



Wesley Hall

Crookes, Sheffield



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Sunday 25th February 2018

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. Michael Brown
		Worship Leader	Neil Harland
	6.00pm-7.00pm	Stay and Pray	Prayer at home (please see below)

The steward on duty today is Emma Irons

<i>Sunday 4th March</i>	<i>10:30am</i>	<i>Rev Sally Coleman (Holy Communion)</i>
<i>Sunday 11th March</i>	<i>10:30am</i>	<i>Rev Catrin Harland</i>
	<i>6:00pm</i>	<i>Rev Sally Coleman (Prayer Service)</i>
<i>Sunday 18th March</i>	<i>10.30am</i>	<i>All Age Worship</i>

THIS WEEK...

❖ Stay & Pray

To complement our Prayer Service on the second Sunday of each month, we also hold 'Stay & Pray' on the fourth Sunday of the month which is today *25th February*. The idea is that people spend some time between 6:00pm and 7:00pm praying at home. Although we will not be meeting together face to face, we will be praying together in our homes.

❖ Lent Course

Sally's Lent course continues this *Monday 26th February* at 10:30am in the Committee Room. We will be looking at the Passion Narratives in John's Gospel, starting with the Triumphal Entry and travelling through to Easter Day. All are welcome.

❖ Bach-St. Matthew Passion

The Sheffield Bach Choir and St. Peter's Singers National Festival Orchestra are performing Bach's St. Matthew Passion at Sheffield Cathedral at 6.30pm on *Saturday 3rd March 2018*. Tickets are £16, concessions £13, students £6 on the door only. Children under 16 and accompanied by an adult are free. Tickets are available at: www.sheffieldbachchoir.org.uk, or www.wegotickets.com, or at the door or please see Alison MacFarlane.

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Children & Families Liz Harding 07412 124 310
Pre-teen & Youth Tim Jansen 07401 980 794
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COMING SOON...

❖ Community Ceilidh

Our community ceilidh will be back by popular demand on *Saturday 17th March*. We need volunteers (from within or beyond our congregation) to prepare for this and make sure everything runs smoothly on the day. Please contact Matt Irons if you are able to help out. Previous ceilidhs have been great fun and attracted a wide range of people, so do put the date in your diary and be thinking of friends who may be interested. No prior experience or dancing prowess required!

AND FINALLY...

❖ Can You Please Sponsor Andrea Killingsworth

With 2 friends from 26 May to 10 June I am undertaking the Coast to Coast walk starting at St Bees in Cumbria to Robin Hoods Bay a total of 192 miles. I am raising money for 2 anti-trafficking charities - Hope for Justice that undertakes investigations and rescues of trafficked people, has an advocacy role on their behalf, trains organisations to help them spot the signs trafficking and helps survivors restore their lives plus the Snowdrop Project, a Sheffield based charity which was the first such organisation to give long term support to survivors helping them to rebuild their lives. If you would like to sponsor me I have 2 total giving pages one for each of the above if you wish to give on line plus sponsor forms for both. Your prayers when I undertake the walk will be much appreciated as this is going to be quite a challenge and we are mainly camping also! The links to my Just Giving accounts are as follows

- <https://www.totalgiving.co.uk/mypage/andreakillingsworth>
- <https://www.totalgiving.co.uk/mypage/andreakillingsworth2>

Or I can share this with you electronically if you let me know. Thanks Andrea Killingsworth

❖ Donate your old shoes!

Liz would like your old boots, shoes, wellies for planters for the garden. She would like to do seed sowing with kids at the toddler group on *Wednesday 7th March*, so please drop in any worn-out shoes (doesn't need to be pairs) before then. If the shoes are still in good condition, please take to a charity shop instead, but if they are broken/ worn out I can use them :) Thanks!

❖ Flower Rota

There is a new flower rota up at the back of church. Please sign up to sponsor the church flowers if you can. As last year, there will not be any flowers during Lent, apart from Mother's Day. Please see Sue, Pat or Louise if you would like any more information. Thank you, The Flower Team.

❖ Photoboard

We are updating the 'Wesley Hall Family' photo board at the back of church, which has photos of everyone in the congregation and wider church family. Jim will be around with his camera next week so if you would like your photo adding to the board, or want to update your existing photo (more for children and young people who have changed quite a lot since the board went up!), make sure you catch him. Please feel free to say no if you would prefer not to, but also please seek Jim out if you don't get asked!

❖ Cleaning at Wesley Hall

Gail has been cleaning at Wesley Hall for the last 8 years but has now decided to move on. We would like to thank Gail for all of her hard work over the years, keeping our building clean and tidy. However, this does mean that we don't have a cleaner at the moment so please try extra hard to tidy up, and don't be afraid to get the vacuum out!

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