



Bromley Temple Corps

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4th September 2016

Welcome to Bromley Temple on this Back to School/Work Sunday.

Today, as we gather for worship and service, our thoughts will be centred on the Book of Daniel. We will be asking two questions: will God always rescue us? and, will God always forgive us? This morning's family service we will read Daniel 6:1-28, the well known and loved story of Daniel and the lions. This evening's Cafe Church meeting will look at Daniel 9:1-19, Daniel's prayer of national repentance, and our shared need for God's forgiveness.

As we share together in worship today, may we each one become aware of God's grace and mercy. That he loves us deeply, and he rescues and forgives. He is a great and holy God. He doesn't, though, turn a blind eye to our sinfulness, for it cost him dearly. The eternal Son of God, sent to death on a wooden cross, 'carried the burden of our sins' (1 Peter 2:24). In receiving his forgiveness, God looks into our hearts for the deep repentant sorrow of which David wrote in Psalm 51.

*Times without number I have prayed
'This only once forgive';
Relapsing, when thy hand was stayed,
And suffered me to live:-*

*Yet now the kingdom of thy peace,
Lord, to my heart restore;
Forgive my vain repentances,
And bid me sin no more.*

(Charles Wesley)

This Week

Monday The Light open 10am – 2pm

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10:30am Bible Study Group in Community Hall – ‘Caleb’
1:30pm Home League – ‘A Pocket full of Miracles’
Commissioner Rosemarie Fullarton

Wednesday The Light open 10am – 2pm
No Parent and Toddler Group (restarts 14th September)
10:00am Bible Study – Lt. Colonel Kirsten Owen
7:30pm Bromley Bookworms will meet at 8 Embassy Gardens,
Blakeney Road, Beckenham BR3 1HE.

Thursday The Light open 10am – 2pm
No Parent and Toddler Group (restarts 15th September)
11:00am Christian Community Choir
1:30pm 50+ Fellowship – ‘50+ Has Got Talent!’

Next Sunday

The meeting at 9:55am will be led by our Corps Officers, Lt. Colonels Graham & Kirsten Owen. Our evening meeting will include an insight into the International Staff Songsters Tour of Kenya – brought to us by their leader, Dorothy Nancekievill.

Monthly Prayer Fellowship

The next Monthly Prayer Fellowship at the home of Chris Webb will be on Monday 12th September at 8pm.

Bromley SA Ramblers

Downe (West) Walk - Saturday 17th September

Mike Harris [contact details in paper copy]

Address: Park in central Downe village and we'll meet at the junction of Luxted Road and the High Street Downe – post code: BR6 7US (village centre).

Walk begins: 10:30am and is roughly 3 miles in length. Directions: head for the centre of Downe, Kent, next to St Mary Magdalene Church.

Offering – 28th August 2016

Cartridges: £1,103.00 Collections: £396.55

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

Flowers

We say thank you to Nick Turpin for the flowers on the Holiness Table today.

Technical support

This Week: am Alex Pringle pm David Lanceley

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Refreshments

This week's hosts are Mark & Alison Norwood

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Words of Life

The 'Words of Life' devotional booklet covering September to December 2016 is about The Art of Prayer. We have three spare copies in the office (priced £3 each). If you would like one please see Major Gill.

Corps Family

We congratulate **Colonel Barbara Johnson** who celebrates her 80th Birthday on Wednesday 7th September!

We have been sorry that **Major Trevor Gibson** has been unable to attend meetings in recent months because of health problems. However, we want to congratulate him on his retirement from active officership this week – and we send our best wishes for improved health in the future.

Please remember the following people in your prayers:

Tony Sale is still in the PRUH.

Tristan Lanceley is home following his surgery

Sheila Mitchell

It is with great sadness that we learnt that Sheila Mitchell was promoted to glory on Wednesday morning last week. Please uphold all the members of the family in your prayers at this time. The funeral will be on Friday 23rd September – 3:30pm at Kemnal Park Crematorium (Sidcup By-Pass, Chislehurst, BR7 6RR) followed by refreshments at the Hall and a Thanksgiving Service at 6pm.

Monthly Prayer Slot

'Let the morning bring me word of your unfailing love,
for I have put my trust in you. Show me the way I
should go, for to you I entrust my life.

Psalm 143:8



DO YOU WANT TO SING?

**The Bromley Christian Community Choir
begins its new season
of rehearsals on:**

Thursday 8th September –

11.00am until 12.15pm

**At The Salvation Army, Ethelbert Road,
Bromley**



**Further information phone: John Smith
[contact details in paper copy]**

Everyone welcome!

See you there!