

This week and into next.....

Mon 25 th Sep	12:15 pm	Luncheon Club in the Main Hall.
Mon 25 th sep	1:30-2:30	Women's Fellowship in the Small Hall. Speaker: Mrs K Ashby, 'The Duties of a Steward'.
Tues 26 th Sep	09:00 am	Prayer Meeting in the Quiet Room.
Tues 26 th Sep	10:00 am	Tuesday Coffee Morning in the Small Hall.
Wed 27 th Sep	2:00 pm	Line Dancing in the Parlour.
Thu 28 th Sep	10:45 am	Bible Fellowship this week at 2 Calverley Lane, for more information contact 2583239.
Sat 30 th Sep	10:00-12:00	Shopper Coffee Morning at Central.
Tues 3 rd Oct	1:30 pm	Messy church Planning Meeting in the Minister's Vestry.

Horsforth Refugee Collection
(during September)

Items can be taken to St James church Scout Hut (on Wednesday afternoons) or left under the foodbank trolley in the porch. All items must be new to meet customs regulations

- The Dignity bag appeal (for women in Syria) - women's hygiene items + cosmetics etc
- The Smiley Bag appeal (small notepads, crayons, small cuddly toys, toothbrush, soap, children's underwear, socks, hats etc)
- The New hand knitted appeal (babies through to adults hats, scarves, blankets, cardigans)

Rawden Amnesty Concert Series.

This Sunday evening 24th, 7:30 pm, virtuoso oboist Elizabeth Kenwood makes a welcome return with Peter Reasbeck, pianist, in a varied programme of solos and duets at Rawden Quaker Meeting House. **ADMISSION FREE.** Donations to Amnesty International.



PAT TESTING

PAT (portable appliance testing) will take place on Saturday 7th October from 9 am to (however long it takes, probably 5 pm) in the parlour. All groups are reminded that electrical equipment should carry a current PAT test label. This includes extension leads. The testing is primarily for equipment being used in our buildings and is of course free of charge but if you have a concern about a portable electrical item you have at home or just want to make sure its safe then bring it along and perhaps make a small donation to the Church.

Items can be dropped off that morning or after 12 noon on the Friday before.

Kind regards

Alan

Premises manager

GROVE METHODIST CHURCH

<http://grovemethodist.org.uk>



Bulletin

24th September 2017

Minister: Rev'd Mark Godfrey

Your organist for today is:

email: revmgodfrey@gmail.com

Mr David Buckley.

Tel: 0113 2582742

10:30 am Morning Worship led by
Mr Stewart Westerman.

Introit

Call to Worship

HYMN: StF 455 "All my hope on God is founded"

Prayers of Approach Adoration and Confession

Introduction

HYMN: StF 346 "Jesus is the Worlds Light"

Family News and Young People leave

Readings:

Exodus Ch 16 v9-12 (P74)

Jonah. Ch 3 v10 to Ch 4v11 (P928)

Anthem

Reading: Matthew Ch20 v1-16 (P987)

HYMN: StF409 "All are welcome in this place"

Sermon

HYMN: StF 440 "Amazing Grace"

Prayer of thanksgiving

Offering, Doxology and Dedication

Prayers of Intercession

The Lords Prayer (sung)

HYMN: StF 167 "Colours of day dawn into the mind"

Blessing





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

Ros Revell, Christine Wilson, Kathleen Taylor, Florence Bonfield, Shirley Crawford, Brian & Margaret Ball, Jack Myers, Hilda Massey, Joan Kaye & Janette Mawson.

The Grove Church Council

The next meeting of The Grove Church Council will be held in the Small Hall at 7.30pm on Wednesday 4th October 2017.

Items for the agenda, together with any accompanying papers, should be with the Council Secretary, Peter Mawson, by 9.00am on Monday 25th September. email: council@grovemethodist.org.uk



Harvest Supper

followed by Scarecrow Themed Beetle Drive on 30th September starting 6.30 (Doors open 6.15).

In the church Centre

Admission by ticket £6

12 years and under £3

Family £15

all available from the Church Stewards.

The last day for purchase is the 27th September .



PLEASE NOTE:

The Worship Consultation Meeting planned for Monday 25th September has now been deferred to **TUESDAY 3rd OCTOBER** at 7:30 in the Parlour.

Many thanks, to everyone who gave a donation to the Leprosy Mission. Jack Myers was not able to have his coffee morning because he was ill, a cheque for £107.83 was sent to the charity. Carole Abel

A Note from the Organ!

The 21 organ pipes that you can all see is just some of the 2000 pipes which make up our large splendid organ at the Grove. The organ is now 83 years old, and apart from seasonal tuning through the years and a certain amount of re-leathering of some pneumatic actions during 1984 the organ has given very reliable service.

However, in the past couple of years we have experienced a number of failures which is necessitating more thorough work to be undertaken to maintain the instrument in good working order.

This restoration work at a cost of £15,000 was started on 9 July 2017 and is expected to be completed before the end of the year.

It is worth noting that the present value of our organ is £600,000 and if full restoration work of the whole organ to incorporate modern day standards was to be needed in the future this would cost in the region of £60,000 to £100,000.

David Buckley – Organist & Property Steward

Also Today.....

10:20 -J-Team in the Small Hall.(4-12 years)

10.30 -Morning Worship at the Grove led by Mr Stewart Westerman

6:00 -United Evening Service at Central led by the Revd Mark Godfrey.

Morning Coffee/Tea served in the Main Hall after the Service by members of the Tots & Tykes.

Your Stewards for today are: Trish Whitham & Caroline Turner.

You were welcomed at the door by:

Madelaine Price & Cynthia Hatton

Flowers were provided by: Mrs K Bassett & Mrs K Bussey.

For your information all items for the Bulletin for the 1st October 2017 should be forwarded to Lynne Gill who is kindly covering for me whilst Alan and I are away. Her email is: gillies53@virginmedia.com, tel no: 0113 2585979 or post any item through the Parlour mailbox by 5pm on Wednesday 27th September 2017. Also whilst Alan is away from the 25th September to the 2nd October any member of the Property Committee can be contacted with any problems. Thanks Sharon & Alan Firth

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 **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 1st OCTOBER 2017.

09:00 :Holy Communion at the Grove led by the Revd Mark Godfrey.

10:20 :J-Team in the Small Hall (4-12 years)

10:30 :All Age/Harvest Service at the Grove led by Mr Peter Mawson.

6:00 :United Evening Service at the Grove led by the Revd Barry Parker.

