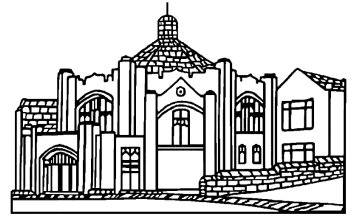




# Wesley Hall

## Part of Wesley Ebenezer Methodist Church

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### Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2011

#### We Welcome You To Worship Today

We hope you find a warm welcome, particularly if you are with us for the first time. If we don't manage to speak to you personally and you would like more information, please pick up a welcome card and leaflet. All song words are projected onto the wall above the dais or can be found in the books provided. Separate song sheets are available at the back of church for any songs that are not in the hymn books.

Recordings of our Sunday morning services are usually available, please see Matt Irons.

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<b>Today's service</b>	<b>10.30 am:</b>	<b>Preacher</b>	<b>Rev. John Simms (Parade Service)</b>
		<b>Worship Leader</b>	<b>Sarah Owen</b>
		The steward on duty today is Pat Singleton.	

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<i>And next week</i>	<i>10.30 am:</i>	<i>Preacher</i>	<i>Mrs. Judith Simms</i>
<i>13<sup>th</sup> February</i>		<i>Worship Leader</i>	<i>Louise Etherington</i>
	<i>6:30pm:</i>	<i>Preacher</i>	<i>Rev. John Simms (Prayer Service)</i>
		<i>The steward on duty will be Pat Singleton</i>	

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## THIS WEEK...

### ❖ Wednesday Group:

The Wednesday Group are meeting here at Wesley Hall this *Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> February* for a quiz with Celia.

### ❖ 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 12<sup>th</sup> February*. If you have any queries, speak to Gareth or Jim.

### ❖ Congregation Meeting:

There will be a meeting after the service next *Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> February* to discuss proposals for the roof repairs, a new buildings manager post and fundraising. Sorry for the short notice but we are wanting to progress with these ideas quickly so that we have time to put them before the next Circuit meeting in March. Please do stay if you are able to and speak to John, Gareth or Steve Wright for more information.

## COMING SOON...

### ❖ Preaching Series:

During our Sunday morning service we are working our way through the book of Nehemiah. It is hoped that the Fellowship groups will also follow suit and consider the passages in their meetings during the week following each sermon. The remaining services in the series are:

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| • Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> February  | Nehemiah 7:73-10:39 | Rev John L Simms [Parade]              |
| • Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> February | Nehemiah 12:27-47   | Mrs Judith Simms                       |
| • Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> February | Nehemiah 13:1-31    | Rev John L Simms [including Communion] |
| • Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> February | Leprosy Mission     | Mr James Greig                         |

### ❖ **Marriage Unlocked:**

Learn more about:

- Talking honestly
- Satisfying sex
- Growing deeper in love
- Making decisions without arguing...

at a Care for the Family event at St Thomas' Church, Crookes, on *Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> February* from 7:30 to 10:00pm. Tickets from Care for the Family on 029 2081 0800 or [www.careforthefamily.org.uk/marriage-unlocked](http://www.careforthefamily.org.uk/marriage-unlocked) and cost £12 per couple and order for 2 couples and receive the 2nd couple for just £8. The flier also reassures that there will be no group work or embarrassing questions! Contact Simone or Emma for some free tickets.

### ❖ **Onside Events For Men:**

The next Onside event is on *Friday 25<sup>th</sup> February* at 7:30pm at the Sheffield Wednesday Stadium in Hillsborough. The speaker will be Ian Manifold who was director of Western Park Hospital and is a cancer specialist, rock climber and keen cyclist. Tickets are £5 on the door. For more information contact Peter Allen on [REDACTED].

### ❖ **The Wizard of Oz:**

WEADS are presenting their annual pantomime "The Wizard of Oz" at Walkley Ebenezer from *Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> to Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> February*. Performances are nightly at 7:15pm with a matinee at 2:15pm on Saturday. Tickets are priced at £4.50 for adults and £2.00 for children. To get your tickets please see Sue or Brian Mills or phone [REDACTED].

### ❖ **Messy Church:**

Starting on *Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March* we will be running a Messy Church at Wesley Hall every week from 4:00pm to 5:30pm, during term time. Messy Church is a fresh expression of church initiative aimed at reaching out to children and their parents and carers and involves a combination of creative activities, food and worship. It is a great opportunity for mission for us at Wesley Hall. Nel Shallow, the Circuit Mission Enabler, will be leading this for us which is an amazing blessing and answer to prayer. Nel will be promoting Messy church in our community to local schools and the children's organisations we are linked to but it would be great if those of you with children would be able to come to it also. Children coming to Messy Church have to be accompanied by an adult. Nel will require some of us to be able to help out with this initiative and I want to put together a rota of people who are able to assist her -this will not mean a weekly commitment. Please let Andrea know if you can help out on an occasional basis with this initiative and do speak to Andrea or Rachel for more information about what's involved. Please do keep this new venture in your prayers as it is a very exciting development for us and opens up to us great mission opportunities.

There will be a training session for those who are interested in helping out on *Monday 28th February* at 7:30pm.

### ❖ **Craft Fayre:**

Wesley Hall is joining with Moose International, a fundraising organisation, to raise money for Bluebell Wood and Wesley Hall by holding a Craft Fayre on *Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> March*. We do need your help in collecting items for the stalls e.g. new gifts, jewellery, books, crafts, toys, tombola prizes, cakes etc. Please do support the event as we need money to repair the roof and to keep Wesley Hall open in the future. Dorothy.

## **AND FINALLY...**

### ❖ **Rev. John's Blog:**

Our Minister, John, has started a 'Blog'. If any of you are interested in reading it, it can be found at <http://flightoftheskypilot.blogspot.com>.

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