



Wesley Hall

Crookes, Sheffield



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Wesley Hall is part of Wesley Ebenezer Methodist Church

Sunday 4th November 2012

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 All Age Worship** **Rev. John Simms & Liz Harding**
The steward on duty is Dorothy White

And next week *10:30am Preacher* *Mr. Russell Blackwell*
11th November *Worship Leader* *Dorothy White*
6:00pm Preacher *Rev. John Simms (Remembrance Service)*
The stewards will be Steve & Linda (am) & Dorothy (pm)

THIS WEEK...

❖ **The Beacon Praise Service**

The Beacon Praise Service is tonight at 6:30pm at Broomhill, all are welcome to come along.

❖ **Students: Coffee at the Manse**

Remember, remember... not 5th November, but that this evening there will be parkin, hot drinks and other cakes to fend off the falling autumn temperatures. All students are welcome at 27 Cross Lane Mews, S10 1WL, any time from 8:00pm onwards. If lost, call Catrin on 07597 673106.

❖ **Iota**

Iota, the eight-session multimedia course produced by the Methodist Relief & Development Fund, continues this Tuesday 6th November at Wesley Hall. The remaining dates are Thursday 15th November at Walkley and Thursday 22nd November at Wesley Hall, all from 7:30pm, and I invite you all to come along and share together. Thanks, John.

❖ **Bible Basics**

Bible Basics is taking a break for a couple of weeks but will be back on Wednesday 21st November at 7:30pm at the Manse and will be looking at Samson. Please feel free to come along or call 266 0010 for more information or see Judith Simms or Louise Etherington.

❖ **Wesley Hall Lunch Club**

Lunch Club meets every Thursday in the Church Hall with a meal at 12:15pm, having a 2 course lunch cooked on the premises, with tea and coffee. The cost is £3.50 and if you are interested in coming along, or know of someone who would like to come, please have a word with one of the team.

❖ **Men's Breakfast**

A group of us continue to meet for a chat over a bacon and egg sandwich from 8:30 to 9:30am downstairs in the hall. Please join us for our next meeting on Saturday 10th November. If you have any queries, speak to Jim or Steve.

○ Loving all People

○ Building Community

○ Sharing our Christian Faith

COMING SOON...

❖ Leadership Team

The Leadership Team is meeting on Monday 12th November. Please can you pray for this meeting and let one the team know if there is anything that you would like to be discussed.

❖ Justice Like a River

An evening with Garth Hewitt in concert on Thursday 15th November at 7:30pm at St Columba's in Crosspool. Tickets cost £7 (£4.50 concessions) and are available by calling (0114) 267 0006.

❖ Children's Hospital Fayre

The Friends of the Children's Hospital will be holding their Christmas Fayre at Wesley Hall on Saturday 17th November starting at 10:00am.

❖ SPACE

Our monthly reflective, drop-in, prayer-space will next be happening on Sunday 18th November between from 7:30 and 9:00pm. If you would like to set up some chairs & tables after the morning service, cook or serve mugs of warming soup for a cold evening, or tidy away at the end of the evening, speak to Neil.

❖ Community weekend

On 23rd – 25th November, a small team from Cliff College will be helping us widen the cross-section of the Crookes community who know what Wesley Hall has to offer them. This will include politely asking people about their perceptions of the church and us discovering how we can better build community, love all people and share our faith. If you don't mind, or even enjoy, chatting to people we will need some assistance with this.

Early evening on Sunday 25th November, we will be hosting a free community magic show, headlined by the excellent Steve Macbeth and designed to appeal to as broad an age group as possible. Do think about who you could invite to this.

We will also be holding a bring and share lunch after our morning service that day, at which the Cliff students will share what they have heard.

More details to follow – watch this space!

❖ Walkley Ebenezer Christmas Fair

This will be held on Saturday 24th November and will probably follow the same format as last year which worked well. The fair will open from 10:00am to 12:30pm during which coffee will be served. Stalls will include Home baking & preserves, Christmas Crafts, cards and gifts, toiletries, books and Tombola. This year we will have a Santa's Workshop area with Father Christmas' grotto, bun decorating, face painting and games for children, in the 3 rooms upstairs.

Lunch which will be served at 12:30 pm. The menu is meat and potato pie and peas (or vegetarian option), choice of dessert and a cup of tea or juice. The price is £5.50 for adults and £3.50 for children. To assist with catering please obtain a ticket in advance for Lunch from Margaret Worfolk. These are available from today but must be bought by Sunday 18th November.

AND FINALLY...

❖ Movember

Andrew Gray, together with some of his work colleagues, is taking part in Movember. This is a month-long event to raise funds for, and awareness of, men's health issues, specifically prostate cancer and testicular cancer. All participants of Movember will be growing a moustache during November and hopefully raising funds from sponsorship. If you'd like to sponsor Andrew, please speak to him or see this link to donate online https://www.movember.com/uk/donate/payment/member_id/2989889/.

The editor for the month of November is Steve. Please place items for the newsletter in the pigeon hole, send an e-mail to newsletter@wesleyhall.org.uk or call Steve on [REDACTED] by Wednesday evening.