

## Flowers

We say thank you for the flowers on the Altar Table today.

## Refreshments

Our host today is Liz Laidlaw

Next week's hosts are Jacky Porter and Mary Elvin

## Technical Support

This Week – am Brent Forrest pm David Lanceley

Next week – am Martin O'Leary pm David Lanceley

## Offering – 26<sup>th</sup> January

Cartridges £1,327.25 Collections £168.87

Standing Orders for January £3,395.00

Thank you for supporting the Lord's work in this way.

## Self Denial Appeal:

Your Self Denial material is awaiting you in the foyer. If you are new to our congregation or your name does not appear, please take a spare S.D. envelope and letter from the C.O. The Altar Service is on Sunday 2nd March. Thank you.

## Congratulations!

We would like to congratulate David & Christine Linton on the arrival of a new baby grandson – Edward. Also, congratulations to Jenny Sale on the birth of a great grandson – Louie!

Sainsbury's



Support your local school

This year's Sainsbury's Active Kids Voucher scheme commenced this week. Please may I request that if you shop in Sainsbury's that you collect the vouchers from now until May for my pre-school. These vouchers are redeemed for resources that we would otherwise be unable to afford. Thank you,  
Barbara Little.

## Home League Members

Please note that the Annual Home League Dinner will take place on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> February at 1pm (half an hour earlier than the usual meeting time). There is a booking fee of 50p so we know how many to cater for.

Please email all information for this newsletter to  
Major Gillian Johnson  
by 11am on Thursday



## Bromley Temple Corps

### Corps Leaders

Major Brian Slinn MA

Major Liv Raegevik-Slinn



### Associate Officer

Major Gill Johnson

Corps Website: [www.bromleytemple.org](http://www.bromleytemple.org)

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2<sup>nd</sup> February 2014

Welcome to The Salvation Army, Bromley Temple. If this is your first visit please make yourself known to the Welcome Team.

This morning we launch the Self Denial Missionary Appeal and our worship will be led by Major Brian Slinn. The title is 'Giving like Jesus' and we will consider Matthew 25:31-46.

This evening Major Liv Raegevik-Slinn will lead our worship under the heading 'Waiting invested, not wasted' and we will look at Acts 17:16-34. Major Dean Pallant will also be sharing with us about his visit to the Philippines.

You will be interested to know that Majors Brian & Liv will be taking up new appointments in the North Scotland Division from 24<sup>th</sup> July 2014. Brian will be Divisional Commander and Liv Divisional Director of Women's Ministries and Divisional Director for Personnel (Officers). In connection with this, they will be away at a Conference from Monday to Thursday this week.

If there are parents with young children in our meeting, we would like you to know there is a facility for you to take them into The Light and still be linked with the meeting by the screen in there. We are hoping that in the near future it will be possible to start a Crèche again.

Our Mission is

**TO KNOW JESUS AND TO MAKE HIM KNOWN**

by Evangelism, Ministry, Discipleship, Worship and Fellowship

## **Programme for today: Launch of the S.D.Missionary Appeal**

9:55am Morning Worship led by Major Brian Slinn  
6:00pm Evening Worship led by Liv Raegevik-Slinn  
8:00pm Swongsters at the Hall

### **During this Week:**

**Monday** The Light open 10am – 2pm

**Tuesday** The Light open 10am – 2pm  
10:00am Parent and Toddler Group  
1:30pm Home League – Major Linda Herbert

**Wednesday** The Light open 10am – 2pm  
10:00am Parent and Toddler Group  
10:00am Bible Study – Commissioner Margaret Sutherland  
7:30pm Bromley Bookworms will meet at 325 Ralph Perring Court,  
Stone Park Avenue, Beckenham.

**Thursday** The Light open 10am – 2pm  
1:30pm 50+ Fellowship – Major Iona Rainer  
‘We simply remember our FAVOURITE THINGS!’

**Friday**  
3:00pm Anniversary Tea for volunteers who work in The Light  
6:30pm Kid’s Alive!

**Saturday** 9:00am NCD Training (see next page)

### **Next Sunday:**

9:55am Morning worship led by Major Brian Slinn  
6:00pm ‘A Gowans and Larsson Evening’ (see box below)  
8:00pm Youth Fellowship - venue to be confirmed

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> February at 6pm  
**A GOWANS AND LARSSON EVENING**  
with songs, music and poetry  
Guest reader: Commissioner Norman Howe  
Leader: General John Larsson (Ret.)

### **Soldiership Classes**

After the meeting this morning (at 11.30 am - 12.30 pm) Major Julie Forrest will be continuing a course of Soldiership classes for people interested in looking at soldiership/adherent membership. If you would like to know more about this course please email her –

## **Natural Church Development SATURDAY 8<sup>th</sup> February 9am**

Where are we going? What will we look like in 5 years?  
What are the leadership challenges? How do we fit into the Town Plan?  
What is a total Corps Concept?

All questions that are being asked for the future of Bromley Corps - but the fundamental question is ‘*What are we here for and what is our mission?*’ A challenging question and for everyone asked a different answer will be given.

The Corps needs leaders in certain areas, the Corps needs vision, the Corps needs a clear strategy – unfortunately these are not tangible and not seen.

You will all be aware that we had a Mission Development Day with our own DDE before Christmas, very good thoughts and challenges were offered. We now need to take that a step further, before writing our strategy for the Corps we need to dig a little deeper.

Therefore, on the 8th February we will be holding a Natural Church Development (NCD) Information Day from 9am to 12:30pm – a further look at who & what we are and where we should be placing some of our resources and setting the mission of the Corps.

This NCD morning is crucial in looking at the future of the Corps – what are our strengths and how we utilise them, what are our weaknesses and how we turn them to opportunities, what is our passion that motivates us?

The future of the Corps needs your input, the present of the Corps needs your input - please give time to review, reflect and comment on our Corps. If you cannot make this particular morning please do write to me, or a note left in my pigeon hole.

If you are intending to come on the 8<sup>th</sup> please do let me know for catering purposes.



(Ian Payne – Corps Mission Secretary)