

Wesley Hall Crookes, Sheffield



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Wesley Hall is part of Wesley Ebenezer Methodist Church

# Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2013

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 service		Preacher Worship Leader Prayer Service	Miss Dorothy Warren Louise Etherington Rev. John Simms
		The stewards will be Andrew Gray (am) and Dorothy White (pm)	
And next week 20 <sup>th</sup> January	10:30am	Preacher Worship Leader	Rev. John Simms (Holy Communion) Dorothy White
7:30pm – 9:00pm		SPACE	Drop in anytime
		The stewards will be Dorothy White	

# THIS WEEK...

## Student Coffee & Cake

## ✤ Help with Toddler Group

As you probably know, Wesley Hall runs a Toddler group on Wednesday mornings from 10:00am to 11:30am. Unfortunately, Liz will be away studying at Cliff College so won't be at Toddlers this Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> January. The session will still run, but some extra pairs of hands would be very helpful, especially to set out the activities and tidy away afterwards. Please contact Sue Chapman on **Extended** if you are able to help.

## \* Tapton Prayer Group

The next meeting of the Tapton Prayer group will be this Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> January at 8:00pm at a staff welcome. If you would like further information please contact Wendy on **Example**.

#### Stay & Play

Stay & Play is back this Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> January form 10:00 to 11:30. We will be hiring a bouncy castle and filling the hall with craft activities and games for children aged 0-11 to just drop in and have an explore or stay for the whole session. If you would like to bake (or buy, we won't tell anyone) a cake for the session that would be much appreciated, and do invite any family and friends who you think would be interested in coming along. There are flyers at the back, feel free to take several!





#### \* X:Site

After a successful year at Wesley Hall, X:Site is back on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> January from 6:00pm to 8:00pm for all Y3 to Y6s. X:Site is an evening full of fun and games, loud singing of songs to God and an exciting look at the Bible. Entry is £2.50 and for more information or to register please email <u>xsitesheffield@gmail.com</u>.

# COMING SOON...

#### Congregational Meeting

There will be a Congregational Meeting here at Wesley Hall on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January at 7:30pm. In this meeting we will be discussing general church business and deciding which issues to put forward to the next Church Council meeting on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> January (which will take place at Walkley at 7:30pm). The Congregational Meeting is open to everyone and it would be great if as many people as possible were able to attend.

#### Taste and See

Come and sample discipleship, evangelism and mission resources over a day with coffee, lunch and afternoon tea provided by Calver Café at Taste and See on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> February from 9.30am to 4.00pm at Broomhill Methodist Church. For more information or to book a place, call Rachel McCallam on 07843 661 684 or email <u>racheldmde@sheffieldmethodist.org</u> by 1<sup>st</sup> February. There is a cost £5 to cover lunch and refreshments

#### ✤ Fun Day

Fun Day, Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February: Just to let you know that we will be running a Funday on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February (during half term) for junior school aged children (5-11). If you are interested in helping, please get in touch with Liz by calling 07412 124 310 or emailing <u>families@wesleyhall.org.uk</u>. Please also invite anyone who you think might like to come along. More information about this will be available closer to the time.

#### WEADS Pantomime

Walkley Ebenezer Amateur Dramatic Society will be presenting their pantomime 'Beauty & the Beast' from Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> to Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> February at 7:15pm with a Saturday matinee at 2:15pm. Tickets are priced at £5 for adults and £3 for children for all performances. They are available now from Sue Mackley on the second or from Sue and Brian Mills.

#### Spring Harvest 2013

A group of us are going to Spring Harvest at Butlins, Skegness from Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> to Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> April. There is still accommodation available so if anyone is interested in joining us, or would like more information, please see Carole or Andrew Gray as soon as possible.

#### \* New Sheffield Circuit

As most of you will already know, from 1<sup>st</sup> September the existing 8 Circuits in Sheffield area will combine and form a new circuit called "The Sheffield Circuit".

The current Sheffield West Circuit Leadership Team has decided that on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June we shall hold a social event to "say goodbye to" and celebrate Sheffield West (previously Carver Street Circuit) which will include a meal followed by a service at the Beacon Church at Broomhill. It is hoped that this will take place in the afternoon and early evening to enable as many as possible to attend.

The new Sheffield Circuit will have a welcome service at The Octagon building on Sheffield University campus on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2013. Further information will be available nearer the time.

Please make a note of these important dates in your diaries.

# AND FINALLY...

#### Wesley Hall T-Shirts

Following the example of Lunch Club, which uses branded aprons to good effect, we will be ordering Wesley Hall T-shirts to help the public identify people helping at/ running community-facing events (for example Messy Church or our recent Cliff College community weekend). If you would like a T-Shirt, please see the further information and sign-up sheet at the back of the church. Obviously wearing T-Shirts will not be compulsory for any groups or events.

A donation of £10 on receipt of each T-Shirt would help us meet costs.

Whilst the T-Shirts will be good quality and stylish, they are intended as a uniform rather than a fashion item. We would not want a visitor turning up on a Sunday morning to find themselves the only one not wearing Wesley Hall leisurewear!

#### ✤ All Age Worship

We are setting up a regular team to co-ordinate all age worship. This group will aim to make the service accessible for all those who attend and include our Brownies and Boys' Brigade more. If you are interested in being involved please call Liz on 07412 124 310 or email her at <u>families@wesleyhall.org.uk</u>.

#### Children & Families Work

There is a place available on my management team (see attached note for more information about management teams). This group currently meets once a month to monitor my progress and discuss ways to further the children's ministry at Wesley Hall. If you are interested in joining the management team please contact Neil Harland on the management or the second s