



## Ramsgate Salvation Army

### Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> December 2021

A warm welcome as we gather as the family of God today, especially if you are not normally with us on a Sunday. May we all feel the welcome of God and each other.



**THE SALVATION ARMY**

### Christmas 2021

**Christmas Worship**  
Every Sunday 10am

**Corps Carol Service**  
Sunday 12th December 4pm

**Christingle Coffee Morning**  
Friday 17th 10-12 with bacon rolls

**Christingle Service**  
KidzClub  
Friday 17th December 5:40pm

**Carols at Ellington Park**  
Sunday 19th December 6pm

**Christmas Day Service**  
Saturday 25th December 10am

**CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER**  
Please sign up early to secure your place

*Make room for Jesus* LUKE 2:1-7

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Week 1	Make room for Expectation
Week 2	Make room for His Plan
Week 3	Make room for Good News
Week 4	<b>Make room for Worship</b>
Christmas day	Make room for Jesus

**Sunday worship is** livestreamed on  **YouTube**

You can find a link on the Ramsgate Salvation Army page

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## What's happening at Ramsgate Salvation Army?

**COVID – at the time of writing we plan to operate with our normal COVID safety controls. If we are advised this is no longer permitted, we will immediately let you know.**

Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> (10.30 am)	Sunday Worship and Sunday School
Sunday (6pm)	Carols in Ellington Park
Monday to Friday (6.30am-9am)	Breakfast Drop-in (street homeless only)
Monday (9.30 am – 11.30 am)	<b>NO</b> Little Fishes (holiday until 10 <sup>th</sup> Jan)
Monday (2pm)	Hall is use by local school
Monday (6pm)	ACE Overcomers
Tuesday (9am to 12 noon)	Food Parcel Preparation
Tuesday (12 noon)	Light Lunch
Tuesday (12.30 pm)	Prayers at hall.
Tuesday (1 pm)	Bible Study at hall – Advent week 4
Tuesday (6.45pm)	Bible Study & Prayers by ZOOM (8651865167)
Wednesday (11 am)	Christmas Friendship & Luncheon club
Wednesday (7pm)	Band carolling across district
Thursday	Forward Trust using hall.
Friday (10am - 12 noon)	Band carolling in Ramsgate
Friday (10am - 12 noon)	NO Food Bank (until 7 <sup>th</sup> January – emergency provision only)
Friday 12 noon to 2 pm)	Christmas Dinner Preparation
Friday (6.00pm)	<b>NO</b> KIDS Club (holiday until 15 <sup>th</sup> Jan)–
Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas day service 10am
Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Day Dinner 12.20pm
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> (10.30 am)	<b>Sunday Worship on YouTube only</b>
Christmas week	Christmas week the hall will be closed and we will be available only in an emergency.
Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> January (10.30 am)	Sunday worship at hall.

## **Birthdays**

Jo Harrington    Thursday 23-Dec  
Angela Miller    Tuesday 28-Dec  
Paul Letts        Wednesday 29-Dec  
Hazel Toms       Sunday 2 January

## **Prayers please for**

Those in our corps family with **Covid** – **Isaiah, Lauren** and **Christopher** Templeton.

For **Val**, now receiving care in a home in Margate. Also pray for Val's sister **Julie** who is gravely ill. We pray for Julie and for Val, Alice and Shirley her sisters.

Those who have recently lost loved ones; Katrina and Tamara

Continued prayer for **Archie** and thanks for a medical examination which we pray will lead to improved treatment.

For **David Miles, Jan Penfold** and **John McCairn** all waiting for medical treatment.

For **Sue Layton** who remains unwell at this time, and for Sue Layton's relation **Barry** battling with MND.

For Sheila's friend **Marilyn** who is struggling with infirmity and unable to move . And Marilyn's friend **Tania** who has lost her daughter.

For **Paul**, friend of Douglas, diagnosed with a terminal illness. And for **Nigel**, another friend of Douglas with cancer and a bleed on the brain.

Continued prayers for **Paul** and **Sue Taylor** and for **Paul Wales**. and for all those suffering from **Long Covid** – which include some in our church family.

## The Child Jesus

'He gave his only begotten Son.'  
(John 3:16)

Gave him? Yes.

To whom? The world - all people.

'Unto us a Child is born.' That means me, you, everybody.

What have you done with the gift?

The angels sang about it. Have you?

That is, have you made real melody in your heart about it?- been inwardly merry and glad?

The wise men of the east travelled a long, long journey to adore him. If he came again in the same way and the same place, I suppose you would want to do a pilgrimage to Bethlehem to worship him, and I suppose you would want to take some present with you to lay at his feet.

Do you worship him here in the very town and house where you live?

And what sort of present are you going to lay at his feet this Christmas time?

Oh! brother, sister, comrade, has Christ brought to your heart not only the Bethlehem and Gethsemane and Calvary, but Resurrection and Pentecost and the glory of having a share in the gathering of the world to his feet?

William Booth

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