

Wesley Hall Crookes, Sheffield



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Sunday 15th February 2015

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	10:30am	Preacher	Mrs. Jenny Carpenter
		Worship Leader	Louise Etherington
The stewards on duty today are Linda and Stephen Wright			
Sunday 22 nd February 10:30am Mr. Iain Cloke/Mrs. Janette Cloke			lanette Cloke
Sunday 1 st March	10:30am	Rev John Simms (All Age Worship)	
Sunday 8 th March	10:30am	Mr. Luiz Montanheiro	
	6:30pm	Rev John Simms (Pr	ayer Service)

THIS WEEK...

Church Flowers **

There is a new flower rota at the back of church. Please consider if you would be able to contribute to pay for the weekly flower displays. If you need any more information before adding your name to the list, please see Sue Mills, Pat Wright or Louise Etherington.

WEADS Pantomime

The Wesley Ebenezer Amateur Dramatics pantomime this year is Aladdin. This will be performed during the half-term holiday week: Wednesday 18th February to Saturday 21st February at 7:15pm, plus a Saturday matinee at 2:15pm. Tickets are £5 for adults and £3 for children. See Sue Mills for tickets or for more information call her on

* Fun Day

We are holding a Fun Day on Friday 20th February from 10am-4pm for children aged 5-11 years. It is based on Jesus' Miracles and there will be baking, games, crafts, singing and a special guest workshop. If you know of any children who would like to come, or, if you would like to volunteer to help please speak to Liz.

Easter breakfast

We will be hosting breakfast and early morning Communion on Easter Sunday morning, jointly for Wesley Hall and Walkley Ebenezer. Whilst not attempting to emulate the kippers in John 21:9, Neil Harland is willing to organise a cooked breakfast in addition to the usual continental option if a few people can help out.







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COMING SOON...

Lent Study

Lent is coming, and we will be holding a Lent Study Group on six Tuesday evenings at 7:30 beginning on **24th February.**

We will be looking at a course produced jointly by Bible Society and the Biblical Studies Department of Sheffield University entitled 'Jesus the Jew'. The course will explore the Jewish cultural setting of Jesus' life, ministry and teaching, how others in that context saw Jesus and how he saw himself, particularly what he and his disciples saw in the title 'Messiah'. We end with a look at the Lord's Prayer in its Jewish context. The first meeting will be at Walkley on **24th February**, with the venue alternating between Walkley & Wesley Hall throughout the course. Do come and join us if you can!

Messy Church

Our next Messy church will be on **Saturday 28th February** from 10am to 12noon. We will be looking at the healing of Naaman; there will be gift boxes of "treasure", helmet making, spoon puppets, storytelling and snack time. The event is free; please speak to Liz for more details.

* "Frozen" Sing-Along

We will be screening the Sing-Along edition of Frozen here at Wesley Hall on **Saturday 28th February**. The Sing-Along edition is the same as the usual version but also displays the words to all the songs and has a bouncing snowflake to keep everyone together! Singing along and coming dressed up as a character from the film are both encouraged. Doors open at 3:30pm and the film starts at 4:00pm. Entry is just £1 per person and snacks will be available. If you know anyone who might be interested in coming along, please take an Olaf shaped flyer from the back of church to give to them.

✤ Craft Fair

Following the repeated success of the Advent Fayre at Christmas time, we are going to hold a Craft Fair on **Saturday 7th March** from 10am to 2pm. Anyone interested in having a stall will pay £10 per table and we have already got a good number booked. As well as the craft items on the stalls, we would also like to offer refreshments and possibly lunches to those who come to the fair. If you are interested in having a table or are able to help serving refreshments (for all or part of the time), please see Matt. We will also be asking for donations of cakes etc. close to the time so if you can bring something along to sell on the day, so please schedule this into your baking diary!

"The Good, The Bad, and the Bible –It's a Mystery"

Presented by the Silhouette Theatre Company at Victoria Hall Methodist Church on Wednesday 1st April at 7pm. Tickets £4 (£3 concessions), Family Ticket £12.50, please phone: **Concessions** or 272 1749.

AND FINALLY...

Donations for the Rucksack Project

Hello. The Rucksack project is an organisation which encourages people to put together a rucksack of supplies to bless homeless people in their area. The rucksack contains socks, underwear, a thermos full of hot soup, a couple of tins of soup, hat, gloves, a warm jumper and a sleeping bag. Liz and Louise would like to put some rucksacks together. If you would like to get involved and have any unneeded sleeping bags, fleeces, thermos-es or rucksacks which you'd like to donate please see Liz or Louise, or drop them into the church office. For more information about the project visit: <u>www.rucksackproject.org</u> or search for them on Facebook. Many thanks, Liz.

The editor for February is Steve Wright. Please place items for the newsletter in the pigeon hole, send an e-mail to newsletter@wesleyhall.org.uk or call Steve on **Bernard Steve** by Wednesday evening.