**Ramsgate Salvation Army**

**22nd and 29th December 2024**

A warm welcome as we gather as the family of God today,

especially if you are not normally with us on a Sunday.

May we all feel the welcome of God and each other.

**We meet at The Salvation Army Hall Sunday 10.30 am.**

**Also Sunday worship** is livestreamed on

You can find a link on the Ramsgate Salvation Army Web page.

[www.salvationarmy.org.uk/ramsgate](http://www.salvationarmy.org.uk/ramsgate)



The love of Christ at Christmas

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**What’s happening this week at Ramsgate Salvation Army?**

Sunday 22nd December Prayers (10.00am)

 4th Sunday in Advent Love for ALL (10.30)

 Children and Youth Church (11.00am)

Coffee Fellowship (11.45)

**Pantomime 2.30pm**

**Carols at Ellington Park 6pm**

**Many of our activities are suspended over the Christmas and New year holiday.**

Monday to Friday Breakfast Drop-in (6.30am-9am)

Monday 23rd  Present Appeal –Referral agencies (9.30am -2pm)

Tuesday 24th Christmas Day Preparation (9.00 – 1pm)

Wednesday 25th Christmas Day Praise (10am)

 Christmas Day Dinner (12.30)

 Guests arrive from 11.30

Sunday 29 December On-line service . **No meeting at the hall**.

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Friday 3rd January Food Bank (10 am to 12 noon)

Sunday 5th January Prayers (10.00am)

 New Year Worship (10.30am)

 No Children and Youth Church (11.00am)

Wednesday 8th January Lunch Club (11.00am)

Kids Club Music Lessons (5.30pm)

Friday 10th January Food Bank (10 am to 12 noon)

Sunday 12th January Commitment Sunday

 Children and Youth Church (11.00am)

All other activities start week commencing 13 January.

**Birthdays:**

**Jo Harrington Monday 23-Dec**

**Angela Miller Saturday 28-Dec**

**Paul Letts Sunday 29-Dec**

**Hazel Toms Thursday 2nd Jan 2025**

Flowers: With thanks to our bounteous God.

**16Rejoice** always, **17pray** without ceasing, **18give** **thanks** in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

We pray for Steve Dearnley following the recent death of his mum. We pray for Rebecca and Dillon and the rest of the family.

Prayers for Captain Jan Penfold, following the recent promotion to Glory of her sister Hilda.

Prayers for Averil, who continue to suffer this week. Be near Lord Jesus.

For Josette who has had a heavy cold and is resting at home.

For Anne’s brother in hospital

For Sheila P who was taken to QEQM with breathing problems this week.

For Douglas, we thank God that he has had a better week yet still pray for a full return to health.

We continue to pray for Kate and ask again you will bring complete healing – in your time. Our prayer focus is for her left hand.

For Adina, friend of Oksana Volia, young mother of 2, who has been diagnosed with cancer. Lord, please heal and restore.

For Maggie as she continues her healing at home after many weeks in QEQM. Pray for Helen too.

We pray for Rita Floodgate after the loss of her husband Bob as a result of the tragic housefire in St Mildred’s Road. Ramsgate. Meet her needs, Lord.

We for pray for Lindsay as she waits for her operation.

Prayers too for Nicole’s family.

For Russell as he waits for test results.

For our great friend Gary V who is receiving palliative care at home and for Jaynie as she supports him.

Prayers too for Rosie Carpe who is receiving cancer treatment.

For Jean Spearing who has been very unwell and awaiting medical appointments.

Fay, suffering from a dreadful cough and breathlessness and debilitating tiredness and still waiting for appointments for her spinal problems and COPD and now being investigated for possible cancer. We pray for a good outcome and for full healing. And for Peter who is also far from well and taking some time to recover. Also, Simon, Peter’s brother who has recently received surgery for the removal of a cancerous kidney. We pray for a full recovery.

We continue to uphold Pauline’s daughter Karen.

For Natasha’s mum Debra, and for Nick’s father, John and wisdom in care and housing matters. We continue to ask protection and hope for Jess. Meet her needs, Lord.

Gary’s carer, Linda who is experiencing pain in her foot.

We lift to you Lord, Ellie’s dance teacher, Debbie.

Suzie, and her mother, Janine. Irene’s mother who is very unwell in Estonia.

And for Helen’s friend Rob, who great grand child has been recently diagnosed with a serious condition. Uphold the family Lord.

Lord Jesus Christ,

You are the true King of peace. In You alone is found freedom.

Please free our world from conflict. Bring unity to troubled nations.

Let Your glorious peace reign in every heart.

Dispel all darkness and evil, Protect the dignity of every human life.

Replace hatred with Your love.

Give wisdom to world leaders. Free them from selfish ambition.

Eliminate all violence and war.