

Focus on Programme

Monday 26th June	12:00 Luncheon Club 14:00 Silver Service (Over 55's) Club
Tuesday 27th June	10:00 Parent & Toddler Group. 20:00 Camera Club – 'Images of the Outing Competition'
Wednesday 28th June	11:00 Prayer meeting led by Major David Woodman 14:00 Home League 20:15 Songster rehearsal
Thursday 29th June	14:00 Ladies fellowship 17:30 Little Voices 18:00 Singing Company rehearsal 19:00 Young People's band rehearsal 19:00 Bible Study 20:15 Senior Band rehearsal
Friday 30th June	10:00 Parent & Toddler Group.
Saturday 1st July	10:00 Coffee Morning
Sunday 2nd July	09:20 Prayer meeting led by Major Margaret Stewart 10:00 Morning Worship led by Major David Woodman 18:00 Evening Worship Evening Worship – Farewell of Major David Woodman

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Hadleigh Temple Corps

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our weekly newsletter.

Sunday 25th June 2017

10am & 6pm

Our Worship Meetings led by Major David Woodman

“Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing”

(1 Thessalonians 5:11)

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Focus on People

Thank you for the flowers

The flowers today have been given by Shelly Carter and Ruth Chestney. Thank you both for your kind gift of flowers. Our flowers next week will be given by Margaret West.

Anyone for coffee?

Coffee and tea following this morning's meeting will be provided by Hilary & John Houlding and this evening by Norma Paul and Avril Bird. Next Sunday morning our coffee and tea will be provided by Kath Jacob and Jenny Levey and in the evening by Julia & Maurice Winbolt.

Hadleigh Temple Counselling Service: Joanne Poole (MBACP Registered) can provide a listening ear at Hadleigh Temple on Mondays; this service is for our congregation only. To make an appointment please phone Joanne on 07877 717982.

Fellowship Meeting – Sunday 25th June - TODAY

The leadership team has an ongoing commitment to ensure that our Corps continues to flourish during the period when we will be without Officer Leadership. Following our morning meeting on Sunday 25th June at 11.30am there will be an opportunity for everyone to meet so that further information can be shared about the plans for our Corps during the coming year. This will be a follow-up meeting to the one held on 28th April. Please make a note of this important meeting in your diaries.

Quiz Night – Friday 30th June

The Band and Songsters invite you to a 'Delicious Desserts Quiz Night'. Tickets are available from Sue Loftus and Louise Cowie at a cost of £4 per person in advance, or £5 on the night. All proceeds will go towards the Salvation Army's Big Collection to help care for people who are vulnerable or in need. Your ticket will include a generous portion of delicious desserts as well as an evening full of tantalising quiz rounds in good company. (Please note that there will be some diabetic-friendly

So long, farewell.....

The weeks and months are swiftly passing us by and we shall soon be preparing for the farewell of our Corps leader, Major David, from Hadleigh Temple. David's final day with us is next Sunday and during the evening meeting we will be celebrating David's ministry at Hadleigh Temple over the last six years. Please make a note of these dates in your diary and be prepared to come along and give our fine leader a farewell he will not forget.

Bereavement Counselling

We are pleased to tell you that we are once again able to offer a bereavement counselling service here in Hadleigh. The service will help people cope with grief and the death of loved ones, or with major life changes that trigger feelings of grief. If you feel that you need to use this service then please contact Envoy Janet Annan on 01702 473076.

Focus on Prayer

Our Corps Prayer Subject for this week: We reflect again on the terrible events of recent weeks; terrorist attacks at Westminster; Manchester Arena; London Bridge; the horrific fire at Grenfell Tower, and the Finsbury Park Mosque. We pray that God will bring healing, provision, peace, unity and comfort to those who suffer.

Those linked to our fellowship who especially need our personal intercessory prayers this week:

Marjorie Kimberley	John Skeet	Doris Wyatt
Ted Cockerton	Major Joan Stubbington	Rae Chapman
Betty & Arthur Oliver	Yvonne Thorn	Ruby Edwards
Major Alice Graham	Jecelda Allen	Jane Sanders
Major Audrey Whitehead	Don Watson	Betty Cannon
Major Brian Stubbington	Lily & Bill Webb	Greet Gadsden
Kath Hart	Major Berta Draper	Becky Hicks
Sheila Edwards	Trevor Thorn	Mildred Watson
Connie Felstead	Hilda Monk	Desiree King
Sue Loftus	Conner Purchase	Doreen Cox
Betty Stripp	Audrey Harrison	Colin Nightingale
Colonels David & Doriel Phillips	Vera Oakes	Michael Lamberti

Happy Holidays

Kingsley Amis, the English novelist, poet and critic and Johnny Rotten, the famous punk rocker and probably two of Britain's grumpiest men, had at least one thing in common, they both hated going on holiday. Of foreign travel, Amis once said that he wouldn't mind it if he could come back the same day. Rotten was more succinct: "I don't want a holiday in the sun," he sang. The fact is a lot of people do not enjoy holidays as they can be stressful and disappointing. From a personal perspective, I am a person who takes a few days to unwind before I fully appreciate the benefits of a break from normality. We are now coming to that time of year when over the coming weeks many of us will be taking our holidays and travelling far and wide. So enjoy your holidays everyone and remember the Bible speaks quite highly of taking a rest. It is in fact a repetitive theme throughout Scripture, beginning with the creation week. God created for six days; then He rested, not because He was tired, but to set the standard for mankind to follow. The Ten Commandments made resting on the Sabbath a requirement of the Law. Notice that God said, "Remember the Sabbath." It wasn't something new; it had been around since creation. All God's people were to have one day in seven to rest. The command to rest was not an excuse to be lazy. You had to work for six days to get to the Sabbath. God is very serious about rest and encourages us to rest in him and I trust as we look forward to our rest and relaxation that we can say with the Psalmist "Yes, my soul, find rest in God; my hope comes from him." (Psalm 62:v5) (WJ)