# **Bromley Salvation Army**

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# Sunday 19th January

Welcome to worship on this special Sunday where a number of church ministers/leaders in Bromley are exchanging pulpits as part of the week of prayer for Christian unity.

Tonight our band will be joining in a united service held in Bromley Methodist Church for that celebration. Please note that refreshments will be being served from 5.30pm with the united service commencing at 6.30pm. The car park will likely be busy.

This morning Major Alison will be leading and speaking at Bromley United Reformed Church in Widmore Road.

Major lain will be hosting Rev Karen George, Bromley Methodist Minister. Our theme for this morning will be discipleship in word and action with the Biblical focus being the calling of the first disciples as recorded in Matthew 4: 12-23. We welcome Rev Karen George and thank her in anticipation of the message she will bring.

May God speak to each of us in these meetings.

Pain and alison

Please email all information for the next newsletter to Katherine at <a href="mailto:k.y.allemand@gmail.com">k.y.allemand@gmail.com</a> by 11am on Thursday.

# **Weekly Activities**

### **Monday**

8.00pm Missional Journal Meeting (in the Light Café)

# **Tuesday**

**1.30pm** Home League led by Major Iain Hudson 'A Twist in the Tale'

## Wednesday

10.00am Toddlers

10.00am Bible Study led by Col. Derek Elvin

7.00pm Pilates

## **Thursday**

10.00am Toddlers

11.00am Community choir

**1.30pm** 50+ Fellowship – 'Miles of Smiles' led by Major Sharron Lanceley

# **Friday**

9.30am Prayer Fellowship

6.00/6.30pm CONNECT/CONNECT+

## **Next Sunday 26 Jan**

9.55am Morning Worship led by Major Iain Hudson

**6.00pm** Commencement of the Sunday Evening Monthly

House Groups held at the hall. (See Notices for more details)

# Giving for Sunday 12th January:

Cartridge envelopes £3,116.00 Collections £263.97

We thank Melvyn and Betty Ackroyd for the flowers on the Holiness table today which are given as they celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Friday 24th January.

## **Notices**

## Your prayers please

We continue to remember in prayer: Ron and Rosemary Lawrence, Alice Gibson. Major Kath Crichton has now moved into Glebe Court.

## **Congratulations**

This coming Friday (24<sup>th</sup>) Majors Melvyn and Betty Ackroyd celebrate 50 years of marriage and we extend our congratulations to them on arriving at this special anniversary.

#### **Divisional Spring Tea Party**

We have been asked to highlight to Home League members/ Over 50 Members / Community Choir /Corps members and friends that are available, to come and share in this gathering at Croydon Corps on Thursday 19th March.

Guests are invited to arrive for 10.30am and share refreshments, the day will conclude by 3pm. The cost of the day will be £4, this will include the provision of 'tea'. A collection will be taken towards the Helping Hand Appeal.

The theme for this year is STARS, and we are asking that every Corps seeks to provide a 'star' who could contribute to the event. This may be a soloists, someone to read poetry, a singing group, a choir, someone who could share their testimony, sharing something about what they do within the Corps or the Community, even some other special talent! Please see Major Chris Sebbage with your name (or if a group i.e. Crafternoon, Community Choir, Home League, the number of tickets required) by Sunday 2 February followed by £4 later on.

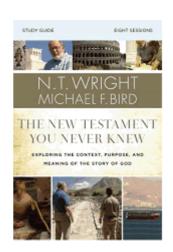
## **Sunday Evening Monthly House Groups 2020**

We commence next Sunday evening at the hall. There will be sign up sheets for various house groups that will be running throughout the year using the resource 'The New Testament You Never Knew'

This is a DVD based teaching resource with study guide and covers 8 topics, taken over 8 months – 26 Jan (at the hall), 16 Feb, 22 Mar, 26 Apr, 17 May, 28 Jun, 27 Sep, 25 Oct.

Topics include: - the Books of the New Testament (next Sunday evening); the World of Jesus; the Life and Death of Jesus; the Resurrection of Jesus; the Ministry of Paul; the Early Church; the

Mission of the Church; and the Creation of the New Testament.



These have a 4 pronged benefit: - to gain knowledge, to experience life transformation, to grow in relationship with others and to apply what you learn to your life.

We will be planning for geographic based homes to host and where these groups are full, plan to introduce new venues. We will of course offer a group on every occasion at the hall. Please mark these Sundays in your diaries and we look forward to seeing you next Sunday evening at the hall for our first session together.

#### **Uniforms** needed

The students at the senior school that I work at are working really hard for their coming production of 'Guys and Dolls' but they are in need of some authentic costumes. Do you have any bonnets, caps or stand up tunics (men and women's) and possibly a general's tunic that they could borrow? They are looking for 6 male uniforms and 6 female uniforms and they will be very well looked after! If you can help in anyway or know anyone that can please let me know. Thanks in anticipation from Katie Miles

# Cartridge-Giving by Envelope or Standing Order, and 'Gift Aid' Benefit to Corps.

We are now working on any changes necessary to cartridge-giving to take effect from April. Please advise the Corps Treasurer, by the end of January, of any changes you require, as follows:

- a) A change from envelopes to Standing Order.
- b) Making your giving "Gift Aided" if not already doing so. The Corps would benefit by an additional 25% given by H.M.R.C.
- c) If you are new to the Corps, and would like to give regularly, please advise.
- d) If you no longer require cartridge envelopes, for whatever reason, please advise.
- e) If you want to change the amount given by Standing Order, please contact your bank directly.

Thank you for your continued support of Bromley Corps.

(You may write to the Corps Treasurer by e.mail to "gustave.allemand@gmail.com").

