

Bromley Temple Corps

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Welcome to Bromley Temple Corps, where today we are thinking about going back to school and to work. Whilst the weather hasn't been great, for many the summer has given us opportunity to have a break - either at home, in this country or abroad - and the thought of returning to work, school or college can be a little daunting. Radio 4 suggested this week that going back to work can be good for you, and gave us eight reasons why. These include: adrenaline makes us feel great, being at work gives us fewer opportunities to spend, we feel re-energized, and every day at work brings you closer to your next holiday! There are some things there you may, or may not agree with.

This morning Kirsten will be leading our thoughts around the theme of 'Back to School - with God. Be wise.' We will explore the story of Solomon in 1 Kings 3:1-16. This evening we'll be thinking about building bridges - in our places of work, or wherever we find ourselves - using Matthew 28:16-20 as our Bible base.

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

Tuesday The Light open 10am to 2pm
1:30pm Home League – 'Lt Col. Maurice Cooper on the Piano'

Wednesday The Light open 10am to 2pm
10:00am Parent and Toddler Group
10:00am Bible Study – Martin Nunn
7:00pm Pilates

Thursday The Light open 10am to 2pm
10:00am Parent and Toddler Group
11:00am Christian Community Choir
1:30pm 50+ Fellowship 'All set for the Autumn'
 Lt Cols Graham & Kirsten Owen

Friday The Light open 10am to 2pm

Next Sunday

Our worship at 9:55am will be led by our Corps Officers, Lt Cols Graham & Kirsten Owen. There will be no evening meeting in our Hall, but everyone is invited to Croydon Citadel at 5:30pm for the Divisional Celebration (see next page).

Flowers

We say thank you for the flowers on the holiness table today.

Technical support

This Week: am Freda Larsson pm David Lanceley

Next Week: am Alex Pringle

Refreshments

This week's hosts are Mike & Arnya Traher

Next week's hosts are Diane & Peter Jones

Corps Family

Commissioner Rosemarie Fullarton is recovering at home following her recent surgery

Major Isaac Adair is home but awaiting further treatment

Major Maureen Kew is in Green Parks House

Please remember our friends in your prayers.

Promoted to Glory

It is with great sadness that we share the news that Winnie Turner was promoted to glory on Tuesday this week. We will communicate details of the funeral as soon as they are confirmed. Please remember the family in your prayers during these difficult days. Ralph & Anita want to say thank you for all the love & support they have received from the corps family - especially in recent weeks.

Funeral – Raymond Harrison

This will take place at Beckenham Crematorium on Wednesday 20th September at 2.15pm and will be followed by refreshments back at the Hall. Please continue to hold Nesta in your prayers during this time.

Forthcoming Events:

9th – 23rd September – The Big Collection 2017. Due to health concerns Mike Reid will not be able to coordinate this – so please see Gill Johnson if you have any queries.

Sunday 10th September – Divisional Celebration including the welcome to our new Divisional Commander, Major Val Mylechreest, and the Candidates Farewell. This will be at 5:30pm at Croydon Citadel and Bromley Songsters will be on duty.

Sunday 17th September – Instead of our normal evening meeting, we will join the Band at Bromley & Sheppard's Colleges for 'Songs of Praise' on the Quad at 4pm.

Monday 18th September - 8pm PCC & Corps Council Meeting

Sunday 8th October – Harvest Sunday led by Majors Brian & Liv Slinn

14th/15th October – Songsters return visit to Nottingham WBMH

18th/19th November – Visit of the International Staff Songsters

Sunday 26th November – Adult & Family Ministries Sunday led by Majors John & Lorna Smith



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The Great North Run

On the 10th September Andrew Yates will be running the Great North Run and is hoping to raise funds for Parkinsons UK in doing so. If you are able to sponsor him could you please see him or visit <https://www.justgiving.com/Andrew-Yates11>



St Mary's Church

Presents:



A Programme of Brass and Vocal Music.
Prepared especially for our Sunday afternoon
concerts

Sunday 3rd September, 3 to 5 pm

**St Mary's Church
High Street, St Mary Cray**

ENTRANCE £7.00, children free!

Free light refreshments available during intermission

St Mary's Church in St Mary Cray are trying to reach out into the local community as well as raise funds for their own work - and 'Temple Brass 7' are happy to support this. Tickets will be available at the door.

CONNECT Children's Club

From September we will be starting up a Friday evening children's club called 'Connect' for children in the corps and the wider community. If you are able to help in any way, please contact Josh Hunt [email in paper copy] as we need support from all areas of the corps to make this a real success! We would particularly value your prayers for this new venture.