# **World Wide Prayer Meeting January 28, 2016**

Prayer is the soul's sincere desire Uttered or unexpressed, The motion of a hidden fire That trembles in the breast.

Prayer is the burden of a sigh, Prayer is the simplest form of speech The falling of a tear, The upward glancing of an eye Prayer the sublimest strains that reach When none but God is near.

That infant lips can try; The majesty on high

# **Japan Territory**

Territorial Leaders: Commissioner Jiro and Keiko Katsuchi Chief Secretary: Lieut.-Colonel Kenji Fujii

• Territorial Theme for 2016 is "Catch The Vision – God Starts The New Things" Ezekiel 11:19.

Please pray for Spiritual Awakening in the Territory for The New Things.

• Night Feeding Programme for Homelessness will start from Friday 8 January 2016 on thrice a week basis to the end of February.

Please pray for programme director, staffs and volunteers. Please pray that people will experience love and grace of God through this programme.

- "Messengers of Gospel" Session will be started from this April. Please pray that candidates/cadets will be given to the session.
- Territorial Congress will be conducted by The General in October 2016. We are planning "Salvation Army Charity Concert" for fund raising, which is the first of this kind event in our territory.

Please pray that good preparation will be made for this harvesting events.

### **Territorial Prayer Focus**

Commissioner Susan McMillan Colonels Mark & Sharon Tillsley **Officer & Leadership Retreats** 

Personnel Consultations - February 11-12 Commissioning - June 2016 **Territorial Priorities - Champions** 

## **Cycle of Prayer**

Aux.-Captain Marjorie Johnston (retired) Major Wendy Johnston Captain Ruby Joiner (retired)

### SHARE THE BURDEN OF RECENT HEALTH CONCERNS

We ask that you remember in prayer the following Officers with health concerns:

Birt, Major Earle (Rtd) – London, ON

#### SHARE IN THE GRIEVING OF LOST LOVED ONES

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

Canning, Captain Edward (Rose) - Corps Officer, Bonavista, NL (Newfoundland & Labrador Division) – Brother-in-law

Boyde, Major Woodrow (Maxine) (Rtd) - Conception Bay South, NL-Brother-in-law

Canning, Major Harvey (Doreen) (Rtd) - Cambridge, ON -Brother-in-law

Duffet-Wareham, Mrs. Major Melva (Rtd) - Gander, NL - Mother Champ, Lieut.-Jim (Barbara) - THO - Mother - Brother in Law

> Prayer is the contrite sinner's voice Returning from his ways, While angels in their songs rejoice And cry: Behold, he prays!

Prayer is the Christian's vital breath, The Christian's native air. His watchword at the gates of death; He enters Heaven with prayer.

O thou by whom we come to God, The life, the truth, the way! The path of prayer thyself hast trod: Lord, teach us how to pray!