



Staple Hill

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What Flies?

If you have planned to holiday abroad this summer, then I am sure you will be looking forward to it. But for many this year, it seems that their excitement and dreams are being quashed with thousands of flights cancelled as airlines try to recover from staff shortages in the wake of the pandemic. Perhaps you are one of those affected – in which case we hope that you still manage to get a nice holiday somewhere!

We all take flight for granted these days. We implicitly trust that the metal tube we are sat in will fly and be capable of taking us to wherever we want to go around the world. We trust that the pilot and the cabin crew have been trained to make sure we arrive safely. And we trust that when we finally get to our destination, the hotel will be exactly as advertised in the brochure!

Unfortunately, there will still be several times as many people putting their trust in the power of flight this week than will be found in a church drawing on the power of Jesus Christ, trusting in the man-made as opposed to the God-given. That can't possibly be right, can it?

*Trusting as the moments fly,
Trusting as the days go by,
Trusting him whate'er befall,
Trusting Jesus, that is all.*

[The Song Book of the Salvation Army, No 892]

Paul Heath

PEOPLE:

We continue to think of Olive and Joan who have been in hospital recently. Both are now out again and recuperating. Please remember them in your prayers, along with all those others within our fellowship who are poorly, mourning the loss of a loved one or experiencing difficulties.



**Is that a balloon, or does he
really look like that?**

FLOWERS:

The flowers today are given by Pat and Arnold Tilling in memory of Edna.



Staple Hill Band
of The Salvation Army
Bandmaster Marc Willetts

presents

Jubilee Concert

featuring

Vocalist Rachel Milestone

Euphonium Soloist Josh Dickens

Friday 15th July | 7.30pm

Tickets £5 (Under 16s Free)



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07917 232788 or scan
the QR Code



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PRAYER FELLOWSHIP:

One of the most important things we can do is to pray for each other. We are extremely fortunate to have a thriving prayer fellowship within our corps, coordinated by Rita Brooksbank. Each week, those within the fellowship will receive e-mailed prayer alerts allowing us to pray for those in need of God's help and support as the need arises.

If you would like us to pray for a particular situation, or you would like to join the prayer fellowship – then please drop us an email (a couple of sentences only, please) on staplehillprayers@gmail.com or just have a chat to Rita.

BIG COLLECTION 2022:

If you missed last week's Big Collection there is still an opportunity to give.

Envelopes are available in the foyer and can be placed in the offering basket during the service, or you may wish to give via BACS using the details below.

Account Name:	The Salvation Army
Sort Code:	60-01-73
Account Number:	00130997
Using Ref:	BIGC

Unfortunately, the card reader will not be available this week.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Saturday 23rd July	Coffee Morning (10am to 12noon)
Sunday 24th July	Corps BBQ (lunchtime) – everyone welcome
31st July – 5th August	Severn & Somerset Junior Camp (Application forms available from Laura)
6th – 12th August	Severn & Somerset Summer Camp (Application forms available from Tash)
Sunday 4th September	Page Park Praise (TBC)
24th – 25th September	Harvest Weekend
Sunday 16th October	Divisional Welcome to Divisional Leaders in our hall (at 4pm)
Saturday 12th November	Kenya Trust Concert
Sunday 13th November	Remembrance Sunday

THE WEEK AHEAD:

Sunday 10th July: **Led by Majors Paul & Liz Church**

10am All Age Worship
11.30am-12:15pm Children & Youth Activities

Tuesday 12th July:

11am Extra Slice Group at the hall with Kelvin
6:30pm-7:10pm YP Band Practice
7:20pm-8pm Singing Company Practice
8pm Senior Band Practice

Wednesday 13th July:

3.30pm Online Extra Slice group with Gerry
7.45pm Extra Slice Group at Linda's
8.15pm Online Extra Slice Group with Beth

Thursday 14th July:

12.30pm Lunch Club
7pm Staple Hill Partnership Meeting
7.45pm Extra Slice Group at Colin & Nicola's
8.15pm Online Extra Slice Group with Rachel & Ian

Friday 15th July:

7.30pm Jubilee Concert – see advert for details

Sunday 17th July:

10am All Age Worship
'Joseph the Dreamer' [Genesis 37 v 1-11](#)
11.30am-12:15pm Children & Youth Activities
4pm-5:30pm Summer Family Crafts