# Yorkshire North & East District Newsletter, #10 January 2018

## News

**Copyright information**

With an increasing number of churches including video clips in services, or starting film clubs, the following restrictions should be noted:

* YouTube clips cannot be shown without the copyright holders’ permission – blanket permission for church use is given by Hillsong and the Bible Society;
* Commercial films – the name of the film cannot be advertised on posters outside of church or on social media or on church websites. The film can be named on posters within church (if not visible from outside) and on flyers handed out to individuals.

**One Opportunity (formerly MicroYPS)**

Applications for September 2018 are now invited

Age group: 16 – 23

Salary: 3 hours per week at the Living Wage rate (met by the District)

Other costs: £460 to be divided between church and circuit as appropriate according to the project

Projects: something that will enhance the life and mission of a church (or circuit) and enable the participant to work out their discipleship in new ways.

Other commitments: induction day plus four residential weekends (fully funded) plus attendance at both synods during the year

Information session: 3 March at Pocklington Methodist Church, 10 am – 12 noon

Flyer available from the District Office, more detailed information from Carol Carter crc.yorkhull.yps@gmail.com

## Learning Opportunities

**Bible Month Training Day**

Including afternoon workshops on the themes of Leading Small Groups, Leading Worship and Preaching, Leading Creative All-Age Worship

Where: Oxford Place Methodist Church, Leeds

When: 27 January, 10 am – 3.30 pm

Cost: £15

Booking: to admin@sheffieldmethodist.org , form available from admin@yorkshirenemethodist.org or directly from the Sheffield Office

**Youth, Children, Family Workers Resourcing Day**

All those involved with this work are welcome, paid or volunteer. Led by the DMLN team

Where: Oxford Place, Leeds

When: 5 February

Booking: admin@yorkshirenemethodist.org

**How to…mind your language**

Leaving Church jargon behind; how do we effectively communicate our stories of faith in different contexts? Revd Ian Bell will encourage participants to finds ways in which they might describe their own faith, and in turn, tell others about it.  During the afternoon the seminars will focus on four different areas of ministry in which people are seeking appropriate ways to communicate faith in different contexts.

Where: Oxford Place Methodist Church, Leeds, LS1 3AX

When: 24February, 10.30am – 3.30pm

Cost: Free, including lunch

Booking: admin@yorkshirenemethodist.org

**Lay Synod**

This is an opportunity for all lay people to gather for a day. A time of worship will be followed by a chance to hear from Doug Swanney, Connexional Secretary (the senior lay appointment in the Methodist Church) on our theme of *Living Out Our Calling, Together*. Doug will answer your questions – so come prepared! – and after lunch there will be time to discuss the issues raised in small groups while networking with colleagues from around the district. This event has proved very popular over the last few years, so please register your interest as soon as you can.

**When:** 10 March, 10.30 – 4.00

**Where:** Haxby and Wigginton Methodist Church, York

**Cost:** Free, including lunch

**Booking:** essential, to admin@yorkshirenemethodist.org

**Intentional Discipleship**

One of the core issues facing the contemporary Church is how to foster a culture in which all Christians consciously see themselves as disciples of Jesus Christ living according to his will and as apostles sent into the world to proclaim him to others. This session will explore how we might respond to this challenge

When: 20 February, 7 – 9 pm

Where: Diocese of York offices, Amy Johnson Way, York, YO30 4XT

Cost: £5

Booking: training@yorkdiocese.org

**Working Together – Effective Teamworking**

Come with your team – large or small, ordained or lay – to find out about the theory and practice of working with people.

When: 6 February, 9.45 – 4.00

Where: Wydale Hall, nr Scarborough

Cost: £25 (discount for teams of 4+)

Further information: [www.wydale.org](http://www.wydale.org)

**The Enneagram**

An ancient tool, used with spiritual direction, used as a way of understanding spirituality.

When: 23 – 25 February

Where: Wydale Hall, nr Scarborough

Cost: £145 full board

Further information: [www.wydale.org](http://www.wydale.org)

**To be a pilgrim…**

Weekend conference for all. What does pilgrimage have to offer Christians and the Church today? What might be distinctive about Methodist pilgrimage? Does pilgrimage have to involve a journey? Can pilgrimage be mission?

When: 6 – 8 April

Where: Cliff College, Calver, Derbyshire

Cost: various, eg. £150 for single room

Further information: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/to-be-a-pilgrim-tickets-37274783882>

## Events

**An Evening with John Bell of the Iona Community**

When: 10 February, 7 pm

Where: Westborough Methodist Church, Scaroborough, YO11 1TS

Cost: £10 to include refreshments

Further information: nycmcircuit@gmail.com

**Connecting Disciples**

Connecting Disciples is the Discipleship and Ministries Learning Network conference for Methodist lay employees and children and youth workers.

When: 5-7 March

Where: High Leigh Conference Centre, Herts

When 1-3 June

Where: Cliff College, Derbyshire

Booking and further information: [Methodist website](http://www.methodist.org.uk/our-work/learning/connecting-disciples/?utm_source=Methodist%20Church%20House&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=9040326_Well%20Snapshots%208th%20January%202018&dm_i=BVI,5DRK6,35DR8W,KTGH4,1)

## Vacancies

**Lay Pastoral Missioner, Tadcaster Circuit**

Helping to support the pastoral care of the churches in Boston Spa and Clifford whilst also encouraging a sense of community and belonging between those using the churches and their local communities

Hours: 9 per week, fixed term contract for two years

Salary: £10 per hour

Closing date: 2 March

Further information: tadcastercircuit@gmail.com

**Street Angels Team Leader/Coordinator, Hull**

Hours: 12 per week, fixed term contract for three years

Salary: £9 per hour

Closing date: 9 February

Further information: office@west-hull.karoo.co.uk

**Missional Lay Worker, Ryedale Circuit**

To work with circuit staff in supporting and strengthening the life and witness of Ryedale churches. Significant emphasis on developing relationships with parents/carers and with young people.

Hours: 15 per week, flexible. Fixed term for 3 years.

Salary: £8.75 per hour

Closing date: 26 January

Interviews: 7 February

Further information: admin@ryedalemethodist.org.uk

**One Opportunity Administrator, Yorkshire West District**

To support this youth programme (formerly known as MicroYPS)

Hours: 5 per week on average. Fixed term for 3 years.

Salary: £9.14 per hour

Closing date: 9 February

Interviews: week commencing 26 February

Further information: admin@ywmethodist.org.uk

**One Opportunity Coordinator, Yorkshire West District**

Relevant qualification and/or experience required

Hours: 10 hours per week on average. Fixed term for 3 years.

Salary: £13.06 per hour

Closing date: 9 February

Interviews: week commencing 26 February

Further information: admin@ywmethodist.org.uk

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