

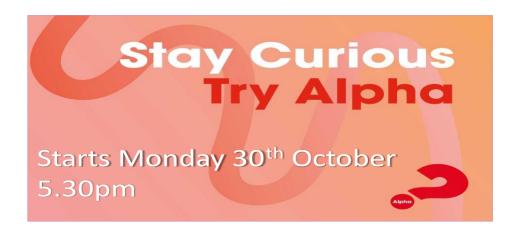
Ramsgate Salvation Army Sunday 8th October 2023

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.

We meet at The Salvation Army Hall Sunday 10.30 am. Also Sunday worship is livestreamed on VouTube

You can find a link on the Ramsgate Salvation Army Web page www.salvationarmy.org.uk/ramsgate



Will you come? Who will you invite?



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What's happening at Ramsgate Salvation Army?

Sunday 8th October 10.00 Prayers

10.30 Worship led by Jon and Beth Munn Pioneer Leaders, Faversham Salvation Army –

Fresh Expression

11.00 Sunday School

11.45 Coffee and Discussion16.30 Contemporary Worship

Monday to Friday (6.30am-9am) Breakfast Drop-in

Monday (9.30 am – 11.30 am) Little Fishes (Parent & Toddler group)

ACES 1pm

Men's Fellowship (from 5.30pm)

Tuesday Prayers 9.30am

Food Parcel preparation The Well 10.30 – 12 Light Lunch 12 noon Bible study 1pm

ZOOM bible study 7pm (8651865167)

Wednesday (from 11 am) Friendship club and Lunch club

Kids Club Music Lessons

Adult Music Practices (7pm-9pm)

Thursday Forward Trust Friday (10am - 12 noon) Food Bank

Ukrainian Language Class 1.30pm

Kids Club 6pm to 7.30pm

Saturday 14th Ukrainian Hub 11am

Sunday 15th October 10.30 Worship & 11.00 Sunday School

Invitation to join the conversation.

Herne Bay Salvation Army 14.00 – 16.00

Saturday 21st Harvest Quiz and Supper

Sunday 22nd HARVEST Songs of Praise — ALL AGE WORSHIP

Sunday 29th Enrolment of new members Monday 30th October 5.30pm START OF ALPHA.



We give thanks for the flowers to Helen.

Birthdays

Jaynie Royle Tuesday 10-October
Colin Catlin Wednesday 11-October
Mary Mishel Thursday 12-October
Ivy Nkala Friday 13-October
Lindsay Dowding Sunday 15-October

We thank God for **Stefan Costen's** surgery in a London hospital after an accident two weeks ago. Pray for his recovery at home. Uphold Cheryl's daughter **Sophie**. God take care of her. For **Andrew McMillan** who has health concerns and awaiting tests to determine the treatment he needs. For **Sue Layton** and her family, all ill with Covid. Prayers for Janet's brother **Graham** who continues his cancer treatment and her son **Richard** who is also struggling with health issues.

Uphold Nicole's father **Ali** who is receiving on-going care following a fall.

We pray for **Doreen**, that she will soon receive the surgery she requires to help alleviate her pain. Pray for **Raushan** who is suffering from severe head pain.

Continue to pray for Pauline's daughter **Karen** who has been diagnosed with blood cancer. **John McCairn** has recently received heart surgery in WHH and recovering slowly at home. God be his strength. For **Natasha's** mum whose health continues to be a concern. Pray too for **Natasha** as she seeks how best to care for her.

Our prayers continue for Marilena's father **Vasily** with his on-going health concerns. We pray for Nick's father, **John** who has been diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. Prayers for Jacqueline's friend **August** who awaits surgery at St Thomas Hospital London. Please remember in prayer Tracey's dad and Isaiah's granddad, **Ivor** who is struggling with many health issues at this time.

We pray for a Ukrainian friend **Andrii**, receiving cancer care.

Continue to pray for a resolution for the health concerns for Emma's daughter, Sasha.

Loving God, you fill all things with a fullness and hope that we can never comprehend. Thank you for leading us into a time where more of reality is being unveiled for us all to see. We pray that you will take away our natural temptation for cynicism, denial, fear and despair. Help us have the courage to awaken to greater truth, greater humility, and greater care for one another. May we place our hope in what matters and what lasts, trusting in your eternal presence and love. Listen to our hearts' longings for the healing of our suffering world. Please add your own intentions . . . Knowing, good God, you are hearing us better than we are speaking, we offer these prayers in all the holy names of God. Amen. (Richard Rohr)

Membership Working Group

We want to understand how people in this territory feel about belonging and membership in the Army – and we want to hear from everyone.

A questionnaire is available for individuals to fill in online or on paper. (They prefer if you will use the online version – but we are including the paper version in the newsletter as this might be easier for some people)

The survey will close on Wednesday 15 November. https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/TSAMembershipSurvey

Consider coming to Herne Bay Salvation Army and take part in the discussion hosted by DHQ (Sunday 15th 2pm – 4pm)



What is Alpha?

It's a chance to learn and ask questions about the Christian faith.

We start each evening with a meal, watch a short film and then discuss what we have seen.

Come along and see for yourself.

We start Monday 30th October at 5.30pm and continue every Monday at Ramsgate SA

Alpha is a global phenomenon. More than 28 million people have attended the course worldwide, nearly five million in the UK, and many have become Christians as a result.

And it's happening **here**, in **Ramsgate**, at our **hall**. This is your chance to invite someone. Take a card. Pray. Use it!