

viewpoint

WHAT'S ON THE HORIZON?

Burley In Wharfedale

An Evening with Refugee Support (Greece)

24 October at 19:30

Refugee Support Europe started work in April 2016 and since then has worked on five refugee camps in Greece.

Completely volunteer run and supported by private donations, they have created welcoming and innovative shop environments to distribute food and clothing.

Co-founder John Sloan will talk about the conditions faced by refugees in Greece and around the world, share some stories about the extraordinary individuals they have supported and why they put dignity, normality and respect at the heart of what they do.

Free entry—retiring collection for Refugee Support

Refugee support



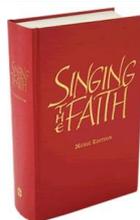
Yeadon

Singing The Faith!

If you like singing and would like to get familiar with some of the newer material in our hymn book, come along to Yeadon Methodist Church on Sunday October 15th at 3:30pm for a singathon/teach-in, followed by light refreshments, followed by the 6:00pm service.

Enquiries to – Viv Pitts, Lindsey Hurst or Pauline Tate

Our contact details are in the plan. See you there!



Ben Rhydding

**Methodist Art Collection
Exhibition-Hope & Reconciliation**

Highlights of the Methodist Modern Art Collection reflecting the impact of war on artists from Edward Burra to Graham Sutherland.

**Thursday 5th to 8th October
11am – 5pm**

**Ben Rhydding Methodist Church
Thursday October 5th at 7.30pm**

An illustrated lecture:

'The Story of the Methodist Modern Art Collection', delivered by Professor Ann Sumner, a trustee of the Collection.

No need to book for the lecture.

All welcome.

**Ben Rhydding Methodist church
Sunday 8th October, 4pm**

An event commemorating the death in action on the 9th. October 1917 of Capt. Eric Wilkinson MC.

Wilkinson was both an Old Boy and member of staff at Ilkley Grammar School.

The commemoration will include readings of poems written by him and published shortly after his death in the early anthology of British war poetry: *The Muse in Arms*.

During the Ilkley Art Trail (Thursday 5th to Sunday 8th October) paintings from the Methodist Modern Art Collection will be on display at Ben Rhydding Methodist Church and Christchurch Ilkley.

Viewing times:

**Ben Rhydding Methodist Church
11am – 5pm on all four days**

Christchurch

Thursday – 11am – 5pm
Friday – 11am – 5pm
Saturday – 2pm – 5pm
Sunday – 2pm – 5pm

Viewpoint is your monthly look ahead to see what is happening across the circuit.

If you have special services, fundraising events, social gatherings coming up, or perhaps you have news that you'd like to share, please let us know!

October 2017



Menston

Vivace Youth Choir (age range 7 to 16 years) will be giving a charity concert on Saturday 4th November followed by afternoon tea in aid of AWARE (Airedale & Wharfedale Autism Resource).

The choir performs a variety of songs - folk, traditional & show - interspersed with poems & solos both sung and instrumental.

For further information please contact Eleanor Cree 875637.



On the Web...

New Minister in post at Trinity Rawdon:

We welcome Rev Helen Lambert to her new position as Minister at Trinity Rawdon.



To read the full story visit:

www.wandmethodists.org.uk

Safeguarding Creating Safer Space

Calendar of Safeguarding Training Sessions, 2017-18

Our team of trainers will be working hard again this year to ensure everyone who is in a role of trust involving children, young people or adults who may be vulnerable, receives the training required for their role.

We have a cross-Circuit approach and all sessions are open to all. **It is essential to book** your place no later than ten days before the event, with Mike Fawcett, Circuit Administrator. Via email at: admin@wandamethodists.org.uk or call 07885 585946

Enquiries to Vivien Pitts, Circuit Steward 01943 968301 vivienpitts@talktalk.net

- Wednesday 25th October, 7:00pm — 9:30pm at Menston Methodist Church: **Foundation Training for new people**
- Thursday 9th November, 7:00pm — 9.30pm at Ben Rhydding Methodist Church: **Refresher Training**
- Saturday 27th January, 2:00pm — 5:00pm at Bramhope Methodist Church. Includes tea and cake: **Refresher Training**
- Saturday 24th February, 9:30am — 12:00pm at Trinity Rawdon. Coffee and croissants from 9:00am: **Foundation Training for new people**
- Monday 23rd April, 2:00 — 5:00pm at Guiseley Methodist Church. Including tea and cake: **Refresher Training**
- Wednesday June, 6th 7:00pm — 9:30pm at Christchurch Ilkley: **Refresher Training**
- Saturday July, 7th at Otley Methodist Church 2:00pm — 5:00pm including tea and cake: **Foundation Training for new people**

Volunteers Needed Urgently

Circuit Safeguarding Officer. Do you have experience of safeguarding through work in education, **health or social care/ social services?** **Could you be our next Safeguarding officer?**

Help with marketing for the Norwood Retreat Centre. Do you have marketing experience or do you have graphic design skills which will could help the Norwood Management Team develop its work?

Human Resources Officer. Do you have experience of employment law or have worked in human resources. Could you help the Circuit Leadership Team in this area of work?

If you think you might be able to help, please contact Lesley Taylor on 01943 462308 or lesleytaylor221@gmail.com



To publicise your forthcoming events within the next issue of Viewpoint, email details to Mike Fawcett at :

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