



Wesley Hall

Crookes, Sheffield



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Sunday 25th October 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 services **10:30am** **Preacher** **Mrs. Nel Shallow** **(Church Anniversary)**
6:00pm-7:00pm **Stay & Pray**

The steward on duty today is Jenny Jones

Sunday 1st November *10:30am* *Rev. Graham Wassell (All Age Worship)*

Sunday 8th November *10:30am* *Rev. Gareth Jones (Holy Communion)*

Sunday 15th November *10:30am* *Dr. Michael Gagan*

THIS WEEK...

❖ Stay & Pray

To complement our Prayer Service on the second Sunday of each month, we continue with 'Stay & Pray' on the fourth Sunday of the month and will be doing so this evening. 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.

❖ Taizé Weekend

On *Friday 30th October*, a number of young people from all over Europe will come to Wesley Hall for a Taizé weekend. They will come to pray, sing, have fun and share their faith with each other, both in silence and during workshops and discussions. At 7:30pm on *Saturday 31st October*, there will be a Taizé prayer service for anyone who would like to come and join in. Everyone is welcome.

If you would like to find out more, please see or contact Tim for information on the following:

- If you are aged between 18 and 35 and would like to participate in the weekend
- If you would like to help welcome the young people on the Friday night
- To find out more information about the prayer service on the Saturday night

Some of the young people will have a long journey, travelling from places like Finland, Poland or Estonia. On Friday and Saturday night, they will eat and sleep in Wesley Hall. Some young people might arrive a day or 2 early, or leave a day or 2 later, so if you would like to host someone for an extra night or two, or if you could provide bedding (including camping mattresses), please contact Tim.

COMING SOON...

❖ Stationing

As most of us will be aware, we are currently going through the stationing process for a new Minister from September 2016. A shortlist has been drawn up by the Circuit and the Leadership Teams of both Wesley Hall and Walkley Ebenezer. We will be holding a day of prayer from 9am to 9pm on *Monday 2nd November*, the day the final decision making process starts. If you are able to sign up for a specific time, please see the sheet in church.

❖ Youth Group (Yeast)

The next Yeast will be on *Sunday 15th November*, here at Wesley Hall. All secondary-aged children are welcome. Please see Tim for more details or contact him: 07401 980 794; youth@wesleyhall.org.uk.

❖ Advent Fayre

This year's Advent Fayre will take place on *Saturday 28th November*, 11:00am-2:00pm. Please start to sort out any unwanted gifts, new items, crafts, etc for the stalls. We need toys, cakes, jewellery, tombola items, raffle prizes, bric-a-brac, new gifts and jigsaws. Please bring them to Wesley Hall any time and they can be stored in a cupboard. For anything that needs transport, Dorothy and Jim would be happy to pick up.

❖ Membership Classes

We are hoping to run a membership class later in the year. If you are interested in becoming a member of Wesley Hall, please speak to one of the Leadership Team (Rev. Gareth Jones, Sue Chapman, Claire Eaton, Louise Etherington, Andrew Gray, Neil Harland, Matt Irons, Tim Jansen, Dorothy White).

AND FINALLY...

❖ Avril Clark is doing MOVEember!

At the tender age of 37, Avril will get moving for "MOVEember in November" and learn to ride a bicycle for the very first time! Why? Because (a) she's mad and (b) she's wanting to raise money for Prostate Cancer UK for her father-in-law Jim and the 1 in 8 other men affected by prostate cancer. So please, if you're able to, sponsor her online at <http://mosista.co/avrilclark> or see her in person. Avril will share lots of photos of her progress and bike-riding finale with you in December. Thanks.

❖ Unwanted Clothes Needed

The drop in centre that we collect for is in desperate need of unwanted clothing. Any clothing (adult or child sizes) will be gratefully received but men's clothing is needed the most. Please pass any clothes you wish to donate to Dorothy White.

ROOF WORKS UPDATE

The roof works are now underway and progress is being made! We would like to keep everyone up to date with what is happening so if you have any questions, please see Matt. The project is scheduled to last until the end of November and a summary of what has happened this week is below:

The cupola has had more of the new lead covering put on

The buttresses on the main flat roof have now all been recovered with new asphalt

