



Wesley Hall

Crookes, Sheffield



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Sunday 4th September 2022

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** **Rev. Mike Jones (Covenant & Holy Communion)**
The steward on duty is Emma Irons

Sunday 11th September 10:30am Chris Sissons

Sunday 18th September 10:30am Rev. Steve Clark

Sunday 25th September 10:30am Louise Etherington

THIS WEEK

❖ **Worship in the Building – COVID Precautions**

- Please be considerate of those who wish to maintain social distancing and ask before sitting close to somebody.
- We are not passing the offering plate around, but there is one on the hatch where we serve tea/coffee. Please make use of it if you have brought an offering with you today.

❖ **Circuit Welcome Service**

There will be a Circuit Welcome Service for our new Superintendent Minister, Romeo Pedro and our three new Ministers, Naomi Cooke, our own Mike Jones, and Philip Peacock, *this evening* at 6:30pm at Victoria Hall. The preacher will be our District Chair, Gill Newton, and refreshments will be served.

❖ **Joan Frith**

It is with great sadness that we have learnt about the death of Joan Frith, who passed away on Saturday 13th August. Joan's daughters, Pauline, Elaine and Irene, have invited us to join them for a Service of Remembrance to celebrate her life, which will be at 12noon on *Wednesday 7th September* at Wesley Hall, and for refreshments afterwards downstairs. The family have requested no flowers, but any donations can be made to the British Heart Foundation.

❖ **Heritage Open Day**

We are holding a Heritage Open Day at 10:30am at Wesley Hall on *Saturday 10th September* entitled 'A Grand Day Out'. There will be a talk by local historian Anne, 'The Bustle Lady', about how Wesley Hall catered for social needs in late Victorian times. Matt will also give a shorter talk about the architecture of the building, followed by an archive exhibition and refreshments. All are welcome to come to this, but we also need some help on the day, mainly by baking cakes and serving them. If you are able to help, please see Matt.

COMING SOON

❖ Leadership Team

The Wesley Hall Leadership Team meet monthly to pray, share ideas and plan/review church events and their next meeting is on *Monday 12th September*. Please pray for the meeting and let a member of the team know if there is anything that you would like to be discussed.

❖ Stay & Play

Our Stay & Play is a free drop in community event with a bouncy castle, café and crafts. We would love to see any old or new faces there! The next one is on *Saturday 17th September* and has a nature theme. Please feel free to come along yourself or take a flyer and invite someone who might be interested.

❖ Circuit Youth-Led Service

The next Circuit Youth-Led Service is at Carterknowle Methodist Church on *Sunday 25th September*. There is a breakfast at 9am for young people and parents from other churches, followed by the Service at 10:30am. We'll end our time together with a buffet lunch provided by Feast where the whole congregation will be welcome to join us.

CHILDREN & FAMILIES

- ❖ TRIBE is restarting today after taking a break for the summer. There are a few gaps on the new TRIBE rota for both the leader and the second person (to help the leader). There is a printed copy at the back of church, so please take a look and pop your name down if you are able to help with any of them.
- ❖ Our weekly groups have not run over the summer holidays but they will be starting up in the new term. Toddlers will start on *Wednesday 14th September* and Wesley Wiggles on *Thursday 15th September*.
- ❖ For our Stay & Play (on the 17th) we will need plastic milk bottles. It doesn't matter what size (1, 2, 4 or 6 pints) as we can use them all. Please could you give them a rinse out and either pass them to Neil or leave outside the office.

PRAYER POINTS

- ❖ Please continue to pray for a resolution to the war in Ukraine, that peace may prevail
- ❖ Please pray for Andrea as she settles into her new role aboard the "African Mercy", in Senegal.
- ❖ Please pray for Wesley Hall, Totlely Rise and Dore, as we all adjust to being a new church grouping; and for Rev. Mike Jones as he settles into his new role as our Minister.
- ❖ For our youth worker recruitment, that God will provide the right person to continue our work with young people.

If you have any prayer points to include in the newsletter, please pass them on to the Editor (see contact details at bottom of page).