Bromley Temple Corps

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16th June 2019

Welcome to Bromley Temple

Today lain will be leading the morning meeting, with Alison leading tonight's meeting.

This morning we will be considering how doubt can impact our faith and identity as Christian people. We will be focussing on Matthew 3: 13 - 4: 11 where Jesus is tempted in the wilderness. He was led into the wilderness and the three-fold temptation of turning stones into bread, jumping off the Temple and offering false worship is well known Scripture to us all. But before all those temptations, Satan offers Jesus a strike of his identity. 'If you are the Son of God ...'

We've been focussing in recent weeks on 'His Master's Voice' – placing ourselves in the right place and the right circumstances in order to hear him clearly. But here is a reminder – if we need one – that the devil wants to undermine our identity at all times and he will do anything in order to pull us off track in our relationship with God. We often find, after every experience of understanding spiritual truth, a wilderness of contradiction.

This evening, as part of our worship time, Alison will interview Majors Keith and Shona Pike who will share their story with us and bring us a word from Scripture.

Jain and Alison

Majors

This Week

Mon 17 Jun 7.30pm South London Fellowship Band Rehearsal PCC in the Light Cafe 8.00pm Tues 18 Jun The Light Café is open from 10am to 2pm Home League led by Major Alison Hudson 1.30pm Wed 19 Jun The Light Café is open from 10am to 2pm 10.00am Parent and Toddler Group 10.00am Bible Study with Major Jain Hudson No Pilates Thurs 20 Jun The Light Café is open from 10am to 2pm 10.00am Parent and Toddler Group 11.00am **Community Choir** 50+ Fellowship - Cascade Quiz 1.30pm with David and Christine Linton Fri 21 Jun The Light Café is open from 10am to 2pm 9.30am **Prayer Meeting** Connect 6.00pm Connect + 6.30pm Sun 23 Jun 9.55am Meeting led by Major Janet Robson 11.30am Open Air Witness in the High Street Garry Bonner Singers Concert – Free entry 6.00pm

Audio Visual Support

Refreshments	
6.00pm	Major David Lanceley
9.55am	Martin O'Leary and Gemma Traher;
Next Sunday	
9.55am	Katherine Allemand and Gemma Traher
This Sunday	

This week	Lynn Nunn and Jill Richardson
Next week	Lindsay McDougall

Flowers

Roger and Pat Baker celebrate 40 years of marriage today. We thank them for the beautiful flowers in our hall today and wish them health and happiness for today and the future.



Our Warmest Congratulations to ...

Andy & Amy Yates on the birth of **Lucy May** on Wednesday 12th June and weighing in at 7lb 4oz.

Cameron & Jess Main on the birth of **Hallie Erin** on Wednesday 12th June and weighing in at 8lb 3oz.

Special Birthday

Congratulations to Trudy Baxter who will be celebrating her 104th birthday on Friday 21st June.

Thank you

Our thanks to Major Melvyn Ackroyd and Martin O'Leary for being willing to step in to assist while we were on holiday midweek. For those who volunteer week by week in the Light Cafe and also in ministry; also our thanks to those who prepared and ministered in the meetings - Majors Isaac and Anne Siundu, Major Melvyn and Major Brian and Lt Col Bev Slous.

Stamps for the Leprosy Mission

Just a reminder that Mike Traher still collects used stamps, postcards and old/foreign coins for the Leprosy Mission charity. Just leave them in the T or Q pigeon hole. Mike reports that he recently had a thank you letter from the charity for all the stamps we have sent them.

Alastair Gellatly – Trek Cambodia

Alastair will be embarking on 'Trek Cambodia' from 2nd November 2019, trekking for 10 days through small rural villages, rice paddies and jungle with Team Sally Army, all the money raised will benefit the Army's Anti-Trafficking and Modern Slavery work. He would be very grateful if you would sponsor him. Please visit <u>www.justgiving.com/fundraising/alastair-gellatly1</u> or use the sponsorship form available in the foyer. Thank you. Alastair Gellatly.

Top of the Pew

The Bromley Corps team will be playing the Latter Day Saints team at their Orpington Church tonight at 8pm

Your prayers please

Please continue to support friends and members of the Corps who need our prayer and practical care:

Ruth Gbedemah – Ruth is still a patient in the City Ward at St. Christopher's Hospice, Sydenham and is undergoing various tests and procedures there. Ruth still does not feel able to accept visitors but regular contact is being kept with her through the staff there. A message card from you would mean a lot to her.

Alan Williams – Alan's father, Major Keith Williams, is seriously ill. Do please keep Major Keith and the family in your prayers.

Major Gill Johnson has made good progress this week but still has a little way to go. Your supportive love and prayers and encouraging messages are a big support.

Colonel David Guy who returned home from hospital earlier in the week and is making good progress.

Darren Quigley – There has been some contact with Darren during the week but he is still not in a state of mind where he is prepared to receive help. Your continued prayers please for Darren and others who sleep rough in Bromley along with those who seek to help them.

Majors David & Diane Kinsley – Your continued prayers please for Majors David and Diane as they prepare for their new roles in the Taiwan Region where David will assume the role of Regional Commander whilst Major Diane will take up the role of Regional President for Women's Ministries. Their appointment will be effective from 1st September.

Gail Stewart (nèe Wheaton) We are sorry to inform you that Gail passed away on Saturday 1st June. Most will be aware that her husband, Andy was Promoted to Glory a few months ago. Gail's funeral will take place on Friday 21st June, details are as follows:

Committal - 1:20pm at Bradwell Crematorium.

Thanksgiving – 2:00pm Tunstall SA Hall

Messages can be sent to Andy's son, Eric at 124, Stewart Street, Crewe, Cheshire, CW2 8LY

Lt. Colonel Gustave Allemand has injured his foot whilst working at his desk at home. He thought it was just a bruise, but an X-ray has revealed he has fractured a bone.

Please email all information for the next newsletter to k.y.allemand@gmail.com by 11am on Thursday