

❖ Spring Harvest 2012

Following a great time of inspiration, worship, fellowship, learning and fun at Spring Harvest this year, a group of us from Wesley Hall will be going again next year. It would be great if more of the church family could join us, especially as the theme will be "Church Actually (God's Brilliant Idea)". There's only one week at Skegness next year from 10th to 15th April (Easter Sunday being the 8th), so the Butlins accommodation will probably be snapped up quickly, which means we'll need to book as soon as the booking lines open on 15th June. Carole and Andrew Gray are happy to organise this, so please let them know if you're interested. They have some details for anyone who wants to know more, or check out the website at www.springharvest.org/events/spring-harvest. If you want to chat to someone who went this year, please see Carole/Andrew, Simone/Gareth, Andrea, Louise or Emma/Matt. If you are interested, you could always ask friends and family too.

20 IN 12 CHALLENGE...

❖ 20 In 12 Challenge Wall

The red brick 'wall' at the back of church will be used to track the progress of the 20 In 12 Challenge. We are aiming to raise £20,000 in 12 months and the wall is made up of 200 bricks so each brick represents £100. As money is raised the wall will be built up so we can see how much has been raised.

We would like to have the names of members of the congregation on the bricks to represent our commitment to the project and our continuing mission in Crookes. Putting your name on a brick is **not** a commitment to raise £100 so please put your name on as many bricks as you like so that we have names on them all.

❖ Circuit Walk

Our minister Rev. John Simms will be walking around all of the churches in the Circuit on *Saturday 11th June* to raise money for the 20 In 12 Challenge. Please speak to John if you would like to sponsor him or join him for all or part of the walk.

❖ Wesley Hall Recipe Book

We would like to gather together your family's favourite recipes to compile a new Wesley Hall Recipe Book. Categories could include World Foods, Vegetarian, Special Dietary needs (e.g. gluten free, diabetic) and also quick tea time Starters, Sweet Treats and Granny's favourites. We would like to pass them on just like the TV programme, 'Hairy Bikers: Mum Knows Best', where Mums cook their favourite recipes and are invited to cook them at a fair where everyone can taste them.

Then, using some of the recipes submitted, we will hold a Food Fair where we can sell some of the food (and the new Wesley Hall Recipe Book) and share in a time of fellowship together. Please let Tina & John Owen or Andrea have your recipes as soon as possible so we can compile them into a book. Please pray for this idea because we believe it can be a fruitful and a blessing for this community. Thanks Tina & John

AND FINALLY...

❖ National 3 Peaks Challenge

Neil Harland will be attempting the Nation 3 Peaks Challenge (climbing Ben Nevis in Scotland, Scafell Pike in the Lake District and Snowdon in Wales within 24 hours) in June to raise money for Macmillan Cancer Support. To sponsor Neil, speak to him in person or visit www.justgiving.com/ CPP3PeaksChallenge.

❖ Thanks to Mirror Glass Processors Limited

A big thank you to our local company "Mirror Glass Processors Limited" (0114 285 2049) who supplied us with glass, free of charge, for repairs to the leaded window in the Committee Room.

The editor for the month of June is Rob. Please place items for the newsletter in the pigeon hole, send an e-mail to newsletter@wesleyhall.org.uk or call Rob on [REDACTED] by Wednesday evening