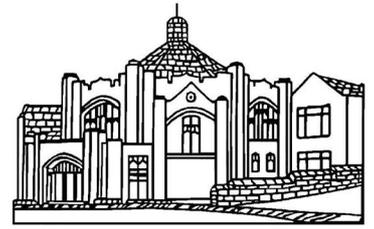




Wesley Hall

Crookes, Sheffield



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Sunday 23rd February 2014

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	Mr David Lees
		Worship Leader	Neil Harland
	6.00pm to 7.00pm	Stay and Pray	Prayer at Home (see below)
The steward on duty today is Jenny Jones			

<i>Sunday 2nd March</i>	<i>10.30am</i>	<i>All Age Worship</i>	
<i>Sunday 9th March</i>	<i>10.30am</i>	<i>Rev Jonathan Haigh</i>	<i>6.00pm Prayer Service</i>
<i>Sunday 16th March</i>	<i>10.30am</i>	<i>Rev John Simms (Holy Communion)</i>	

THIS WEEK...

❖ Stay & Pray

To complement our Prayer Service on the second Sunday of each month, we have started Stay & Pray on the fourth Sunday of the month. The idea is that people spend some time between 6:00pm and 7:00pm praying at home. Although we will not be meeting together face to face, we will be praying together in our homes. Stay & Pray will be happening tonight, so please remember to spend some time between 6:00pm and 7:00pm in prayer.

❖ It's Panto Time Again!

WEADS (Wesley Ebenezer Amateur Dramatic Society) will be presenting their pantomime "Trouble in Pantoland" from Wednesday 26th February to Saturday 1st March 2014 at 7.15 pm, with a Saturday matinee at 2.15pm. Tickets are priced at £5 for adults and £3 for children for all performances and are available from Sue Mackley on [REDACTED] or Brian/Sue Mills.

❖ "Joseph" Half-term Fun Day, Friday 28th February

Six hours of fun for children aged 5-11 (Reception to Y6). We will explore the story of a favourite son who was sold, thrown into prison and finally became 'Prime Minister' of Egypt, through games, crafts, drama and worship. The day runs from 10am to 4pm, with a donation of £4 per child. Please register for a place as soon as possible. There are forms at the back of church or contact Liz by e-mail to families@wesleyhall.org.uk or call/text her on 07412124310.

❖ Church Flowers

The money for the flowers this week was kindly donated by the Sheffield Korean Church.

COMING SOON...

❖ Community Ceilidh Saturday 22nd March, 5-7pm

Save the date! We shall be clearing the Sanctuary and dancing round the church! A ceilidh is a Scottish country dance, similar to a barn dance. The moves are simple and repeated through the dance to tunes, which will be provided by a Crookes band. They also provide a caller to tell you what to do, so don't worry if you have never ceilidh-ed before. Dancers aged 1 to 99 are very welcome and the evening includes a pizza dinner. The cost is just £3 for adults and free for children.

❖ Lent Course

John will be running a short course during Lent this year on the subject: "Lord, teach us to pray". This will not only be an opportunity to look at Prayer together, but also to put into practice what we talk about and to learn from each other. The course will run on Thursday evenings from 8:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., and details of the course are as follows:

6th March at Wesley Hall – "A few questions"

13th March at Walkley – "I don't know what to say"

20th March at Wesley Hall – "Hands together, eyes closed"

27th March at Walkley – "When words are not enough"

3rd April at Wesley Hall – "If at first you don't succeed..."

It would be wonderful to see as many of you as possible at these meetings.

❖ Evangelism Workshop

Thursday 27 March from 7:30pm at Carterknowle Methodist Church, Edgedale Road, Sheffield S7 2BQ. A free event, with a range of workshops to choose from:

- How to run a Holiday at Home with an evangelistic emphasis
- How to run a children's holiday club at your church
- Working with unchurched young people
- How to run a Community Festival with an evangelistic emphasis
- How does Chaplaincy help us in mission?

The aim of is to choose just one workshop in an area of work that you are involved in at your local church – or that you and your church would like to be involved in. You will then have a 90 minute workshop to resource you with ideas and enable you to be more effective; to be able to share ideas and gain support from others; and to connect with other people in the circuit doing similar work. Contact Jonathan Haigh on [REDACTED] or email: [REDACTED] to book your place or just turn up.

AND FINALLY...

❖ Leprosy Mission

A big thank you to all those who donated money on Leprosy Sunday, a total of £50 was raised. Thanks once again Sue Mills.