



# 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 28<sup>th</sup> 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:* Galatians 5. 16-26 – “The disciple’s power”

*Cragg:* John 21 – “Discipleship and restoration”

**Sunday Evening 6.30pm:**

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

**Student lunch** today will be hosted by Ruth Hughes and Diane Hume.

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



## Next Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February

*Headingley Morning:* Psalm 88 – “Discipleship in the dark”. Communion.

*Cragg:* Revelation 19. 1-10 – “The goal of discipleship”

*Sent:* 2 Timothy 1:1-2:13 – “Encouragement to be faithful”

## 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.

## Coming Events

**Headingley Mission Community meeting**, Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> February

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

**Teddy Praise** for the Under 5s will be held in the Sanctuary on Thursday 1 February at 10am. Bring your friends and your favourite teddy!

## 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. His funeral will be held at 1.30pm on 9<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto:secretary@spbc.org.uk) with "Email opt in" as the subject.

**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

**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>

**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 29<sup>th</sup> January 2018 at 1.30pm. Refreshments will be available after the service.

**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](mailto:office@wellspringtherapy.co.uk) for further information.

**St Hild College**, with campuses in Mirfield, Sheffield and York, is advertising two part-time posts: one as a Digital and Communications Officer and Administrative Assistant. Applications close 5 February 2018. Enquiries and application forms available via [enquiries@sthild.org](mailto:enquiries@sthild.org)

**Cake Bakers Sought!** Leeds Beckett CU are holding an events week 26<sup>th</sup> February to 1<sup>st</sup> March. They have asked if any SPBC members might be able to contribute a cake for their cake stall during that week. Please contact the Church Office if you can help.

**Leeds Centre for Victorian Studies Annual Public Lecture:** "The Public Sphere after Darwin: Periodicals and the New Space for Debate" will be given by Professor Bernard Lightman on Thursday 22 February at 6pm, at the Andrew Kean Room, Leeds Trinity University. Please email [lcvs@leedstrinity.ac.uk](mailto:lcvs@leedstrinity.ac.uk) to confirm attendance.

**Hand in Hand Conference 2018:** Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> to Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> 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>

**Swishing Evening:** From 6:30pm to 9:00pm on Friday 2nd February at All Hallows Church. Christian Aid, Help Refugees and All Hallows are hosting a clothes drop and swap event. Please see the poster in the foyer for more details.

**Mission Opportunity:** The Christian Union at the University of Leeds will be hosting two evening meals for international students as part of their evangelistic events week this term. If you are able and willing to help with the cooking and serving at Gateway/St Mark's Church from 3:30pm on Mon 19th Feb and/or Weds 21st Feb, please let Tim Jackson know (timjackson1994@hotmail.co.uk)

## 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](mailto: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](mailto:notices@spbc.org.uk) by 7pm on Wednesday prior to publication.

You can also visit the church website: [www.spbc.org.uk](http://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.