

WORLD WIDE PRAYER MEETING

June 22, 2017—Sri Lanka Territory

Psalm 46:10 ~ "Be still, and know that I am God."

Be still for the presence of the Lord	Be still for the glory of the Lord	Be still for the power of the Lord
The Holy One is here Come bow before Him now	Is shining all around He burns with holy fire	Is moving in this place He comes to cleanse and heal
In reverence and fear	With splendor He is crowned	To minister His grace
In Him no sin is found	How awesome is the sight	No work too hard for Him
We stand on holy ground	Our radiant King of Light	In faith receive from Him
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The Salvation Army in Sri Lanka began 134 years ago in Sri Lanka under Capt. William Gladwin's leadership.

Each month, more than 20 Officers meet to study God's Word to be equipped for ministry. There are also ongoing Discipleship training programs for Officers and Soldiers.

23 Officers and employees from 17 social service institutions have received their Diploma in Social Care, helping to improve their capability and skills for the important work that they do.

Sri Lanka Territory has 44 corps, 34 Institutions/Programs, 138 Officers, 10 Cadets, 119 Employees, & 4000+ Senior Soldiers.

Prayer Requests:

Changes in leadership of the territory:

- The SBA has moved to Bangladesh, and the new SBA (June 1st) Capt. Felix Kumaraval, needs prayer.
- New Territorial Leaders Colonels Yousaf & Rebecca Masih commence their appointments on July 1st, as Colonels Alistair & Marieke Venter (leaders since Oct. 15) finish their term.
- The new Secretary for Programme, Lt Colonel Ranjith Senarathne and the new Territorial Home League Secretary, Lt Col Vijayasri Senarathne will need your prayers.
- Chief Secretary & Territorial Secretary of Women's Ministries Lieut-Colonels Suresh & Martha Pawar will continue to provide leadership, as they have done since May 2016.

Youth Camps have been held around the territory over the last month with more than 350 youth involved. We pray for those who made commitments to Christ, that they would implement the commitments and decisions they have made.

- A New Territorial Advisory Board was established last month with 8 top leaders in different fields of society. Pray that they will be effective as they work alongside territorial leadership.
- Territorial Officer's Retreat scheduled for August prayer for a special outpouring of God's Holy Spirit, and true reconciliation between the Officers of the territory.
- Implementation of plans to move the territory on the road to self support. Special prayer for our plans for substantial property development which will impact our services for a few years, and also for a fresh Annual Appeal to be launched with the help of the Advisory Board and newly established Communications and Public Relations Department.

Prayers for the cadets and the Training College staff.

Canada & Bermuda Territorial Prayer Focus:

- Newfoundland and Labrador Divisional Congress & Territorial Commissioning events which begin June 30. Pray for responsiveness to the Gospel and obedience to the movement of the Holy Spirit.
- Those involved in the Annual Appointment Change; officers and their families, congregations and ministry units. Ask God to strengthen, support and build up His people.
- Pray for Summer Camping ministries, the preparations and the training of leaders.

We join in prayerful support of those who have recently suffered the loss of loved ones:

Grad, Major Elizabeth (Donald) – Corps Officer, Swift Current, SK (Prairie Division) – Mother Tim, Lieutenant Mary (Samuel) – Corps Officer & Community Ministries Officer, Lakeshore CC, Toronto, ON (OCE Division) – Grandmother