



# Ramsgate Salvation Army


**Saturday and Sunday 11 & 12 May 2024**

Love God  
Love Others

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  **YouTube**

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## CENTRAL SOUTHERN AREA FELLOWSHIP BAND



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AND LADIES CHORUS (KAREN TODD)**



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## What's happening at Ramsgate Salvation Army?

Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> May	3pm Open Air at the Harbour 7pm Festival
Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	10.00 Prayers 10.30 Sunday Worship 12.30 Shared Lunch 2.30pm Praise Party Monday to Friday (6.30am-9am) Breakfast Drop-in
Monday (9.30 am – 11.30 am)	Little Fishes (Parent & Toddler group) Carl at CTiR ministers' prayer meeting ACES 1pm
Tuesday	Prayer Meeting 9.30am (Upper Room) Food Parcel preparation The Well 10.30 – 12 (Citizens Advice at Hall today.) Light Lunch 12 noon Ukrainian Community Hub 12 noon Bible study 1pm No ZOOM bible study 7pm (8651865167) (Marriage Preparation Classes)
Wednesday (from 11 am)	Friendship club and Lunch club Carl at St Andrews Kids Club Music Lessons Adult Music Practice (7pm)
Thursday	Funeral of Peter Harden 10am Thanet Crematorium Forward Trust Drumming Workshop
Friday	Food Bank Ukrainian Language Class & Choir 1.30pm DofE and School volunteering 4pm Kids Club 5.30 to 7.00pm, Youth Fellowship from 7.30pm
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	Pentecost Sunday



Thanks to the Lord for the flowers.

Birthdays this week

Jetta Crammond	Saturday 11-May
Josette Archer	Monday 13-May
Emma Cashdan	Wednesday 15-May
Den Anderson	Saturday 18-May
Corinne Buck	Saturday 18-May
Libby Davies	Saturday 18-May

We give thanks for the life of Peter Harden who was promoted to Glory last week. His funeral will take place on 16<sup>th</sup> May at 10am. Prayers for Mavis, Nigel and Leah and the family.

For Isobel who has broken her hip after a fall. She is waiting for an operation. We pray especially at this time for Kate and ask you will be the comfort and support she needs.

For Maggie who is recovering at home after breaking toes following a fall. Lord we pray for Ivor who is very unwell and ask that you reveal yourself to him. Lord give him eternal hope. Prayers too for Tracy and the family.

We pray for Richard Sillery (Ken's son) who, whilst recovering well from his broken ankle, has developed heart and vision complications. We pray he will soon receive the appointments he needs.

We uphold Lynda in our prayers as she recovers from her operation.

We pray for Mick, Angela's brother-in-law diagnosed with a tumour. Angela lost her sister, Teresa, Mick's wife, last year.

We continue to pray for Amie (a good friend of Ellie's) and thank you for your healing to her and her unborn child. We pray your protection during the final weeks of pregnancy.

We pray for Marilena.

We continue to uphold Pauline's daughter Karen. We continue our prayers for Pauline's sister Doreen. Be near dear Lord.

For Natasha's mum Debra, and for Nick's father, John. We continue to ask protection and hope for Jess as she has had to move out of area. Meet her needs, Lord.

We pray for Emma. For the treatment she requires and for your protection on her life. For Steven undergoing throat cancer treatment.

We also bring to you Russell's mum as she faces tests for suspected cancer.

We pray for peace across God's words, with particular concern for Ukraine, Gaza and Israel

## **Central Southern Area Fellowship Band and Ladies Chorus**

The Central Southern Area Fellowship band was formed in 1996 following an initiative by Peter Barlow, the band's retired secretary. The inaugural meeting of 20 interested people took place on 1st July of that year followed by another meeting at Maidenhead. It was later in the month, at Tadley, that the founding group played its first notes. In October the band gave its first concert at Reading West corps.

### **Membership**

An unusual feature of the band is that it is made up of bandsmen and bandswomen from corps across multiple Divisions of the UK Territory. Oversight of the band is provided by the Headquarters of the Central South Division. Since the start of the band, all its Executive Officer's have held appointments at that headquarters. The present executive officer retired as Divisional Director for Evangelism in August 2016 and now ministers part time as a lead Chaplain at Heathrow Airport.

The band bases its rules on Salvation Army bandsmen's Regulations. Many members still play in Corps bands whilst others have retired from corps duties. It provides the opportunity for members of small corps bands to play music that cannot be tackled by their own corps band.

### **Leadership**

The band's first bandmaster was Ken Kew, the retired bandmaster at Reading Central and he trained and conducted the band for three years until he handed the baton to his deputy, Brian Cooper from Maidenhead. After a number of years leading the band, Brian was succeeded by Ken Clark, who is the present bandmaster.

### **The Ladies Chorus**

The founding members of the band were all men and none of them had a wife with any banding experience, being from a generation when women did not play brass instruments. However, the wives wanted to be involved and in the spring of 2000 the ladies formed a singing group. They are led by Karen Todd. The chorus meets for rehearsal at the same time as the band and it performs in many of the band's concerts.