

Thought:

Like it or loath it, fireworks will whizz, pop and bang through our neighbourhood in the coming week.

Children and many adults will enjoy the atmosphere, the colours and sounds whereas others will draw the curtains and hide away.

It may be that those with pet animals will be turning up the radio or television and drawing the curtains to keep out as much of the celebration as possible.

Whatever you think of bonfire night it cannot be denied that dark skies are lit up with very bright colours and there is a sense of celebration all around.

This Bonfire night why not shine your light on your neighbourhood by praying that God's light will shine on your neighbours. You may not know many people around you but you can pray for them.

You could use this prayer..

As bright fireworks light up the sky we are reminded that you, Lord, are the true light in this dark world.

Thank you that your light shines brightly and no darkness will ever put it out. So we pray for our family, friends and neighbours that your light will illuminate their lives.

May that light shine brightly in the lives and homes of all those that we know and for those we don't know.

May we shine our light in the streets where we live. Amen.



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Youth News

On Sunday 20th October, some of our youth went to the Salvation Army Training College in London for YOUTH COUNCILS. They report that they had they all had a lovely time for which we are so thankful.

We heard this morning that there were over 200 Young People in attendance, which is an incredible number sharing their time together.

Lynette would like to thank everyone for your prayers for her group and to ask that you continue to keep them all in your prayers as they move onwards. We also want to thank those younger children within our Corps for all they, and their leaders contribute to our Corps family.

As we continue to grow bigger and stronger, please continue to pray for the leaders who

work tirelessly to ensure our Young People come to love God and serve within Hove Corps.



Our Food Bank opens each Friday to help those who have been identified as needing extra help with food in these times of high prices.

During the year we rely on the kindness of businesses and individuals. If you could help boost the shelves of our food bank we would be happy to receive specific items from the list below. Please make sure your gifts of food are well within date.

Items can be dropped off any time the hall is open.



DIARY

Sunday 3rd – Meeting led by Major Mandy followed by a Prayer Lunch Sunday 10th – All-Age Service Sunday 17th – Meeting led by Major Mandy Tuesday 19th – Last evening B/Study of 2024

Thursday 21st – Last morning B/Study of 2024

Sunday 24 – Meeting led by Major Mandy followed by Prayer Lunch and Divisional Youth Cell at Staines Saturday 30th – Christmas Quiz Night - see details below.



COMING UP!

Future Dates: 1st December – Toy Service 22nd December – Carol Service and Christmas Lunch



Our Christmas Quiz Night is going to be held in our Hall. On 30th November. £3 per adult and children are free.

This will be a really fun night so do come along at 7pm for a great Pre-Christmas evening.

