



Welcome to South Parade Baptist Church

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Building Community in Christ, so that all whom the Lord our God calls can belong, believe and become all that He wants them to be

Sunday 21st January 2018

If you are new here, please make yourself at home and introduce yourself to those around you. Refreshments are normally available during or after our Sunday gatherings; please stay and get to know us

Sunday Morning 10.30am:

Headingley Morning: "Discipleship and Accountability". Guest Preacher Dave Horsfall, Leeds School of Theology

Cragg: Jeremiah 29.1-14 – "The disciple as a citizen"

Sunday Evening 6.30pm:

Sent: South Parade Together

Student lunch today will be hosted by Raj Geinda and Amy Shipley

The Leeds Arabic Christian Fellowship meets at 3.30pm in the Green House at Headingley.



Next Sunday 28th January

Headingley Morning: Galatians 5. 16-26 – “The disciple’s power”

Cragg: John 21 – “Discipleship and restoration”

Sent: Starting a new series – “Introduction to 2 Timothy”

Midweek Prayer and Study

Every Tuesday morning, we meet between 10:30am and 11:15am in the Green House. Prayer requests placed in the box in the Headingley foyer will be followed up during this time.

Every Saturday morning we have a “**House of Prayer**” at our Headingley building. From 8:00 until 11:00, the Green House is open for us to spend time enjoying God’s presence, worshipping Him together and praying for His Kingdom to come and His will to be done in our world, our nation, our city, our church and our own lives. Everyone is welcome to come and pray for as long as they are able.

Midweek Track meets every Wednesday at 8pm in Peter’s Office at Headingley. Everyone is welcome for Bible study, prayer and fellowship. Entrance through the double gates, use the intercom at the tower door or contact the church office.

We have a broad spectrum of **cell groups** (also known as small groups or home groups) that meet regularly across our four Mission Communities. If you would like to be part of one of them, please contact the Church Office.

Barnabas Bunch will be meeting at 2pm on Wednesday 24th January in the Green House at South Parade when we will be finding out about a hero of the faith. We look forward to seeing you there. To find out more please speak with Geoff King and/or Susan Walker.

Knights’ Prayer Support Group: 7:30pm to 9:00pm on Monday in the Youth Room. Please join us as we pray for Katie, Sam, Joshua and Daniel.

Coming Events

Whole Church Meeting Thursday 25th January

Life Explored course starts Monday 22nd January (similar to Alpha, but assumes no knowledge of Christianity or any faith at all). Who might you invite, or better still bring along?

Headingley Mission Community meeting, Thursday 15th February

Soul Survivor: Saturday 18th to Thursday 23rd August. The cost is £97 which does not include food and transport. Please contact Nathan (nathan@spbc.org.uk) to book your ticket.

Across the Church

Peter Morden is on reduced duties January and February as Anne continues to undergo cancer treatment, which will include stem cell replacement. He will continue to be involved in Sunday ministry. Please continue to pray for Anne and the family.

Alastair Corson has died aged 101 and his funeral will take place at 1.30pm on 9th February at our Headingley building, all are welcome.

If you wish to receive email notice of full church meetings and other important meetings in future, you will need to request to do so by sending an email to secretary@spbc.org.uk with Email opt in as the subject.

Please send any contributions for the **February church magazine (InTouch)** to magazine@spbc.org.uk before 24 January please.

Bible Society: If you order regularly from the Bible Society, we are now approved for their More Than A Book programme. Our unique church reference number is 12204. For more information visit <https://www.biblesociety.org.uk/mtab>

Wider Activities

Where Adventure Begins: Faith in the Family is a play by Riding Lights coming to Lister Hill Baptist Church in Horsforth on 22nd January. Tickets £10; aimed at people aged 15+. To find out more and book tickets see www.new-wine.org/adventurebegins

Dangerous Faith: Five practical workshops equipping you to share the gospel with confidence and creativity. These workshops are for ordinary Christians who aren't particularly brave. Wednesdays, 14th February to 14th March 2018. Workshops are free, but booking is essential. Email mark@realitybites.org.uk to book your place.

Wellspring have scheduled a training day for pastoral workers on helping people with addiction. This will take place at SPBC on Saturday 10 March 2018 from 9.30 am-4.30 pm. If you book by 31 January, the cost is £30. Please contact office@wellspringtherapy.co.uk for further information.

Church Scientific is running a series of workshops at Blenheim Baptist Church. The first (Christian Faith, Worldview & Philosophy of Science) is on 29/1/18, 7–9pm. Sign up or learn more at <https://churchscientific.org.uk>

Churches Together in Headingley Unity Week: Ecumenical 'get-togethers' with led discussion (all start with refreshments)

- Mon 22nd from 1.45pm, St Michael's Parish Hall (St. Michael's Rd)
- Tues 23rd from 10.15am at St Urban's RC Church (Grove Lane)
- Wed 24th from 7pm, Headingley Methodist Church Hall (Chapel St.)

Horsforth Live at Home Memorial Service: You are invited to join with our Memorial Service, at The Grove Methodist Church, to remember our friends at Horsforth Live at Home who are no longer with us. Monday 29th January 2018 at 1.30pm. Refreshments will be available after the service.

Rend Collective: 6:30pm, Saturday 10th February at Huddersfield Christian Centre. Tickets £18. Please contact Nathan Shipley (nathan@spbc.org.uk) to express your interest.

Hand in Hand Conference 2018: Friday 23rd to Sunday 25th February at Hope Park Business Centre, Bradford. An exciting national children's ministry conference created to inspire and resource those involved in children's work. More information at <http://www.handinhandconference.com>

Office Request: If anyone has a copy of the game Mabels Marbles, please contact the church office

Need more information?

If you'd like to be more involved in the life of the church, then please ask where you meet for worship on Sunday, or during the week please ring the church office on 0113 2754989. Please leave a message if nobody is available or email info@spbc.org.uk. If you'd like to put a notice in the weekly notice sheet, then please contact the church office or notices@spbc.org.uk by 7pm on Wednesday prior to publication.

You can also visit the church website: www.spbc.org.uk and watch out for announcements on the South Parade Facebook page too.

Mission Community Meeting Venues

- Connect Copper Beech Hub, Copper Beech Avenue, Bramley
- Cragg Cragg Avenue, Horsforth LS18 4LX
- Headingley South Parade, Kirkstall Lane, Headingley LS6 3LF
- Café Church ABC Coffee Shop, ASDA Complex, Holt Park
- Sent South Parade, Kirkstall Lane, Headingley LS6 3PF

Large print copies of the Notice Sheet are available. Please ask the Welcome Team if you would like one.