

WORLD-WIDE PRAYER MEETING
May 25, 2017
PAPUA NEW GUINEA TERRITORY

Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZWfg8zgmV7c>

Song 926 / Tune 394, Austria (Verse 1): O THOU God of every nation

Territorial Commander:

Territorial President of Women's Ministries:

Chief Secretary:

Colonel Kelvin Alley (1 January 2017)

Colonel Julie Alley (1 January 2017)

Lieut. Colonel Dina Ismael (1 January 2017)



The Salvation Army officially commenced in Papua New Guinea on 31 August 1956. On 4 July 1994, after 38 years as part of the Australia Eastern Territory, Papua New Guinea became an independent command on 9 December 2000 was elevated to territory status. Work began in The Solomon Islands in 2010 and was officially recognised on 1 February 2011.*

Statistics*

Officers 364 (active 284 retired 80) / Cadets 12 / Employees 357

Corps 65 / Outposts 112 / Institutions 4 / Schools 12

Senior Soldiers 4,955 / Adherents 6,694 / Junior Soldiers 1,786

*The Salvation Army 2017 Year Book; pgs. 200-201

Song 926 / Tune 394, Austria (Verse 2): Fill us with Thy Holy Spirit

Prayer Requests from the Territory:

1. Papua New Guinea National Election (June 24 – July 8, 2017) – that PNG will elect good leaders.
2. We call ourselves a Christian Nation and we want our people to live as claimed. Over 95% self-identify as Christians but nominalism, false teaching and various cults are practiced in Schools & Colleges.
3. College for Officer Training – we need faithful, dedicated, well-education young couples who are able to teach others about Jesus.
4. Children's and Youth Programs - leaders required.
5. Solomon Island - strengthening the ministry among children and youth.
6. Programs on funding generating income in division and territorial levels
7. Future Leadership Program

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Song 926 / Tune 394, Austria (Verse 3): Give us all more holy living

Cycle of Prayer, May 25, 2017:

- Captains Robert & Johannah Sessford – Hazelton, British Columbia
- Major Faye Shail – Calgary, Alberta
- Captain Elsie Shaler (Retired) – Cambridge, Ontario

May 2017 Territorial Prayer Focus:

- Bermuda Divisional Youth Together (May 26-28)
- Prairie East Women's Retreat (May 26-28) – Special Guest: Major Judy Regamey
- Prairie West Junior Youth Councils (May 27) – Leadership: Team 412 with Captains Kristian and Lesley Simms

Events:

Canadian Staff Band, 48th Anniversary Festival with the Canadian Staff Songsters
Saturday, May 27 at Etobicoke Temple

Song 926 / Tune 394, Austria (Verse 4): Bless our General, bless our leaders