



Wesley Hall

Crookes, Sheffield



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Sunday 13th December 2015

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 services	10:30am	Preacher	Rev. Gareth Jones (Holy Communion)
	6:00pm	Prayer Service	Rev. Gareth Jones
		The steward on duty today is Emma Irons	

<i>Sunday 20th December</i>	<i>10:30am</i>	<i>TRIBE Nativity</i>	<i>6:00pm</i>	<i>Carol Service</i>
<i>Sunday 27th December</i>	<i>10:45am</i>	<i>Joint Service at Walkley (see below)</i>	<i>6:00pm</i>	<i>Stay & Pray</i>
<i>Sunday 3rd January</i>	<i>10:30am</i>	<i>Mr. David Battye</i>		

THIS WEEK...

❖ Wednesday Group

The Wednesday Group will be meeting here at Wesley Hall at 7:30pm this *Wednesday 16th December* for a Christmas evening.

❖ 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 14th December*. Please pray for the meeting and let a member of the team know if there is anything that you would like to be discussed.

❖ Lunch Club: Can You Help?

This *Thursday 17th December* will be our Christmas Lunch at Lunch Club. This is always a good occasion, however, it is a very busy time for our volunteers. It would be great if we could have a few more helpers for our Christmas Lunch. If you could help as a one-off this Thursday, please have a word with Steve Wright.

❖ Christmas Concerts

There are two Christmas concerts at Wesley Hall this week, the Sheffield University Medics Choir at 7:00pm on Thursday 17th December (£5 adults, £4 concessions) and the Worrall Male Voice Choir at 7:30pm on Friday 18th December (£7 including refreshments).

❖ Messy Church

Our Christmas Messy Church is this *Saturday 19th December* from 10:00 to 11:30am. We will be looking at the Christmas story and making lots of Christmassy crafts like sock snowmen and sugar igloos!

❖ Carol Service

Our Carol Service is next *Saturday 20th December* at 6:00pm. Join us as we sing a selection of carols and reflect on the real meaning of Christmas, followed by mince pies!

CHRISTMAS EVENTS...

Saturday 19 th December	10:00am	Christmas Messy Church
Sunday 20 th December	6:00pm	Candlelit Carol Service
Christmas Day	9:30am	Christmas Morning Family Celebration
Sunday 27 th December	10:45am	Joint Service at Walkley

COMING SOON...

❖ Celebration Weekend on 23rd/24th April 2016

We felt that it was right to hold a formal celebration of the completion of the roof project at some point in the New Year. It has also been suggested that as 2016 is the 160th anniversary of Wesley Hall (this is when the School Road building opened) this should also be marked in some way. The foundation stone for the School Road building was laid on April 23rd 1836 and April 23rd falls on a Saturday in 2016 so this will be the date of the combined celebrations. A rough outline for the weekend would be some sort of open day with information and pictures from the archives charting the history of Wesley Hall over the last 160 years with a meal in the evening and a special service on the Sunday. If you would like to be involved in planning the celebrations, please see Louise Etherington.

AND FINALLY...

❖ New Offering Envelopes

The new offering envelopes for 2016 are now available to pick up at the back of church. Due to a reduction in the total number of envelopes ordered, some of the numbers have changed. If your number was between 51 and 59, your new number will be between 31 and 39 (subtract 20). Sorry for the inconvenience and if you have any questions or would like to know more about giving to Wesley Hall, please see Matt.

❖ Christmas Cards

Wishing everyone peace and joy at Christmas; I have sent a donation to Open Doors for their work with Christians in Iraq and Syria instead of sending Christmas cards. Andrea Killingsworth.

❖ JMA

Carole Gray would like to thank everyone who has collected or donated to JMA over recent years. Although we have stopped the weekly collecting, the Leadership Team have suggested that we continue to support this worthy cause in other ways. If anyone would like a collecting box to donate their loose change, please let Carole know. Also, we hope to arrange one-off fund raising events specifically for JMA with involvement from TRIBE.

❖ Caretaker Vacancy at The Montgomery

This role is to provide hands-on security and maintenance at The Montgomery. You will be responsible for the building care and maintenance; duty management; and Health and Safety implementation and compliance. You will be expected to deliver high quality, effective and efficient services to support The Montgomery and the needs of contractors, audiences, artists, companies and hirers in line with our vision, values and targets.

❖ Theatre Technician Vacancy at The Montgomery

This role is to provide hands-on technical services at The Montgomery. You will be responsible for the technical services; duty management; and Health and Safety implementation and compliance. You will be expected to deliver high quality, effective and efficient services to support The Montgomery and the needs of audiences, artists, companies and hirers in line with our vision, values and targets.