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Our Corps Mission Statement:
'Called to be disciples of Jesus Christ, Ipswich Citadel Corps exists to save souls, grow saints and serve suffering humanity'

It's really good to see you today and welcome to our morning meeting led by Majors Stephen and Sandra Battle. Children's and youth activities today at 11.00am.

 <p>FAIRTRADE</p>	<p>Following our morning meetings, coffee and tea will be served in the lounge/YP hall. A <u>small donation</u> will assist the purchasing of Fair Trade Tea and Coffee</p>
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<p><u>DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:</u></p> <p><u>Friday 19th December 7.00pm</u> Man Friday Men's Fellowship meal out.</p> <p><u>Sunday 21st December</u> 10.30am Wear your Christmas jumper if you wish!! 5.30pm Corps Carol Service</p> <p><i>If you are able to help in any way with the Toy appeal (see dates below) or Christmas day please complete a volunteer form from the foyer</i></p> <p><u>Toy Appeal</u> Monday 10.00am Sorting toys into age groups Wednesday 10.00am Selecting toys for families</p> <p><u>POST BOX</u> We have combined the two Christmas card schemes together this year. If you are sending a card to the CORPS please address to IPSWICH Corps. If you are sending to individuals, please include full name(s) to help with sorting and delivery. Our young people will be managing the post box. Donations to Corps Funds.</p>	<p><u>What's On week commencing</u> <u>15th December 2025</u></p> <p><u>Tuesday:</u> 9.15am CAMEO Club Carol Service NO Songster Practice</p> <p><u>Wednesday:</u> 9.30am Parent/Carers and Toddlers group</p> <p><u>Thursday:</u> NO Bible Fellowship NO Friendship Club Mid-day Luncheon Club Christmas Dinner NO Band Practice</p> <p><u>Sunday:</u> 10.30am Morning Service,</p> <p><i>If you would like to provide flowers for our Holiness Table, please add your name to the list on the noticeboard in the foyer under available dates.</i></p> <p>Ipswich Salvation Army magazine & What's On is available in the foyer and to view online on our website.</p> <p>Latest copies of 'Our Daily Bread' books are now available in the foyer</p>	<p><u>Major Sandra's Column</u></p> <p>Are you ready? This is has become a famous phrase on the TV programme The Gladiators. It is also what we are thinking about today in our worship. I wonder how we would prepare if we thought Jesus was coming to visit our house? After Jesus was born and had grown up. A man called John began to tell the people that they needed to get themselves ready because Jesus was coming very soon! John didn't tell the people to clean their houses, or prepare special food, or put on new clothes. He told the people that they needed to get themselves ready on the inside. He told people it was time to stop doing the things they knew were wrong and to say they were sorry. Let's make sure we are ready, not just for Christmas, but to prepare ourselves on the inside.</p> <p>A pair of black gloves left last week are in the Office</p>
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