

# **The Salvation Army** **BOSCOMBE** Palmerston Road [www.salvationarmy.org.uk/boscombe](http://www.salvationarmy.org.uk/boscombe)

**Sunday 12 July 2026**

**CHILDREN'S CELEBRATION SUNDAY**

**11.00am – Morning Worship led by  
our Young People**



**To KNOW Christ ~ To LIVE Christ ~ To SHARE Christ**



**Welcome to the Salvation Army here at Boscombe. We are so glad you have chosen to be here with us today as we worship together and lift high the Name of Jesus. Each Sunday we hope and pray that you will receive something for your HEART, HEAD**

**and HANDS. Let us explain – something for your HEAD to think about during the week ahead, something for your HEART to be touched and moved by, and something for your HANDS to go away and put into practice, so that our BEING and DOING is lived out in our everyday living as Jesus shows us.**



Friends,

We are so pleased that you've been able to join with us for Worship as we meet TOGETHER in the name of Jesus, our Risen Lord and Saviour, the one who is Emmanuel – God with us!

Today is our Children's Celebration here at Boscombe. We Thank God for all those who help lead our Youth and Children's work and we include the Primary and the Parent and Toddler Group too. We thank God for the life and energy they bring to our fellowship, and we pray that we will do all we can to nurture, help and encourage our children and young people on their life and faith journey. They are precious to us, and they are very precious to God.

The Bible tells us that we are all children of God. We read in 1 John 3 v 1: *'See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God!'* And that is what we are!

Our Celebration today is made extra special because we will share in the enrolment of 3 new Junior Soldiers which is so exciting. God bless Hallie, Leo and Mabel.

Every Sunday is a Celebration Day which goes right back to that first Easter Sunday morning, the Resurrection Day. Every time we gather we meet together in the presence of our Risen Lord and Saviour – that is something worth Celebrating, isn't it?

So, let the Celebration begin as we share in Gods family party as we share in Worship together!

Have a great day and please do stay for refreshments and fellowship afterwards in the SANCTUARY.

KEEP SHINING!  
Love and prayers.

**Mark & Andrea**  
(Corps Officers/Church Leaders)



# CORPS NEWS

## Prayer Requests

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

🌸 Please pray for Marie Sands following a fall, for Lieut-Colonel Doriel Phillips who is far from well, for Joe Rodgers who is currently in hospital and for our Divisional Leaders Majors David and Jane Alton who are facing health concerns for David.

🌸 Please continue to pray for Megan Main, Alison Lowe, Frank Jacob, John Atkins, Graham Lawrence, Bernard Snell and Catherine Collins-Dryer.

🌸 Please continue to pray for all those who are struggling with ill health whether receiving treatment or awaiting tests and procedures. Please be assured of our love and care for you all at this time of concern.

🌸 Please continue to pray for all those who have been bereaved recently.

🌸 Please pray for those who are unable to join us for worship and in particular for our shut-ins and those in Nursing/Care Homes.



## Songs of Praise @ Keyhaven

Our Senior Band will be taking part in an open air *Songs of Praise* service at Keyhaven **TODAY (Sunday 12 July) starting at 4.00pm**. Remember to bring your own chair.

## Holiday at Home

For more information about this year's Holiday at Home event run by PramaLIFE, please see the poster on the noticeboard in the foyer and pick up an application form.



## Boscombe Band at the Bandstand

The Senior Band will be performing at Bournemouth Pinewalk Bandstand on **Friday 17 July from 7.30pm**. Come and show your support as they witness to the people of Bournemouth.

## Saturday Night Quiz

Our next social event is being held on **Saturday 18 July @ 6.30pm**. The entry price is £1 per head. Free tea, coffee and squash. Other refreshments are available for a small charge (cans, crisps, flapjacks etc).

## Message from Major Colin Edwin

Due to a moving delay, my last Sunday will **not** be Sunday 19 July, so you'll have to wait for the cake!!

## Fellowship Walk

Our next Fellowship Walk will take place on **Saturday 1 August @ 10.00am**. Our walk this month will again begin, and end, at Tuckton Tea Gardens (Tuckton Gardens, Wick Lane BH6 4LE) and will be a gentle stroll along the River Stour.

## Corps Diary

The latest edition of the Corps Diary is now available in the foyer.

# **CORPS PROGRAMME**

## **This Week's Programme**

| <b>Week beginning 13 July 2026</b> |                                                                                                            |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Monday to Saturday                 | BH1 Project –<br>10.00am to 2.00pm                                                                         |
| Monday 13                          | PramaLIFE Memory Lane Group – 2.00pm                                                                       |
| Tuesday 14                         | Songster Practice – 7.45pm                                                                                 |
| Thursday 16                        | Friendship Circle (World Snake Day) – 11.00am<br>Band Practice – 7.45pm                                    |
| Friday 17                          | Lunch Club – 10.30am<br>Boscombe Band Concert @ Pinewalk Bandstand,<br>Lower Gardens, Bournemouth – 7.30pm |
| Saturday 18                        | Social Event – Saturday Night Quiz ( <b>SEE PAGE 3</b> )                                                   |
| Sunday 19                          | Prayer Meeting – 9.45am<br>Morning Worship led by Majors Mark and Andrea<br>Sawyer – 11.00am               |

## **Future Events**

| <b>July 2026</b>          |                                                                                               |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Sunday 26                 | Morning Worship led by Majors Mark and Andrea<br>Sawyer – 11.00am                             |
| Tuesday 28                | Bournemouth Area Fellowship Band @ Pinewalk<br>Bandstand, Lower Gardens, Bournemouth – 2.00pm |
| <b>August 2026</b>        |                                                                                               |
| Saturday 1 to<br>Friday 7 | Encounter (Divisional Summer Camp) @ Moorlands<br>College                                     |
| Saturday 1                | Social Event – Fellowship Walk ( <b>SEE PAGE 3</b> )                                          |
| Sunday 2                  | Morning Worship led by Majors Mark and Andrea<br>Sawyer – 11.00am                             |
| Friday 7                  | Holiday at Home ( <b>SEE PAGE 3</b> )                                                         |
| Sunday 9 to<br>Friday 14  | MaM (Divisional Summer Camp) @ Moorlands<br>College                                           |

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

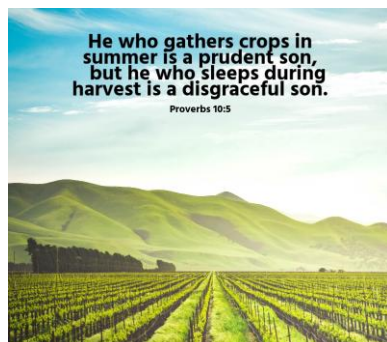
# Prayer Matters

Daily prayer topics compiled especially for friends of Boscombe Corps

***This week I will feature summer spiritual thoughts and prayers.***

**Monday 13 July** – Long warm days ... the pace of life slows. A time for picnics and rest in the shade. Prayer: *Lord, help me to rest awhile in the cooling shade of your presence. Slow down my restless heart and fill me with gentle compassion for all your people. Amen.*

**Tuesday 14 July** – A blessed reminder to rest but not get lazy. Proverbs 10 v 5: 'He who gathers crops in summer is a prudent Son, but he who sleeps during harvest is a disgraceful Son'. Pray for all engaged in making sure we have enough supplies. Help us all to be busy stewards for the Lord.



**Wednesday 15 July** – Long time sun prayer: *May the long time Sun shine upon you all, and all love surround you. May the pure light within you guide your way on. God of the open spaces, God of the windswept sea, Lord of the lofty mountains, I open my heart to Thee. Amen.*

**Thursday 16 July** – Rest is not idleness, and to be sometimes on the grass under trees on a summers day, listening to the murmur of the water, or watching the clouds float across the sky, is by no means a waste of time.

## Song 516 (Verse 2)

Peace, perfect peace, by thronging duties pressed?  
To do the will of Jesus, this is rest.



**Friday 17 July** – May you walk with God this summer whatever you do, wherever you go. Walking with God means walking with honesty and courage and walking with love, respect, and concerns for the feelings of others. Talking with God means praying words of praise for the beauty of creation. Prayer: *May you walk and talk with Him daily. O*

*for a nearer walk with God. Lord, turn my wandering heart to Thee. Help me to live by faith in Him. Who lived and died and rose for me. Amen.*

**Saturday 18 July** – Let us revel in summer. May our feet walk on sandy beaches and our heads rest on thick grass under blue skies. May we listen to and marvel at the singing of the birds. Prayer: *God help us to be present to all that is, so that we might best see all that might be. Amen.*

#### Hymn

I lift my eyes; the cloud grows thin;  
I see the blue above it;  
And day by day this pathway smooths,  
Since first I learned to love it,  
The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart,  
A fountain ever springing;  
All things are mine since I am his—  
How can I keep from singing?

**Sunday 19 July** – Prayer: *Great Spirit, our God our Father, be the centre of our lives today. You fill all the emptiness of space. May the Sun today be a healthy healing warmth for us so we, in turn, may become healers of each others hurts. Amen.*

#### Song 720 (verse 1)

Lord, here today my great need I am feeling  
Wilt thou not visit my soul once again?  
I long to feel thy sweet touch and it's healing  
Wonderful healer, touch me again.

Boscombe Band of The Salvation Army  
invite you to

*Listen to  
the band*

Starts at  
7.30pm

**Live from Bournemouth  
Pinewalk Bandstand on**

**Friday 10 July  
Friday 17 July**



**The Salvation Army**  
**BOSCOMBE**  
Palmerston Road

**We look forward to  
seeing you there!**

ENTRY PRICE  
£1 PER  
PERSON

# Saturday Night Quiz

SATURDAY 18 JULY

6.30PM

QUIZ ~ GAMES ~ FUN

*Refreshments and  
snacks available at a  
reasonable price*

# Heart and Sole!

BOSCOMBE CORPS WALKING FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Meet at 10am at  
Tuckton Tea Gardens  
for a stroll along  
Stour River  
(see map)

**SATURDAY  
1 AUGUST**

