



WORLD WIDE PRAYER MEETING May 19th, 2016

Corporate Reading:

Leader: *Your steadfast love, O God, extends to the heavens, your faithfulness to the skies!*

All: Your righteousness is like the mountains, your wisdom as deep as the sea!

Leader: *How precious is your faithfulness to us, O God.*

All: May all who come find refuge in the shadow of your wings. We worship you O Lord!

Song: *Be Still My Soul, In You I Rest* – Kari Jobe

Prayer Focus – Kenya East Territory

Territorial Leader: *Commissioner Vinece Chigariro*

Chief Secretary: *Lieutenant-Colonel Nahashon Njiru*

Officers – 610 (539 active)

Employees – 106

Outposts – 281

Senior Soldiers – 82,559

Cadets – 36

Corps – 410

Schools – 514

Junior Soldiers – 73,894

Specific Requests

- Territorial Self-Denial Event
- The Brengle Institute
- Territorial Staff Conference
- Two new projects: New Health Clinic which just opened in Maiani (Nairobi)
Stop the Traffik Initiative

Canada and Bermuda Territorial Prayer Focus

1. Pray for the **Canadian Staff Band** as they travel to USA West on May 19-22. May God use members of the band as they share music, testimonies and messages.
2. Pray for the **National Prayer Breakfast** in Ottawa on May 19 (An annual ecumenical event offered under the auspices of the Speakers of the Senate and the House of Commons).
3. Pray for ministry units raising funds to send community children to their local **Army camps**. May it be a transformational experience for campers.
4. Pray for **Divisional Women's Ministries Retreats/Camps**, May 27-29:
Alberta Camp, guest speaker Commissioner Susan McMillan
Prairie West Retreat, guest speaker Major Sandra Budden
Maritime Camp, guest speaker Major Genevera Vincent
Newfoundland Division: Twin Ponds Camp, guest speaker Commissioner Rosalie Peddle, Camp Starrigan: Majors Louise Wareham & Jennifer Reid
5. Pray for the displaced communities and first responders fighting the **Fort McMurray wildfires**. TSA Emergency Response Volunteers, Divisional leaders and staff supporting the Fort McMurray Corps & Corps Leaders: Majors Stephen & Elaine Hibbs, Majors Bond & Marina Jennings
6. Pray for **Divisional Youth Leaders** and staff who are preparing for the **Camping season**. May God strengthen and build teams who will make a positive impact upon young children and youth.

Personnel Focus

Grieving:

Crocker, Major Karen (George) – Corps Officer, Comfort Cove/Newstead, NL
(Newfoundland & Labrador Division) – Mother

Hillier, Captain Charlene – Corps Officer, Garnish – Circuit with Fortune, NL
(Newfoundland & Labrador Division) – Grandmother

Tardif, Major Claudine (Pierre Croteau) – Corps Officer/Church Planter, Christian
Community Centre, Montreal, QC (Quebec Division) - Father

Corporate Prayer

Leader: *We Pray...*

*Because Your grace, O Christ, is so generous -
not crumbs falling from the table, but a sumptuous feast –
we pray for the accused and guilty ones;
those in prisons they deserve, those unjustly detained,
and those imprisoned by their own guilt and regret.*

Men: *We Pray...*

*Because Your love, O God, is so indiscriminate,
crossing boundaries and inviting all –
we pray for the lost and lonely ones;
those who find themselves without companions in the world,
those who are separated from loved ones by distance or death,
and those who have forgotten love because of their struggle to survive.*

Leader: *We Pray...*

*Because Your Kingdom, O Lord, is so different –
challenging the ways of human beings –*

All: *We pray for the powerful and influential ones;*

*those who lead countries or communities,
those who decide and enforce law,
those who hold responsibility for great resources.*

Women: *We Pray...*

*Because Your Presence, O Spirit, is so constant –
never abandoning or neglecting us –
we pray for those things that are closest to our hearts...*

Silent personal prayer is offered

Leader: *We Pray because we believe that*

*no one is beyond Your grace, no one is outside of Your love,
and because we believe that the prayers we offer
enable us to receive, and to share, the blessings You desire to give us.
We pray in the name of Jesus, who also taught us to pray
OUR FATHER...*