

# ***Introduction to Mission: Literacy***

## ***Training Class***

In order for a Salvation Army corps to offer *Mission: Literacy*, it first needs to attend *Introduction to Mission: Literacy*. *Training materials are found on the website, and you can get technical assistance by contacting Dawn Sharp (see below)*. Each attending corps receives one free set of Readers (The 30 story books) to begin planning its program start-up. The set of Readers is provided at no cost to The Salvation Army due to the generosity of the American Bible Society. As a program starts up, a corps may order additional free Reader Sets, as the supply allows - paying only for the shipping.

### ***A Mission: Literacy Introductory Training***

#### ***Will Discuss These Areas***

***Program Leaders and Prospective Tutors are Invited***

#### ***The Dual Vision of Mission: Literacy***

*Mission: Literacy* provides instruction that expands children's and adults' reading skills while they discover the joy of reading God's Word. It is a multicultural program using 30 bible stories designed for struggling readers who are tutored in groups of no more than 5. The user-friendly lesson plans give effective support to the non-professional reading tutor working in a church ministry.

#### ***Teaching Reading and Scripture Through Mission: Literacy***

This workshop will focus on teaching strategies, creative methods and relationship building between the tutor and student. Attendees will leave with masters for hands-on learning games.

#### ***Launching Mission: Literacy In Your Corps***

Learn how to fit *Mission: Literacy* to your corps' needs and programs. Discussion will consider staffing, funding, space sharing, community partnerships, and record keeping.

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