



## NEWS OF SOUTHERN OFFICERS AND LAY PERSONNEL SERVING AROUND THE WORLD

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More information can be obtained about our overseas personnel on the internet at [www.southernspiritonline.org](http://www.southernspiritonline.org)

### CHILDREN OVERSEAS

There are children also "serving" overseas... kids go with their parents when they are appointed to overseas assignments just as they would go with their parents here to appointments. We will soon have 9 children out of the territory and would like to share something about them and thank you for praying for them when you remember their parents.



CAMILLE "CAMI" MICHELS (14)

Cami is with her parents in Jamaica where she has adjusted well to the school system and made lots of friends. She has joined the Key Club, the Photography Club and the Lacrosse team. She also has many new friends at the Army, both Jamaican and from other countries.



PRIYA GRACE (7) & ALINA ROSE (4) PAWAR

Priya and Alina have lived with their parents in London for the past 4 years, they have now moved on to Australia. They are looking forward to this and to making new friends.



NEVILLE PHIOUTHONG (to be 18)

Neville has spent almost 4 years with his parents in Singapore and now Thailand. He graduated from High School this past June and will be coming to the states to attend college and pursue his interest in dance, photography, and videography.



LEYLA (6) & ALANA (8 IN AUGUST) VIERA

Leyla and Alana are with their parents in the United Arab Emirates. Leya will be in the 1st grade. She cares deeply about others and loves animals and dancing. Alana is very organized for her age and will be going into the 3rd grade. She enjoys cheerleading, dance and never stops moving (only when she sleeps). They both adore each other and are very excited to start this new adventure.



LIAM MATTEO (4) & RAFAEL ZANE (2) WELCH

Liam and Rafaël are with their parents in Italy. Liam will start his 2nd year in Kindergarten in September. He loves to ride his bike, fix things with Daddy, and cook with Mommy. Rafaël loves to follow his brother around. He is learning to ride his bike and loves to read books. Both are doing well in English and Italian.



CHRISTINA ZIMMERER (to be 19)

Christina has been overseas with her parents; first in Scotland, and now this past term, in Spain. She likes music, singing and especially animals. She has many friends and enjoys participating in the corps.



MAJOR MARY HOLMES, has served well as the International Personnel Services Director these past 2 years and we will be praying for her as she now will be entering retirement and go to live near family in Florida. Thank you, Mary, for all that you did especially with the web page, distribution of the Global View and ISF Breakfast!

A warm Welcome goes to LT. COLONEL KAROL SEILER who has now been appointed to this position and is excitedly looking forward to being involved with those serving out of the Territory. We will look forward to hearing from her in the October issue.

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** After you pray, why not drop the person, or persons, prayed for a line; or send an email of encouragement and blessing. (Most are on Facebook)  
Please share with others these needs as your prayers do make the difference.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

**LT. COLONELS KELLY & DONNA IGLEHEART – SOUTH AFRICA:** Chief Secretary and Territorial Secretary for Women’s Ministries. Remember the leadership on all levels and especially the Cadets in their preparation. The Territory is moving towards self-reliance. [Kelly\\_Igleheart@SAF.salvationarmy.org](mailto:Kelly_Igleheart@SAF.salvationarmy.org)

**CAPTAINS OLIVER & CATHY MICHELS – CARIBBEAN:** PR and Development Secretary with additional responsibilities as IT Consultant and Secretary for Spiritual Life Development, League of Mercy Secretary and Retired Officers. Remember not only their daughter Cami (14), who is with them, but also James (university student) working at Camp Walter Johnson and TYI and eldest son Lee, recently married to Ashlyn. [Mike\\_michels@car.salvationarmy.org](mailto:Mike_michels@car.salvationarmy.org)

**MAJOR HOLLY NEEDHAM – UK:** Corps Officer in Dundee. Please pray for unity. Also pray for the process and fundraising efforts to build a new Corps Hall on the current site. [Holly.needham@salvationarmy.org.uk](mailto:Holly.needham@salvationarmy.org.uk)

**CAPTAINS ASHISH & SANDRA PAWAR – AUSTRALIA EASTERN:** Multi Cultural Plant Officers for the Blacktown Corps in the Australia Eastern Territory. Pray for them in this transition. Also don’t forget their daughters, Priya Grace - 7 and Alina Rose - 4. [sandrapawar@yahoo.com](mailto:sandrapawar@yahoo.com)

**MAJORS KEN & NEVA PHIOUTHONG – THAILAND:** Resource and Development Officers. Pray that doors will continue to open and the work will become well established. Remember Neva as she continues caring for Christopher, their son, in Nashville. Pray for continual healing, especially for his eyesight. Neville - 18 (this month), as he comes back to enter college. [nevaphi@yahoo.com](mailto:nevaphi@yahoo.com)

**CAPTAINS ROBERT & GLENIS VIERA – UNITED ARAB EMIRATES:** Corps Officers to the UAE Corps, as well as, Assistant Regional Officers for the Middle East Region. Remember them as they return again to this area of the world. Also pray for their daughters Alana (7) and Leyla (6). [Vierarobert32@gmail.com](mailto:Vierarobert32@gmail.com)

**CAPTAINS CHRISTOPHER & JESSICA WELCH – ITALY & GREECE:** Corps Officers of the Torre Pellice Corps, Italy and NOW with added responsibility as youth coordinators for the Command. They will be leading their first camp in August. Pray for the youth and this important ministry. Remember their sons, Rafaël Zane - 2 (that he would sleep through the night); and Liam Matteo - 4 (that he would have good friends in school next year. [christopherwelch@esercitodellasalvezza.org](mailto:christopherwelch@esercitodellasalvezza.org)

**MAJORS BOBBY & ANNE WESTMORELAND – DENMARK & GREENLAND TERRITORY:** Chief Secretary and Territorial Secretary for Women’s Ministries. Pray that things will continue to go well for them, and Major Bobby especially in learning the language. Pray for their new TC. [westmor@icloud.com](mailto:westmor@icloud.com)

**MAJORS DIETER & BARBARA ZIMMERER – SPAIN:** Corps Officers of the Denia Corps and Directors of Camp Saron Conference Center. Pray for their financial situation, as well as, the physical demands of their appointment which are affecting Barbara at the moment. Remember daughter Christina (19 this month), [dieterzimmerer@hotmail.com](mailto:dieterzimmerer@hotmail.com)

We would like to recommend also that you pray, from time to time, for those other who are serving out of the Territory; not on “foreign” service, but sometimes may feel like it!

Majors Rick & Janeen McConnel (USA Central)  
Colonels Ken & Paula Johnson (USA East)  
Captains Daniel & Sarah Choi (USA East)  
Lt. Gavin Yeats (USA East)  
Captains Mark & Sherry Czanderna (USA West)

(National Headquarters)  
Lt. Colonels Dean & Pam Hinson  
Lt. Colonels Ward & Michele Matthews  
Lt. Colonels Allen & Esther Satterlee  
Majors Earl & Janie Fitzgerald (Asbury)

**SPECIAL DATES COMING UP**  
(Birthdays unless otherwise noted)

**JULY**

- 22 Captain Chris Welch ITALY
- 28 Major Anne Westmoreland DENMARK
- 28 Lt. Colonel Pam Hinson NHQ
- 29 Neville Phiouthong THAILAND (18 years)
- 30 Christina Zimmerer SPAIN (19 years)

**AUGUST**

- 1 Colonels Ken & Paula Johnson USA EAST (Anniversary)
- 10 Colonel Ken Johnson USA EAST
- 15 Lt. Colonel Dean Hinson NHQ
- 20 Captain Sandra Pawar AUSTRALIA EASTERN
- 23 Alana Viera (8) UAE

**OCTOBER**

- 2 Major Ken Phiouthong THAILAND
- 11 Captain Mike Michels CARIBBEAN
- 18 Major Dieter Zimmerer SPAIN
- 21 Major Barbara Zimmerer SPAIN
- 25 Captains Ashish & Sandra Pawar AUSTRALIA (10th Anniversary)
- 29 Lt. Colonel Kelly Igleheart SOUTH AFRICA

**“FROM THE MISSIONARY BOOK SHELF”**

Not saying that Salvation Army missionary ministries are better than those of other movements, but I have always been impressed with how so many of ours came about by a simple communication from headquarters saying “Will you go?” and the response is “How soon?” and the reply is . . . something like “in 2 weeks.”

One of the best examples was Henry Bullard, whose book *A Missionary’s Memories*, is well worth looking for. He went to many cultures and countries and challenged social evils as well as preached the gospel.

**"When you submit to the advance of God's kingdom, your life becomes anything but normal."**  
  
*John McVay*



**TO ALL WHO HAVE SERVED OVERSEAS, OR WOULD LIKE TO IN THE NEAR FUTURE: SAVE THE DATE**

**Tuesday, August 7th at 7:00 AM** - attend the 5th annual International Service Fellowship Breakfast during the Bible Conference at Lake Junaluska. Special guests will be Lt. Colonels Allan & Fiona Hofer. If you are attending the conference, or living in the area, think about joining us. Please reserve your place by contacting Evelyn Repass.