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Wesley Hall is part of Wesley Ebenezer Methodist Church (charity no. 1150284)

Sunday 11th December 2016

We hope you find a warm welcome, particularly if you are with us for the first time. All song words are projected onto the wall at the front or can be found in the books provided. Large print hymn books are available at the back of church along with separate printed sheets for songs that are not in the books.

Today's services 10:30am TRIBE Nativity

> **Prayer Service** 6:00pm

> > The steward on duty is Anne Thompson

Sunday 18th December 10:30am Mr. Ray Battye 6:00pm Carol Service

Sunday 25th December 9:30am Rev. Sally Coleman (Christmas Day Celebration)

Sunday 1st January 10:45am Rev. Sally Coleman (Joint Holy Communion)

THIS WEEK...

Leadership Team

The Wesley Hall Leadership Team meet monthly to pray, share ideas and plan/review church events and their next meeting is this Monday 12th December. Please pray for the meeting and let a member of the team know if there is anything that you would like to be discussed.

Carols and Christmas Music with the Salvation Army Band

This Wednesday 14th December at 7:45pm the Salvation Army Brass Band will be playing carols and Christmas music at Stephen Hill Methodist Church. There is a suggested minimum donation of £5 towards the work of the Salvation Army.

Messy Christmas

Join us this Saturday 17th December for the Messy Church Christmas special, Messy Christmas. There will be lots of Christmassy crafts, worship, baking and snacks all celebrated in our usual messy style!

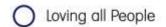
Scratch Nativity Carol Service

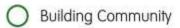
Our Scratch Nativity Carol Service will be next Sunday 18th December at 6:00pm and will be led by Rev. Sally Coleman. Have you always wanted to be in a Nativity play, or maybe you didn't get to play the character you wanted to play? Now is your chance! Something for the whole family to enjoy. Come dressed as your chosen character and we will make one huge nativity scene as we tell the story! Or just come to along and enjoy singing the carols.

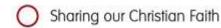
COMING SOON...

Time Out from Tinsel

A service of guiet and reflection led by Rev. Sally Coleman on Thursday 22nd December at 7:30pm. A chance to reflect on the true meaning of the season, to pray, to meditate and relax in the presence of God's comfort and love.







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Songs of Praise is Coming to Sheffield

Songs of Praise is being filmed at All Saints Ecclesall on *Saturday 21st and Sunday 22nd January 2017*. Filing take place on both days from 2:30pm to 5:30pm and the programme will feature Graham Kendrick. If you would like to go along please see Matt who will then get tickets for everyone who is interested.

❖ WEADS Panto February 2017

WEADS will be performing the pantomime "Sleeping Beauty" at Walkley Ebenezer from *Wednesday* 22nd to Saturday 25th February 2017. Look out for further details.

CHIRSTMAS EVENTS...

Saturday 17th December 10:00am Christmas Messy Church
Sunday 18th December 6:00pm Scratch Nativity Carol Service
Thursday 22nd December 7:30pm Time Out from Tinsel
Christmas Day 9:30am Christmas Morning Family Celebration
Sunday 1st January 10:45am Joint service with Walkley Ebenezer here at Wesley Hall

(please note later 10:45am start time)

AND FINALLY...

Christmas Cards from Andrea

As usual I have given a donation to Christian Aid in place of sending Christmas cards to friends at Wesley Hall and this year the donation has gone to help female-headed families start their own business which will give 20 chicks to a woman struggling to feed her family so she can start a chicken-rearing business. Can I wish you all a joyous and peaceful Christmas! God bless, Andrea.

Operation Christmas Child

Thank you to everyone who wrapped, filled or helped with our shoebox collections for Operation Christmas Child. We were able to send 112 filled shoeboxes to help children have gifts to open on Christmas Day.

New Offering Envelopes

The new offering envelopes for 2017 are now available to pick up at the back of church. If you have any questions or would like to know more about giving to Wesley Hall, please see Matt.