

**The October "GIVING TO FUNDS FOR OTHERS" ("GIFO") and Harvest Appeal. The Methodist Relief and Development Fund MRDF** exists to bring about significant and long term change in some of the world's most marginalised communities, and to empower people to change oppressive and unjust structures.

Gift envelopes for those of you who would like to make a contribution will be given out on the second Sunday of the month and are also available in the GIFO boxes near both doors to the church throughout October. If you are an income tax payer, please gift-aid your donation as this allows the Fund to reclaim tax on your donation and increase its value by 25% at no cost to you. Please place any filled envelopes in the church collection plate on any Sunday during October.



**Baildon Methodist Church**



**PEWS NEWS**

**Sunday  
7th October  
2012**

## Today's Worship

10:00am **Peter Jackson**

6:00pm **Barry Empson**  
*Songs of Praise*

## Ministry of Flowers

The flowers in our church today are a gift from Geoff Hall in loving memory of his wife Margaret.

Also from June Sherwin in loving memory of her son Paul , who died October 13th 1985



## Lectionary Readings for the Week

Genesis 2:18-24

Psalms 8

Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12

Mark 10:2-16



## Church Garden News

Over the summer several people have asked about the wooden planters on the patio: they were made for us by Barry Pratt and many have been delighted with them. Thank you, Barry. The current flowers and shrubs in the planters were paid for with the proceeds from jams of various kinds made from fruit from the trees in the Church garden and sold via Wesleys. We would like to thank those who made the jam and Pat and Mary who offered the money from its sale to do the planting in memory of Robert Pemberton whose vision for a heritage fruit "orchard" now produces jams and pies and crumbles for many. Our thanks go too to "See & Know" group who planted the vivid blue trough by the Church wall - all budding gardeners!

If you have any special plant or shrub that you would like to see in the garden, or would like to sponsor one, please do have a word with one of us.

*Garden Team : (Avril Dawes, Ruth Anderson, Lindsay and John Sykes, Michael Firth)*

## Thought for the Week

*The best thing about the future is that it comes one day at a time*

*Abraham Lincoln*

## Useful Contacts:

### Ministerial team:

Tel: 0845 6060820 or email:

<http://www.baildonmethodists.org>

### On call minister this week:

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Lay Worker: Lynne Yarde Tel 590371

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## Services for 14th October

10:00am Allen Pollard  
and our young people  
*Harvest Festival and Parade*

6:00pm Rev Nick Blundell

If you are here today for the first time, we offer you a warm welcome. Please make yourself known to one of the Duty Stewards and stay and have a coffee after the service. If you would like to know more about what goes on please check the website. Fill in your details below and someone will be in touch with you.

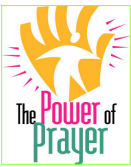
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### Prayer of the Week

Dear Lord of the telling word, thank you for the Bible and all its riches. Please open us up to your great Teacher, your Holy Spirit, that we may hear, and learn, and do – all according to your will, through Jesus. Amen.

### What's On This Week

#### Monday 8th October

10:00am Bumps & Babes

5:30pm Prayer Group, Wesleys Rm 4  
All welcome

#### Tuesday 9th

10:30am Prayer Group, Wesleys Rm 4  
All welcome

#### Wednesday 10th

2.00pm CAMEO Liz Parrish in the Chair

#### Thursday 11th

1:00pm Baildon Buddies meet in Wesleys

1:30pm Cell Group in Wesleys Rm 2  
All welcome

7:30pm Green Ginger Group meet at  
16 Plantation Way. Please let Mervyn know  
if you plan to attend. Tel: 585054

#### Friday 12th

9:00am Ecumenical Communion Service  
St John's followed by refreshments

9:30am See & Know

7:30pm Supper Clubs  
Speaker from Caring for Life

#### Saturday 13th

10:00am Flower Team will be decorating the  
Church for Harvest Festival

10:00am Charity Christmas card sale

10:00am–12:00 noon

Wesleys open for tea/coffee and light snacks

6:00pm–8:00pm

Harvest Supper & Family Fun Quiz

### Looking Ahead & Around

#### Monday 22nd October

7:30–9:30pm Worship Leaders Course at  
Eccleshill Methodist Church

**Sunday 7th October** 2:00–3:30pm

At Thackley Methodist Church

Concert by The Glen Singers

**Thursday 11th October** 2:30–3:30pm

Tax Justice bus visits Saltaire URC

**Saturday 13th October** from 6:00pm

Harvest Supper followed by Quiz and  
activities for children under 12

**Saturday 13th October** 2:30–4:00pm

Hallroyd Band—A Celebration of 70 years  
at Northcliffe LEP. Includes music from  
The Hallroyd Music Makers.

£5 includes light refreshments.

Accompanied children free

#### Sunday 21st October

The Churches together service at St Aidens  
has been cancelled.

On that day there will be a celebratory  
25th anniversary service arranged by West  
Yorks Ecumenical Council at Bradford  
Cathedral at 4:00pm.

### Harvest donations for Windhill Food Bank

We invite you to bring tinned and  
packaged food items (non-perishable)  
suitable for a food bank to the  
10 o'clock service on Harvest Sunday,  
14th October

### Action for Children

Saturday 20th October at BMC 7:30pm

**MUSIC BY PENNINE HARPS**

Followed by

**THE CRADLE OF CIVILISATION**

Memories of Syria, Jordan and Israel in film  
and narrative by

David and Margaret Pratt

Price £6.00 (including tea/coffee/cakes)

Tickets available at Wesleys Kitchen

### PewsNews / Centre Pages

Please send any articles as soon as possible  
for the following Sunday to Pews News /  
Centre Pages at latest Tuesday to:-  
e-Mail address.

[pewsnews@baildonmethodists.org](mailto:pewsnews@baildonmethodists.org)

**OR** if you do not have access to e-mail  
ring Hazel on 598357 by Tuesday evening  
please. Answer machine 24/7.

### WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER West Yorkshire Fellowship Day

on Thursday 8th November 2012, 10.30am -- 3.00pm at :-

West Wakefield Methodist Church, Thornes Road, Wakefield WF2 8QR

(If interested, contact Jean Lorrain-Smith (593955 or [royls3@virginmedia.com](mailto:royls3@virginmedia.com))

### Flowers for Harvest reminder to the flower team.

We will be decorating the church for Harvest Festival at  
10am Saturday October 13th.

The theme this year is Rainbows and Butterflies . If anyone  
has useful foliage please leave it in Room 3 (the flower  
room) from the Friday before.

We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible for  
this enjoyable job. *Chris Leighton*



**BAILDON BUDDIES:** A social afternoon for seniors was something that was identified as  
being needed at TGI Saturday, our church community day last February. This group is now  
up and running and new members are welcome to pop in and give it a try. The group runs  
on Thursdays from 1-3p.m. Activities will include games, crafts and speakers. On the last  
Thursday of each month, there will be a film show. This group is open to all. Anyone  
needing transport should contact Lesley, who runs the group, on 07903 098 523.

The film show on the afternoon of the last Thursday of each month is open to anyone to  
attend, even if they do not attend the other activities of Baildon Buddies. The film to be  
shown on Thursday 25 October will be "The Iron Lady" (about Mrs Thatcher).

All are welcome.

**Supper Clubs** On Friday 19th October at 10:30am the supper clubs will visit Baildon Old  
Hall, Hallfield Drive for a tour, talk and refreshments.

Cost is £1.00 All are welcome.

Please add your name to the list alongside Supper Club attendees on the notice board by  
the serving hatch.

### Action for Children Christmas Fayre 10th Nov 2012

If you want to be sure of your Christmas cake you can pre-order it by 14th October.

5" square un-iced fruit cake @ £5. ----- 5" square top-iced fruit cake @ £6.

**Please ring Val Gilman 01274 594592 before 14th October 2012**

Please leave your name and number if you get the answer phone

### Men's & Ladies' Supper Clubs

The next Men's & Ladies' Supper Clubs will be on Friday 12th October at 7.30pm. The Men  
and Ladies will have separate meals, and then join together for the Speaker.

The talk on this occasion is "Caring for Life" which is a Christian charity for the vulnerable  
Please add your name to the lists in Wesley's by Wednesday 10th October.

We are hoping to boost the numbers attending, so please do consider adding your name to  
the list. You will be most welcome