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Wesley Hall is part of Wesley Ebenezer Methodist Church

# Sunday 30th June 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 10:30am Preacher Mr Luiz Montanheiro

Worship Leader Emma Irons

The stewards on duty are Steve & Linda Wright

And next week 7<sup>th</sup> July

10:30am

Preacher

Rev John Simms

All Age Worship

The steward on duty will be Andrew Gray

# THIS WEEK...

# Mary Tozer

The next service at Mary Tozer will be this **Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July** from 7:00pm to 8:00pm. All are welcome to come and join us.

# ❖ BeVox & Sooper Troopers Concert

BeVox Community Choir are performing with Sooper Troopers, a choir for people with learning disabilities. Come and enjoy an evening of uplifting and popular music at Wesley Hall tonight at 7:30pm. Tickets are £5 on the door with all proceeds to Super Troopers. For more information call Elizabeth on

# **COMING SOON...**

#### Service to Launch the New Sheffield Circuit

The launch service for the Single Sheffield Circuit takes place on **Sunday 1**<sup>st</sup> **September** at 3pm. This will be a wonderful opportunity to commit ourselves to each other. Civic and faith leaders will be present to share in the service. There is seating for 1150 people in the Octagon which is more than our usual average Sunday services combined. Tickets have been allocated to each circuit on a proportional basis, to be fair. If you would like to attend, please add your name to the list at the back of church, but **please note that today is the deadline**. Our numbers will then be passed on to the organiser who will issue us with tickets, which will be needed for entry to the event. This day will also be our joint Covenant Service at Wesley Hall in the morning followed by a faith lunch, after which those going to the Octagon can catch the bus, walk or drive down.

## ❖ Wednesday Group

The next Wednesday Group will be on **10<sup>th</sup> July** at 7.30pm and will be led by Ann Beedham, who will be speaking about 'Randini': the man who befriended and helped Houdini.

#### Christian Aid

#### **Night Hike**

The Christian Aid Night Hike will be on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July (see www.sheffieldnighthike.org.uk).

## **Supermarket Collections**

There will be a supermarket collection for Christian Aid on **Tuesday 9th July** at Sainsbury's on Archer Road. Please see Andrea Killingsworth for more details.

### Birthday Party

Everyone is invited to join Louise Etherington and Sue Chapman in celebrating their birthdays. Their party will be here at Wesley Hall on **Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> July** at 7:00pm. Louise will be 40 and Sue will be 70. Please sign the sheet at the back of church. No presents please, but if you wish you can donate to the roof appeal or Compassion.

# ❖ Circuit Prayer Walk

You may recall that for the last two years a number of us have walked around the Circuit in order to pray with the congregations and to raise some much-needed funds for work in the circuit. Well, it's nearly time to do it again! This will be the last opportunity for such an exercise, as the Sheffield West circuit will cease to exist on 31st August this year, so this is an ideal opportunity for us to finally 'beat the bounds' of our circuit and to rejoice in the fellowship we have shared over many years together. As yet there are no plans for a similar venture in the new circuit, but who knows...

The walk will take place on **Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> July**, leaving Walkley Ebenezer at 9:00am and hopefully arriving at Wesley Hall by 4:30pm. Details of the route and timings are on the board at the back of church. If anyone wishes to join in the walk, could you please let John Simms know, so that we don't set off without you!

# **♦** 'Yorkshire Evening'

This is an SCEC West Branch event being held at Walkley Ebenezer on **Friday 12th July** at 7pm. This will be a great evening's entertainment for all ages, with music, quizzes, poetry and refreshments (all Yorkshire produce).

## Dates for Your Diary

Our Harvest Festival this year will be on **Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September** (with evening meal and entertainment) and our Away Day will be on **Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October**. More details will follow closer to the time but please put these dates in your diary!

## AND FINALLY...

# ❖ Thank You

Brian Mills would like to send his thanks for all your prayers, get well messages and cards during his recent stay in hospital.

# Lunch Club - Can You Help?

For most of the year we have had 3 student volunteers at our Thursday Lunch Club. They have now gone home for the summer and until we break up on 18th July we will be a little shorthanded. Could you help from 12 noon to about 1.45pm on any of the next 3 Thursdays? Any help would be greatly appreciated. Please have a word with Steve Wright if you are interested.

# ❖ Broomhall Drop-In Centre

There is a card at the back of church from the Broomhall drop-in centre thanking us for all the gifts passed on to them. The centre helps around 40-50 people every Wednesday evening, with each person receiving a hot meal and a pair of socks; second hand clothing, shoes and bedding are also available. The box remains at the back of church so please bring any donations of tins, clothes, coats, sleeping bags, etc. Dorothy and Jim White have kindly offered to pass any items to the drop-in centre.

# Church Away Weekend

We will be joining together with our friends at Walkley for an away weekend again next year. This will be over the May Day weekend, **2nd-4th May 2014**. Before we can decide on the venue, we need to know numbers. So if you are interested in joining us, please let Dorothy White or Andrew Gray know **as soon as possible**. We will then look at booking the most appropriate venue.

The editor for July is Matt Irons. If you have anything for the newsletter, please pass it on by Wednesday evening by sending an e-mail to <a href="mailto:newsletter@wesleyhall.org.uk">newsletter@wesleyhall.org.uk</a>, placing a note in the pigeon hole or calling Matt on