

The Salvation Army

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Sunday 7 April 2024

**11.00am – Morning Worship led by
Major Shelagh Clift**






To KNOW Christ ~ To LIVE Christ ~ To SHARE Christ

BOSCOMBE CORPS NEWS

Prayer Requests

We have a number of our corps family who need our prayers:

-  Please pray for Jay King who is in hospital awaiting open heart surgery today.
-  Please continue to pray for Len Griggs, Major Sue Randell and Joy Hooper.
-  Please continue to pray for all those who have been bereaved recently.

Words of Thanks

Majors David and Jane would like to thank everyone who contributed to the Easter Celebration Weekend in any way. Special thanks to the Cadets and Officers from William Booth College for their ministry and fellowship. We believe it was a God-glorifying and kingdom-building weekend.

Missing Brooch

If anyone has lost a blue magnetic Salvation Army brooch, please see Nigel.

Encounter Application Forms

Encounter application forms are now available, please speak to Joanne.

Faith Picnic

On **Sunday 14 April** we continue our series on Romans and are considering what it means to be community. We thought it would be good to share some time in community together by sharing a picnic at Hengistbury Head (near the car park) following the morning meeting **from 1.00pm onwards**. If 'rain stops play' we will share together at the hall.

Gala Concert by Bournemouth Area Fellowship Band

Bournemouth Area Fellowship Band are presenting a concert together with St George's Singers (a Christian Choir) and the St James Academy Junior School Choir on **Saturday 10 May @ 7.00pm** here at the Corps. Donation tickets priced £5 can be purchased at the door (plus a collection for the Dorset Children's Foundation).

Coffee Morning

Our next social event will be a coffee morning on **Saturday 18 May from 10.00am until 12 noon**. As well as bacon and sausage baps on sale there will also be a cake stall. If anyone is able to make some cakes for the cake stall, please speak to Ruth Wright or Tracey Hannah.

Have Your Say!

Tracey and Ruth would like to ask for social night/day suggestions from people in the Corps. Please post your ideas in the red post box in the foyer. It will be there for a few weeks and we will then review them for future events and activities. Thank you!

PRAYER MATTERS

Compiled by Lieut-Colonel David Phillips

This week we will think about London Landmarks.

Monday 8 April – THE MILLENIUM BRIDGE. This is a suspension bridge linking St Paul's Cathedral to the Tate Modern. The London Millenium Footbridge opened in 2000. No cars or buses allowed making it a walk to appreciate the beauty and creation of God. Read Genesis 3 v 1-3. (Song 2 'All creatures of our God and King')

Tuesday 9 April – KEW GARDENS AND PALM HOUSE. The Royal Botanic Gardens in Kew has 50,000 types of plants. Built between 1844 and 1848 it houses the oldest potted plant in the world, a Jurassi Cycod plant. Consider again the wonder of nature. Read Psalm 8. (Song 8 'Come, let us all unite to sing')



Wednesday 10 April – SHAKESPEARE'S GLOBE THEATRE. Constructed from 1000 English Oak trees and 17000 Norfolk reeds and completed in 1997. Thatched roofs in London banned since the Great Fire in 1666 but The Globe has a special license to have one. The theatre allows students to develop their literature and acting skills. Pray for students at University. Read Daniel 1 v 17-20. (Song 14 'For the beauty of the earth')

Thursday 11 April – THE MONUMENT. Built as a memorial to the Great Fire in 1666, the monument is 202 feet high and to reach the top you must climb 311 steps. You will be rewarded with panoramic views of London and a certificate!. It is important to view how great our world is. Pray and thank God for our environment. Read 1 Chronicles 29 v 11. (Song 20 'God of the open spaces')

Friday 12 April – NELSONS COLUMN. Built to commemorate Admiral Horatio Nelson, the column was completed in 1840, costing £47,000 (an equivalent of 4 million pounds today). Remembering all people who have surrendered their lives for the Nation. Read Romans 12 v 1-2. (Song 25 'God's love to me is wonderful')

Saturday 13 April – THE SHARD. 306 meters high, it is the tallest building in Western Europe. 11000 glass panels, 44 lifts. It can be seen for 40 miles in any direction. Inaugurated are three restaurants. During construction builders found a fox on the 72nd floor and they christened him Romeo. He became the mascot of the Shard. You can buy a Romeo toy from the Gift shop. Thank God for the abilities of mankind to erect buildings of beauty and discovery. Read Psalm 139 v 13-16. (Song 31 'Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty!')

Sunday 14 April – ST PAUL'S CATHEDRAL. Designed by Sir Christopher Wren, it is famous for the Whispering Gallery (you can hear whispers 112 feet away). As well as Christopher Wren, Lord Nelson and sculptor Henry Moore are buried there. Some of the films featured at the Cathedral are Sherlock Holmes, Harry Potter and Mary Poppins. Holman Hunt's famous painting 'The Light of the World' can be seen there. Pray for people to have a vision of new life in Christ. Read Matthew 5 v 13-16. (Song 114 'Light of the world')

BOSCOMBE CORPS PROGRAMME

This Week's Programme

Week beginning 8 April 2024	
All Week	BH1 Project – 10.00am to 2.00pm
Monday 8	PramaCARE Memory Lane Group – 2.00pm
Wednesday 10	Retired Officers Fellowship – 12.30pm Midweek Bible Fellowship – 7.00pm
Thursday 11	Friendship Circle – 11.00am (Weather and Umbrellas) Senior Band Practice – 7.45pm
Friday 12	Lunch Club – 10.30am
Sunday 14	Prayer Meeting – 9.45am Majors David and Jane Alton – 11.00am Faith Picnic – SEE PAGE 2

Future Events

April 2024	
Wednesday 17	Alpha Begins – 7.00pm
Sunday 21	Majors David and Jane Alton – 11.00am
Sunday 28	Majors David and Jane Alton – 11.00am
May 2024	
Sunday 5	Majors David and Jane Alton – 11.00am Bible Study – 6.00pm
Friday 10	Fellowship Band Gala Concert – 7.00pm
Sunday 12	<u>Candidates Sunday</u> Majors David and Jane Alton – 11.00am
Saturday 18	Coffee Morning – 10.00am to 12.00pm
Sunday 19	<u>Pentecost Sunday</u> Majors David and Jane Alton -11.00am
Sunday 26	Majors David and Jane Alton -11.00am

**Please join us for tea, coffee and fellowship
in The Sanctuary after the morning meeting**