



# Wesley Hall

## Crookes, Sheffield



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## Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2017

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.

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<b>Today's services</b>	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Preacher</b>	<b>Mr. Chris Sissons</b>	<b>(Harvest Festival)</b>
	<b>6:00pm</b>	<b>Preacher</b>	<b>Rev. Sally Coleman</b>	<b>(Prayer Service)</b>

The steward on duty is Andrew Gray

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<i>Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> October</i>	<i>10:30am</i>	<i>Taizé Service</i>
<i>Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> October</i>	<i>10:30am</i>	<i>Rev. Sally Coleman (All Age Café Church)</i>
<i>Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> October</i>	<i>10:30am</i>	<i>Local Arrangements</i>

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## THIS WEEK ...

### ❖ Harvest Festival

This morning is our Harvest Festival service. Gifts of money and food are gratefully received and will go to the Victoria Hall Sunday Centre, which provides meals for the homeless in Sheffield.

### ❖ Leadership Team

The Wesley Hall Leadership Team meet monthly to pray, share ideas and plan/review church events and their next meeting is this Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October. Please pray for the meeting and let a member of the team know if there is anything that you would like to be discussed.

### ❖ Taizé Weekend

From Friday 13<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> October (next weekend) the annual Taizé weekend will be taking place, here at Wesley Hall. The weekend is aimed at people aged 18-35, however all sessions are open to anyone who is interested. The schedule of the weekend will be:

Friday 13 <sup>th</sup>	21:00	Wesley Hall
Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup>	09:15	Wesley Hall
Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup>	13:30	St Marie's Cathedral
Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup>	19:30	Sheffield Cathedral
Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup>	10:30	Wesley Hall

If you are interested in going along, want to know more or have any questions, please contact Tim Jansen.

Also, some of the young people will have travelled a long distance, so if you have an airbed and/or sleeping bag you could lend, please leave in the office or speak to Tim.

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Children & Families Liz Harding 07412 124 310  
Pre-teen & Youth Tim Jansen 07401 980 794  
Building Manager Matt Irons 0114 267 9040

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## COMING SOON...

### ❖ Church Council

Our next Church Council meeting will be on Thursday 19th October at 7:30pm in the Emmaus Room. Please you could you let Sally or Dan have any agenda items as soon as possible.

### ❖ Circuit Mission Conference

We are all invited to "Growing Followers of Jesus - Developing Holy Habits" on the morning of Saturday 4th November here at Wesley Hall, from 9:00am to 1:15pm. The keynote speaker is Rev. Andrew Roberts, author of "Holy Habits" (MD Publishing, 2016) and you can also choose one from five available discipleship workshops which consider "Growing followers of Jesus" in different church contexts: Multicultural, New and Fresh Expressions, Traditional Church Communities, the Third Aged, and Younger Generations, X, Y, Z. There will be opening and closing worship, a marketplace to find out about other churches across the Circuit and a bookstall, as well as the opportunity to meet one another and enjoy refreshments. Since the conference is being held here this year, it would be great to see Wesley Hall well represented! If you would like to go, please see Matt for a booking form.

### ❖ How to... share your cloak

We place great emphasis on our hospitality to people who use Wesley Hall throughout the week and to the people of Crookes. Often we wonder if this could lead to a deeper level of relationship, pastoral support or community chaplaincy. On Saturday 11th November there will be a Methodist training event in York on "How to... share your cloak" ie celebrating and exploring diverse models of chaplaincy, including such as this. If you are interested in going, please speak to Neil Harland.

## AND FINALLY...

### ❖ Kilombero rice challenge

Wesley Hall has taken receipt of 90 bags of delicious Kilombero rice. If we can sell them all at £3 per bag, the growers in Malawi will have earned enough to send one of their children to high school for a year. Neil Harland will be selling bags after the service, and hopes also to distribute them via our building user groups. Any assistance with these would be welcome.

### ❖ Estrella (Our Sponsor Child)

Compassion UK have sent us a message to say that Estrella (our sponsor child) lives out of the area in Mexico which has been affected by the earthquake recently. Her project is running completely as normal. Our prayers are asked for the projects in the earthquake zone.

### ❖ Brownie & Guide Leader

Jenny Griffiths has been running the Brownies and Guides here at Wesley Hall for over 6 years but is stepping down at the end of October as she's expecting a baby in January. This is fantastic news and we wish Jenny all the best for the birth of her first child! However, it does mean that we need a new leader for the group. If you are interested, or know of anyone who might be interested in leading or helping at Brownies and Guides (they meet on Tuesday evenings), then please see Matt.

### ❖ Vote for Potteric Panels!

As you may know, Liz, our Children and Families Worker, is also a trainee for Yorkshire Wildlife Trust in Doncaster. She is leading a project to install solar panels at the visitor centre at Potteric Carr Nature Reserve, which has been short-listed to receive £12,000 from the Marks & Spencer Community Energy Fund. But they need public votes to get any money! To find out about the project, vote and donate, if you feel so moved, go to: <https://www.mandsenergyfund.com/projects/potteric-panels>. Voting closes on Friday 20th October, so you have time to chat to Liz if you'd like to know more.

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The editor for October is Andrew Gray. 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 Andrew on [REDACTED] by Wednesday evening.