



Wesley Hall

Crookes, Sheffield



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Wesley Hall is part of Wesley Ebenezer Methodist Church

Sunday 22nd September 2013

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	Preacher	Rev Tim Bradshaw
	6:00pm		Stay & Pray - Prayer at Home (see below)
		The steward on duty today is Jenny Jones	

<i>And next week</i>	<i>10:30am</i>	<i>Preacher</i>	<i>Ms Mandy Boyce (Harvest Festival)</i>
<i>29th September</i>		<i>The steward on duty will be Andrew Gray</i>	

THIS WEEK...

❖ Stay & Pray

To complement our Prayer Service on the second Sunday of each month, we are continuing with our 'Stay & Pray' on the fourth Sunday of the month. The idea is that people spend some time between 6:00pm and 7:00pm (not necessarily the full hour) praying at home. Although we will not be meeting together face to face, we will be praying together in our homes.

❖ Sheffield University Church Search

The new academic year starts this week and Wesley Hall will be represented at the Sheffield University Church Search BBQ (a bit like a trade fair or Freshers' fair for churches). If chatting to people about Wesley Hall is your thing, could you help staff our stall on Wednesday 25 September? We also need someone to be at Endcliffe Village on 29 September and 6 October in time to walk/drive any interested students up to our morning service. If you can help out, please speak to Neil Harland.

❖ Wesley Hall Lunch Club

The Wesley Hall Lunch Club has started again after the summer break. We meet every Thursday at 12 noon for a wholesome 2 course meal cooked on the premises, followed by tea and coffee and a chance to meet old and new friends, all for £3.50. If you would like to come along or you know of someone else who would like to come, please have a word with Jim White or Steve Wright. Also, if you would like to volunteer to help at Lunch Club please speak to them.

❖ **Wednesday Group**

This week, Wednesday Group will be meeting at 7.30pm to “Look at Wales” with Andy Firth.

❖ **Stay & Play**

Stay & Play returns next Saturday 28th September from 10am. There will be a bouncy castle along with craft activities, toys and hot drinks for the adults. It would be lovely if we could offer cakes to the families and if you would be prepared to bake something, then please let Steve or Linda know. If you have friends or family members with children or grandchildren of either pre-school or infant school age, then I would encourage you to invite them along. Please continue to keep this exciting venture in your prayers.

COMING SOON...

❖ **Harvest Service**

Our Harvest service is next Sunday 29th September. Gifts of money will go to the Methodist Relief & Development Fund (MRDF) and gifts of food to the Victoria Hall Methodist Mission which provides meals for the homeless in Sheffield. The food items most needed by this project are Cup-a-Soup, tinned soups (with ring pull only), biscuits and tea / coffee.

❖ **X:Site**

After a successful year at Wesley Hall, X:Site is back on Saturday 5th October, 6:00pm-8:00pm, for all Y3 to Y6s. X:Site is an evening full of fun and games, loud singing of songs to God and an exciting look at the Bible. Entry is £2.50 (to cover costs). Please email xsitesheffield@gmail.com for more information or to register.

❖ **Table Top Sale**

There will be a table top sale at Walkley Ebenezer on Saturday 5th October between 10am and 1pm.

❖ **Away Day**

Our Away Day this year will be held in Bakewell on Saturday 12th October. The day will have a different format to previous years so that the whole family will be able to come and join in. After some worship together, the adults will be led in a time of reflection by John and the children by Liz. We will then have a packed lunch (please bring this with you) before heading into Bakewell for the afternoon. Details of times and venue will be confirmed closer to the day.

❖ **Share Jesus International**

The first Methodist in Sheffield Circuit evangelism event will be taking place on Wednesday 2nd October at 7pm-9pm at Victoria Hall, Norfolk Street. It is part of the ‘ACTS NOW’ tour and is hosted by Share Jesus International. It will include worship, teaching and a workshop, the aim being to give us tips on how to share the Gospel with our community and to get us passionate about doing so. There are some flyers at the back of church with more information or see their website <http://sharejesusinternational.com/actsnow/>.

❖ **Try Something New update**

Have you seen our ‘Try Something New’ flyers? If not, there are plenty at the back of the church and downstairs in the entrance hall. With only two weeks to go until the start of ‘Try Something New’, please be thinking about whether any of your friends, relatives, neighbours or colleagues would enjoy trying something that happens here. It would only take each of us to chat to one or two people to have a transformative effect on our community. And don’t forget to try something new yourself!

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