

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

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| Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> Jan  | 12:15 pm    | Grove Luncheon Club in the Main hall.   |
| Tues 31 <sup>st</sup> Jan | 9:00 am     | Prayer Meeting in the Quiet Room.   |
| Tues 31 <sup>st</sup> Jan | 10:00-11:30 | Tuesday Coffee Morning in the Small Hall.   |
| Tues 31 <sup>st</sup> Jan | 1:30 pm     | Messy Church planning meeting in the Minister's Vestry. New helpers welcome. Use disabled entrance to church. |
| Wed 1 <sup>st</sup> Feb   | 2:00 pm     | Line Dancing in the Main Hall.  |
| Thu 2 <sup>nd</sup> Feb   | 10:30 am    | Bible Fellowship at the home of Kath Ashby, 95 Southway.  |
| Thu 2 <sup>nd</sup> Feb   | 7:45 pm     | Ladies Group meet in the Small Hall. Speaker: Frank A Wright 'Experiences of a Village Butcher'.              |
| Sat 4 <sup>th</sup> Feb   | 10:00-12:00 | Shopper Coffee Morning at Central.  |
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**Sunday morning coffee**

You may remember when the new Rota for this year's Sunday coffee was distributed, a mention was made that unfortunately, five weeks are not covered. The first week we need to cover if possible is February 19th. Any offers of help would be most welcome and very much appreciated. However as always, I am mindful of everyone already being busy and committed to other rotas and tasks. If we are unable to cover the date then coffee will not be served on that particular morning. Many thanks Gill Marley. (2589474)

**Craig Ogden: Classical Guitar Concert at the Grove Methodist Church**  
**Sunday 19th February 3pm (doors open 2.30pm)**

Advance tickets £8 (On the door £10)

**Buy/order your tickets after the service during coffee/tea!**

Or buy from MCC Consumables Shop, Town St, Horsforth

[or [ticketsource.co.uk/craig-ogden-grove](http://ticketsource.co.uk/craig-ogden-grove)

or tel 0333 666 3366, + booking fee]

**We are raising funds for the Friends of the Leeds Centre for Leukaemia, Lymphoma & Myeloma, which supports the Leeds Haematology Service.**

**GROVE METHODIST CHURCH**

<http://grovemethodist.org.uk>



**bulletin**



**29<sup>th</sup> January 2017**

**Minister: Rev'd Alistair Jones**

**Your organist's for today are: Mr David Buckley (am) &**

**The Revd Peter Reasbeck (pm)**

**10:30 am Morning Worship led by**  
**the Revd Peter Reasbeck.**

Service Theme:

Act justly Love mercy Walk humbly

Introit

Call to worship

**HYMN: StF 309** "See what a morning"

**Prayers**

**HYMN: StF 397** "Walk in the light"

Family news

Children leave

**J-Team move to the Centre**

**ALL: The Lord be with you**

J-Team: And also with you

**Readings:** Psalm 23 ( StF 805 )

Micah 6: 1 – 8 (P934)

**HYMN: StF 17** "With gladness we worship"

Reading: Matthew 5: 1 – 12 (The Beatitudes) (P968)

Sermon

Anthem: I come to the Garden alone.

**Chorus: All.**

And he walks with me, and he talks with me,

and he tells me I am his own;

and the joy we share as we tarry there,

none other has ever known.

Offering

**HYMN: StF 507** "for a heart to praise my God"

Intercessions

**Hymn:** O for a closer walk with God (See sep sheet)

Blessing

**6:00 pm Holy**  
**Communion/Taize**

**Service led by**  
**the Revd Alistair Jones.**

Worship in the Taizé style focuses on prayer and bible reading supported by simple songs. This simplicity allows contemplation and meditation, and encourages spirituality. Because the style of worship is different from other church services it may take time to become accustomed to a Taizé service. The songs are often repetitive, occasionally accompanied by a soloist, and there is no dominant leadership from musical instruments. Instead, alternative melodies may be used to enhance the beauty of human voices singing in harmony.





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

Mary Hart, Ros Revell, Christine Wilson, Kathleen Taylor, Florence Bonfield, Shirley Crawford, Margaret Ball, Jack Myers, Mildred Butterworth Hilda Massey, Janette Mawson, Olive Atkinson, Gordon Collis, Gladys Pagden, The family of the late Tony Emmott.

**CHRISTIAN COMEDY**

Baildon Methodist Church host Andy Kind, a Christian ( good clean fun) comedian, on Saturday 4th February at 7.30pm.  
Tickets are £8 and I can get them for you and offer a lift if needed.  
Contact as above.

**BED AND BREAKFAST**

Trinity University are hosting a Christian conference on the weekend of 10/12th February. They have contacted Horsforth churches to see if folks could offer B and B on the 10th and 11th for their speakers.  
Contact Phil Maud (as above)

The Grove Church Council

The next meeting of The Grove Church Council will be held in the Small Hall at 7.30pm on Monday 6th February 2017. Items for the agenda, together with any accompanying papers, should be with the Council Secretary, Peter Mawson, by 9.00am on Monday 30th January. email: [council@grovemethodist.org.uk](mailto:council@grovemethodist.org.uk)

**Saturday 4th February 9.00am**

Grove Wanderers meet in the Parlour Car Park for a local walk of about 6miles, Newlay and Rodley along the canal. Carry coffee and a snack, likely to be home for a late lunch. Leader Keith 2586316 for details.

*Also Today.....*

**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 Revd Peter Reasbeck.**  
**6:00 -Holy Communion/Taize Service at the Grove led by the Revd Alistair Jones.**  
**Morning Coffee/Tea served in the Main Hall after the Service today by members of The Wednesday Break.**  
**Your Stewards for today are:-Philip Maud & Kath Ashby.**  
**You were welcomed at the door by:**  
**Flowers were provided by:-Mrs M Heaton & Mr & Mrs B Ball.**

**Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February – FARMERS MARKET.**

St Margaret's School Car Park  
9:00 – 12:30

Sponsored by Horsforth Churches Together  
Together is our community.



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:**

Alan Firth 43 New St, Horsforth .  
Tel:-0113 2582742. Mobile:-07985745525.  
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.

**NEXT SUNDAY 5<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2017.**

**09:00 : Holy Communion service at the Grove led by the Revd Alistair Jones.**  
**10:15 :Crèche UP TO 4 YEARS in the Main Hall.**  
**10:20 :J-Team in the Small Hall.**  
**10:30 :All Age/Parade Service at the Grove led by Mr Philip Maud.**  
**6:00 :United Evening Service at Woodside led by the Revd Tim Boocock.**

**O FOR A CLOSER WALK WITH GOD**

O for a closer walk with God,  
A calm and heavenly frame,  
A light to shine upon the road  
that leads me to the Lamb.

Where is the blessedness I knew  
When first I saw the Lord?  
Where is that soul-refreshing view  
Of Jesus and His word?

What peaceful hours I once enjoyed!  
How sweet their memory still!  
But they have left an aching void  
The world can never fill.

The dearest idol I have known,  
Whate'er that idol be,  
Help me to tear it from thy throne,  
And worship only thee.

So shall my walk be close with God,  
Calm and serene my frame;  
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