

## WELCOME SERVICE FOR THE REVEREND ALISTAIR JONES

We look forward to welcoming the Reverend Alistair Jones who joins the Circuit as Minister to The Grove and Central Methodist Churches in September. The Circuit Welcome Service for Alistair is at The Grove on **3rd September at 7.30pm**. There will be refreshments after the service and an opportunity to meet Alistair and his wife, Jenny, who will also in September take up her position as Deacon at Oxford Place in the Centre of Leeds. Strong support for our new Minister on this occasion would be warmly welcomed.

Items for the **September Events Sheet** for publication in the Grove Vine should please be sent to Trish Whitham at [patricia.whitham@ntlworld.com](mailto:patricia.whitham@ntlworld.com) or telephoned to 2586316 by **Tuesday 24 August**.

A reminder that these items should be prior notice of special events, meetings of interest to the wider community and not our regular weekly meetings.

*Lord, we ask you to open our eyes  
that we may value and appreciate all people,  
recognising what we have in common  
rather than focusing  
on what our differences might be.  
Inspire us to distinguish  
between what is important  
and what is not,  
and open our minds and hearts  
that we may always be people of good will  
who bring life and joy to others. Amen.*

### Premises Manager

Alan Firth, 43 New Street,  
Tel: 2582742 – Mobile: 07985 745525  
Off duty Saturday from 12 noon  
and all day Sunday  
Any Group wishing to remove items of  
equipment from the premises  
**must** contact Alan in the first instance

## PAT Testing (Portable Appliance Testing)

Testing will take place at the Grove on Saturday 4th September. All users who bring **ANY** electrical equipment onto the premises must ensure they are tested **BEFORE** use. This includes extension leads. If you wish me to test them for you, please bring to the Main Hall in the Centre a.m. on this date.

*Alan Firth, Premises Manager.*



## PROPERTYMATTERS

Please note the buildings close on Monday 23rd August and re-open Saturday 4th September. Any groups who require equipment please remove before we close.

**Volunteers** for the **first week** of closure are asked for, to assist in various tasks from cleaning to painting and other maintenance. Your help, which you give me each year, is very much appreciated and just adds that 'brand new' look to our buildings. This paves the way then for me in the second week to carry out tasks like floor sealing, carpet cleaning and other works like high level lights and window maintenance.

If you can help at all please let me know and **in particular** the first couple of days are a good time to help. Many thanks.

*Alan Firth, Premises Manager.*

*Items for next week's Bulletin can  
be posted through  
the letter box in the  
Parlour door,  
telephoned to  
Barbara Collis  
(258 3518)  
or e-mailed to  
[gordoncollis998@btinternet.com](mailto:gordoncollis998@btinternet.com)  
by 5pm Wednesday please*



# GROVE METHODIST CHURCH

## Town Street, Horsforth, Leeds

# Bulletin

<http://grovemethodist.org.uk>

22 August 2010

Music Director: Richard Kenwood-Herriott

## 10.30 - Morning Worship led by Mrs Kirsty Butler

Welcome

Call to Worship (*from Hebrews 12*)

HYMN: H/P 28 O worship the King, all-glorious above  
Prayers and the Lord's Prayer (said)

Children's Address

HYMN: H/P 393 Jesus' hands were kind hands

Family News

J Team leave

*Congregation* 'The Lord be with you'

*J Team* 'And also with you'

Offering, Doxology (H/P 642 v.6 ) and Dedication

Readings:

Hebrews 12: vv 18-29 (*page 1211 in the pew Bible*)

Luke 13: vv 10-17 (*page 1046 in the pew Bible*)

HYMN: H/P 499 King of Glory, King of Peace

SERMON

HYMN: H/P 504 O Heavenly King, look down from above

Prayers of Intercession

HYMN: H/P 817 Glorious things of thee are spoken

Blessing

### *also today*

10.15 Crèche for all children up to four years in the Parlour

10.20 J-Team meet in the Small Hall

*After Morning Service coffee/tea served in the Centre by Wednesday Break*  
6.00 – Holy Communion Service at Central led by the Rev'd Godfrey Nicholson

Representatives from the Choir welcomed us at the door this morning  
Stewards for today are Gordon Mellor and Kay Bassett  
Flowers provided by John Maud and friends of Nell Gaunt and Joyce Wrench

## Family News

Please remember all who would value our prayers at this time  
 Pat Blackah, Poppy Busfield, Vera Julian, Stan Ramsden,  
 Chris Shagouri, Eileen Stones, along with  
 all who are are no longer able to worship with us on a regular  
 basis because of increasing frailty or ill health and those known  
 to us who are suffering from chronic illness, loneliness, anxiety or depression



We send our  
 congratulations, love and best  
 wishes to

**Ian Simmons**  
 and

**Natalie Heath**  
 who were married in  
 our church on the  
 13th September



also to

**Matthew Mead**  
 and

**Sarah Pearcey**  
 who are to be married here at the Grove  
 today at 1.00pm

Beryl and Howard wish to thank  
 all friends at the Grove for their  
 love, support and prayers over  
 the last few very difficult weeks.  
 We are pleased to say we have  
 now left Hall Park Avenue and  
 are heading for a relaxing  
 holiday in Austria. On our  
 return we will be living in  
 Beryl's sister's caravan near  
 Bridlington until our house in  
 Ilkley is ready for us to move in  
 to.

Special thanks to Barbara Collis  
 for covering the preparing and  
 printing of the bulletin until our  
 move to Ilkley.

We would like to thank our friends at the Grove for the very many cards, good wishes, letters and telephone calls received since we moved here two months ago. We still have them on display and regularly look at them. It has been a big move for us after 35 years in Horsforth. We are only partially settled in owing to work having to be done in a bungalow that has been empty for four years.

Carole and Philip Abel called to see us last week on their way home from their family holiday. Our first visitors from the Grove - and they were so welcome. Please do look us up if you are in the area. We should be so pleased to see you. Our address is :  
 Rivallyn, 1 Orchard Close, Paignton Road, Stoke Gabriel, Devon, TQ9 6SX.  
 Telephone number: 01803 782794

We both send you our love and all best wishes. You are missed!!

**Kathleen and Clifford (Stocks)**

*Thank you*

Many thanks to everyone who contributed to the retiring  
 collections on the past two Sundays for the Pakistan Emergency Appeal.  
 £448.00 has been donated to the Methodist Relief and Development Fund.

## THIS WEEK

**Thurs. 26th 7.45** – Ladies Group Coffee Evening at Margaret Mallott's, 29 Park Drive  
**Sat. 28th 10.00am-12.00noon** – Shoppers Coffee Morning at Central.

## NEXT SUNDAY 29 AUGUST

Crèche and J-Team will not meet this week due to closure of Centre and Parlour  
 10.30 – Morning Worship led by Mr Stephen Barber  
 6.00 – Evening Worship led by Mr Nigel Greenwood

### 10.30am Holy Communion Services – September - November 2010

Will you please make a note on your copy of the Plan that  
 Holy Communion will be celebrated during the morning service on  
 12th September, 17th October and 28th November

There will be no Coffee Morning on Tuesday 24th and Tuesday 31st August.  
 We welcome everyone again on Tuesday 7th September.

## LOOKING FORWARD TO.....

S E P T E M B E R	Wednesday 1st 7.30	Horsforth Churches Together Meeting at Central
	Friday 3rd 7.30	Circuit Service at Grove to welcome The Reverend Alistair Jones
	Saturday 4th 9.00	Grove Wanderers meet in the Parlour Car Park
	Sunday 5th 7.30	SNYG Dance Group in the Activity Room
	Monday 6th 12.15	Luncheon Club in the Grove Centre
	Monday 6th 1.30	Women's Fellowship in the Grove Centre
	Monday 6th 7.30	Church Life Committee Meeting in the Small Hall
	Tuesday 7th 9.00	Grove pre-school in the Activity Room
	Tuesday 7th 10.30	Tuesday Coffee Morning
	Tuesday 7th 7.30	Church Stewards' Meeting at Larchwood, Rawdon
Wednesday 8th 1.30	Line Dancing in the Grove Centre	
Wednesday 8th 8.00	Wednesday Break Planning Meeting at the home of Margaret Simmons, Southway	
Thursday 9th 9.30	Tots & Tykes in the Main Hall	
Thursday 9th 2.00	Church & Society Committee Meeting at Poplar Drive	
Tuesday 14th 7.45	Scout Executive Meeting in the Parlour	
Thursday 16th 9.00	Weekday Wanderers meet in Parlour Car Park	
Thursday 16th 7.30	Grove Representatives to the Circuit Meeting at St. Mark's, Swinnow	
Thursday 16th 7.45	Grove Ladies Group in the Small Hall	
Monday 20th 7.45	Flower Guild in the Parlour	
Saturday 25th	Leprosy Mission Event in the Grove Centre	
Tuesday 28th 7.30	Finance Committee at West End Grove	
Wednesday 29th 7.30	Worship Consultation Meeting in the Small Hall	