

*This week and into next.....*

Mon 6 <sup>th</sup>		NO Luncheon Club TODAY.
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup>		NO Women's Fellowship TODAY.
Tues 7 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am	Prayer Meeting in the Quiet Room.
Tues 7 <sup>th</sup>	10:00-11:30	Tuesday Coffee Morning in the Small Hall.
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup>	2:00 pm	Line Dancing today in the Main Hall..
Thu 9 <sup>th</sup>		NO Thursday Bible Study today, next meeting 16 <sup>th</sup> April.
Sat 11 <sup>th</sup>	10:00-12:00	Shoppers Coffee Morning at Central.

### Scout Bulbs 2015

Order forms will be available in early May. This early warning is for those who want to spot the gaps in their garden!

### The Grove General Church Meeting and Annual Report

The General Church Meeting (GCM) is to be held at 7.30pm on Wednesday 22nd April 2015 in the Main Hall of The Grove Centre. Whilst voting is restricted to church members, anyone associated with The Grove is welcome to attend, to consider the future of the church. In addition to one vacancy as GCM Representative on Church Council, 5 current representatives are due to complete their terms of office: Brian Ball, Betty France, Kathryn Bussey, Janette Mawson, and David Quick, of which then last three are eligible to stand for a second term. Nominations for church members to serve on Church Council for a period of three years from 1st September, 2015, should be given in writing, with the names of proposer and seconder, to the Minister or Peter Mawson, Council Secretary, by Monday 20th April 2015, as should any items of other business. Matters for discussion will include financial affairs, and the ministry and witness of the church including the sixth Annual Report (one copy per household available in the Narthex), together with an update on the work of Shirley Crawford in Uganda and the amalgamation of the Circuit.

### Wednesday Break – Open Meeting – April 15<sup>th</sup> in the Small Hall – 7:30 pm.

The speaker will be Mr Cluny McPherson, Chief Officer for Sport & Culture for Leeds City Council. He was responsible for organising the 'Tour De France'. There will be an interesting film show.

Everyone welcome – a collection will be taken for Martin House Children's Hospice.



# GROVE METHODIST CHURCH

<http://grovemethodist.org.uk>



## bulletin



5<sup>th</sup> April 2015

Minister: Rev'd Alistair Jones

Your organist today is: Dr Anthony Orton

# HAPPY EASTER

### Easter Morning Worship with Holy Communion led by the Revd Alistair Jones.

(Worship Book p160)

Introit  
 The Easter Shout  
 Hymn: StF298 "Christ the Lord"  
 Prayers & Collect  
 'Glory to God'  
 Dressing the Cross  
 Family News  
 J-Team leave  
 Congregation: **The Lord be with you**  
 J-Team: **and also with you**  
 Anthem  
 Reading: - Isaiah 25: 6 – 9 (P708)  
 Hymn: StF304 "Jesus is risen"  
 Reading: - Mark 16: 1 – 8 (P1024)  
 He is not here  
 Hymn: StF297 "Christ is alive"  
 Prayers of Intercession  
 The Lord's Prayer  
 The Nicene Creed  
 The Peace  
 Hymn: StF306 "Now the green blade"  
 Offertory & Dedication  
 Holy Communion  
 Hymn: StF313 "Thine be the glory"  
 Blessing  
**There will be a retiring collection for the Benevolence Fund**

### Café – Style Worship with Communion led by the Revd Alistair Jones.

Explanation & Call to Worship  
 Hymn: StF293 "All heaven declares"  
 Hymn: StF305 "Low in the grave"  
 Prayer Gathering  
 Prayers of Thanks and Praise  
 Hymn: StF343 "All my days"  
 Offertory & Dedication  
 Reading: – Luke 24: 1 – 12 (P1061)  
 Prayers of Wonder  
 Prayers of Confession & Assurance  
 of Pardon  
 An idle tale  
 Hymn: StF348 "He is Lord"  
 Hymn: StF308 "On the journey"  
 The Institution of the Sacrament  
 Reading: – Luke 24: 13 – 31 (P1061)  
 Holy Communion  
 Hymn: StF362 "Meekness and majesty"  
 Hymn: StF351 "In Cl  
 Blessing





**FAMILY NEWS: Please remember friends who would value your prayers.**

Stan Ramsden, Mary Hart, Nancy Mathers, Ros Revell, Margaret Reasbeck, Christine Wilson, Kathleen Taylor, John Ashby, Florence Bonfield, Margaret Bosomworth, Alan Lodge and Tony Emmott.

Next Sunday at 12 noon the Baptism of Thomas James Eric Douglass, son of Natalie and Paul Douglass, will take place here at the Grove. If any members of the Congregation would like to attend they would be most welcome.



If you have enjoyed the Easter flowers and would like to contribute to their cost please place your donation in the basket provided in the Narthex or hand to any member of the Flower Guild. Thank you.



Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> April – 09:00 am, the Grove Wanderers meet in the Parlour Car Park for a 6 mile walk from Ripley. All welcome. Transport available. Bring refreshments and suitable gear. Back by 3pm. Chris Sellar (2582662).



**Date for your diary:**

**Sunday 19th April 3.00 - 4.30 pm**

Election Hustings in St Margaret's Church Hall (doors open at 2.30 with refreshments) Your chance to see the candidates standing for election in our constituency. Questions will be selected concerning World, National and Local issues. Questions can be asked on the Horsforth Churches Together website ([www.horsforthchurches.together.btck.co.uk](http://www.horsforthchurches.together.btck.co.uk))

**NEXT SUNDAY 12<sup>th</sup> APRIL.**

**10:15 :Crèche UP TO 4 YEARS IN THE Main Hall.**

**10:20 :J-Team in the Small Hall.**

**10:30 :Morning Worship at the Grove led by the | vell.**

**6:00 :To be announced.**

**7:30 :Studio Dance SNYG in th .**

*Also Today.....*

09:00 –Holy Communion Service at the Grove led by The Revd Alistair Jones.

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10:20 –J- team in the Small Hall.

10.30 –Holy Communion Service at the Grove led by The Revd Alistair Jones.

6:00 – Evening Service at the Grove led by the Revd Alistair Jones.

Morning Coffee/Tea served in the Main Hall after the Service by Members of Tuesday Brownies.

7:30 - Studio Dance SNYG in the Activity Room

Your Stewards for today are:-

Michael Wallis & John Bussey.

You were welcomed at the door by:-

Representatives from the Tots & Tykes Group.

Flowers were provided by:

Mrs A Stokes & Mrs B Hodason & Mrs K Pearson.



**Help is Needed**

We have 4 volunteers who take it in turn to display the Order of Service on the projector screen in Chapel, particularly at the uniformed Parade Sunday Service.

Unfortunately, we are going to lose one of the volunteers, who is leaving us in September to further his education and some of the other volunteers have other functions to perform in Chapel on some Sunday mornings.

We are therefore desperate for new volunteers to join the rota and when we have more on board, it will then enable us to operate the system on other occasions than just at parade Services.

The only experience needed is to be able to operate the laptop computer ...its that simple !!!

I am prepared to assist you by producing the order of service slides for you to show and of course one of us will be present to support you on the Sunday morning until you are comfortable to use the system on your own.

All that is required is an hour and a half of your time, initially on a first Sunday of every month that a parade service is planned.

Please contact me on 01943 601685 , 07714 695355 or by email:

[howardhthompson@ hotmail.co.uk](mailto:howardhthompson@hotmail.co.uk).

Items for the bulletin should be posted through the Parlour door or telephoned to Sharon Firth on **0113 2582742** OR E-mailed to [sharon.firth@ntlworld.com](mailto:sharon.firth@ntlworld.com) **by 5pm on Wednesdays**



**Premises Manager:**

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Off duty Sat from 12.00 noon and all day Sunday. Would any group wishing to remove items of equipment from the premises please contact Alan in the first instance.

