

Bromley Temple Corps

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18th December 2016

Welcome to Bromley Temple, a fellowship of believers who are seeking to know Jesus better, and to make Him better known. Today is the fourth Sunday in Advent, and this morning we continue with our theme: **From Heaven You Came - CHRISTMAS SOON TO COME.** Our text this morning is Luke 2:8-20, the well known story of the shepherds. Their obedient response to the message they received was, in a sense, a mirror of the obedience found in the One they found themselves kneeling before in awe and worship: *"He became as human beings are; and being in every way like a human being, he was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross."* Phil. 2:7. Alfred, Lord Tennyson once wrote: "Obedience is the courtesy due to kings." So, as we gather to worship today, we bow down ourselves, and worship Jesus: Lord of Lords, and King of Kings.

This evening we meet for our Corps Carol Service at 6pm. We've called it **N is for Christmas!** So bring a lantern, a candle or a tealight, and let us worship simply and humbly as we prepare ourselves for Christmas Day.

Have a good day at the Army!

Our Mission is
TO KNOW JESUS AND TO MAKE HIM KNOWN
by Evangelism, Ministry, Discipleship, Worship and Fellowship

This Week

- Monday** 7pm 'Baubles & Warbles' (see next page)
- Tuesday** No Home League (restarts 3rd January)
- Wednesday** No Parent and Toddler Group (restarts 11th January)
No Bible Study (restarts 11th January)
- Thursday** No Parent and Toddler Group (restarts 12th January)
No Christian Community Choir (restarts 5th January)
No 50+ Fellowship – (restarts 5th January)
- Saturday** 10:30am – 12:30pm Carolling in the High Street

Next Sunday – Christmas Day!

Worship will be led by our Corps Officers, Lt. Colonels Graham & Kirsten Owen at 10:30am

New Year's Day

The meeting will be led by our Corps Officers, Lt. Colonels Graham & Kirsten Owen at 10:30am.

Please Note:

The Light will reopen to the public on Monday 9th January 2017.

Major Sharron Lanceley

I am pleased to be able to inform the corps that as from 1st January 2017, Major Sharron Lanceley will be taking up a post as Corps Assistant here at Bromley. She will assist with pastoral care and visitation, Parents and Toddlers, Home League, in The Light and other duties as requested by the CO. Sharron will also continue with her War Cry ministry in the pubs and on the High Street.

Monthly Prayer Fellowship at the home of Chris Webb

Please note that the next date that this group will meet is Monday 9th January 2017.

Technical support

This Week: am Katherine Allemand David Lanceley

Next Week: am David Lanceley

Refreshments

This week's host is Vanessa O'Leary

Offering – 11th December 2016

Cartridges: £1,208.10

Collections: £232.40

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

Corps Family

Please remember the following people in your prayers:

Major Barbara Webb is still in hospital

Tracy Pugh is in Guys Hospital

Millie Williams was admitted to the PRUH this week

Betty White

Major Angela Irving is planning a surprise visit to Betty White at Dewdown House Care Home on Christmas Eve. If anyone has anything they would like Angela to take, please let her have it

TODAY! Thank You.

Christmas Greetings Board



Seasons Greetings

This is in the foyer. Cards are available at £5 each from Diane Jones or Bev Hunt. As in previous years, the proceeds will go to The Salvation Army's 'Carehaven Women and Children's Refuge' in Cape Town, South Africa.

Baubles & Warbles 2016 - Bromley Salvation Army

Monday 19th December - 7pm. Tickets are available online or from Rosemary Harris priced £10. Half of your ticket money will go towards The Salvation Army's Youth Project.

New Year Walk – Monday 2nd January 2017

Downe (West) Walk – approximately 3 miles

Walk begins: 10:30am

Directions: Park in central Downe village and we'll meet at the junction of Luxted Road and the High Street, Downe – post code: BR6 7US

Further Details: contact Mike Harris [contact details in paper copy]



GOD *WITH* US!