

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 4th February 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: Psalm 88 – "Discipleship in the dark". Communion.

Cragg: Revelation 19. 1-10 – "The goal of discipleship"

Connect: Acts 11. 19-30, 13. 1-3 – "The disciple's community"

Sunday Evening 6.30pm:

Sent: 2 Timothy 1:1-2:13 – "Encouragement to be faithful"

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 11th February

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

Cragg: Review of discipleship series.

Sent: 2 Timothy 2:14-26 – "A workman approved by God"

Connect: Colossians 3:1-21 – "Discipleship and Holiness"

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.

Youth Cell (Year 10+): There will be no Youth Cell on Tuesday 6th February. Our next session will be on Tuesday 13th February – Pancake Day!

Coming Events

Headingley Mission Community meeting, Thursday 15th February

Safeguarding Training on Monday 5th March at 7.30pm in the Parlour (top floor of the Headingley building) for anyone involved in children and young people's work across South Parade Mission Communities, including those who help with one off events such as Rewind, Redmire, It's Your Move and Teddy Praise. Get in touch with Kate in the church office for more information or to confirm if you are planning to attend.

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 9th February at our Headingley building; all are welcome.

Leeds Lent Prayer Diary 2018: Copies are available from the front desk in the foyer. Suggested donation £1.

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.

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

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

Church Scientific continue their workshop series at Blenheim Baptist Church on 12th February, 7-9pm – "Ontology: Introduction to Aspectual Relations". Sign up or learn more at https://churchscientific.org.uk

Hyde Park Picture House is hosting "Memory Matinees", a series of film screenings designed to be inclusive to those living with dementia, their families, and their carers. All are welcome, and tickets are free (as is the tea and coffee). The first film is "Singin' In The Rain", on Monday 12th February. Doors open 1.30pm, film starts at 2pm. Enquiries (including regarding wheelchair accessibility) to 0113 2752045.

Owen's Italian Cafe: From 5pm to 9pm on Wednesday 14th February at St James' Parish Centre, Horsforth. Raising funds for Martin House Children's Hospice. For more information speak to Anne, Kerry or Owen Culverwell.

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 levs@leedstrinity.ac.uk to confirm attendance.

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

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)

Cake Bakers Sought! Leeds Beckett CU are holding an events week 26th February to 1st 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.

Two rooms available for lodging with a family in Hyde Park. Please contact the church office for more information.

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 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.