIG COLLECTION BULLETIN:

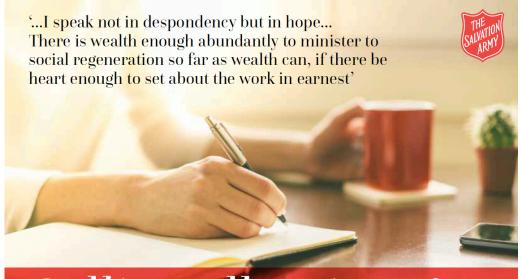
Morrisons Supermarket Collecting Days in Fishponds: Thursday 20^{th} and Friday 21^{st} June from 9am - 6pm. Add your names to the list in the Foyer.

DIVISIONAL BULLETIN:

Divisional Youth Band Makes Music! A Festival of Praise & Worship at Swindon Citadel Salvation Army on Saturday 6th July at 7.30pm.

Junior Adventure Camp (12th-16th August) needs your help! Could you help the catering? Could you help for half or the whole week? Accommodation is available! If you're interested, contact Lieutenant Ben Ellis via Colin & Nicola.

OUTREACH BULLETIN: As many of you already know, David James and Marion Richardson visit something in the region of 8 public houses each Friday night selling the Salvation Army papers. They have been well received for well over 10 years and have had many meaningful conversations. However, on occasions, they are not able to go out so it would be helpful to have a backup of a volunteer (or two) who is willing not go round the pubs but instead stand in Broad Street outside the Hall on a Monday morning between 10.00-11.30am. There is no formal commitment, just a chance to help when needed and a good opportunity to engage in conversation with local people about our work. Speak to David to find out if you can help. David has tested it already in Broad Street and it does work. Thank you.



Calling all writers!

In Darkest England and The Way Out

Next year marks the 130th anniversary of William Booth's most famous work – the blueprint of The Salvation Army's vision for social action, which proposed to house people experiencing homelessness, train unemployed people and provide people a livelihood free from poverty. Shield Books wants to celebrate this best-selling work and we need your help!

We are encouraging writers to compose and submit a piece inspired by Booth's influential work, or more so, inspired by the social work and mission of The Salvation Army. Whether you are a seasoned author or you wish to try your hand at writing for the very first time, we want to hear from you. There are no limits to the genre of writing that can be submitted – essay, testimony, Bible study, poem, fictional short story, whatever captures your imagination!

Some submission guidelines

- No entry should be more than 3,000 words.
- No quoted material which may still be in copyright is to be included (poetry, for example), however material from The Song Book of The Salvation Army or works published by The Salvation Army may be cited provided it is clearly referenced.
- Unless it is your own story that you are happy to tell or you have the permission of the person involved, please anonymise any testimonies or true to life stories.
- Submissions cannot be returned to you, so please ensure that you have copies of any submitted material before sending.

Submissions can be emailed to **Rebecca.goldsmith@salvationarmy.org.uk** or posted to the Publishing Department at Territorial Headquarters. Please include your name, address and email or telephone number. The deadline for submissions is World Book Day **5 March 2020**.

