



FURTHER INFORMATION is available on our website, including details of upcoming events, our volunteer group, venue/booking details, the building and its history w: choppards.org.uk

TO MAKE AN ENQUIRY, please use the website form or email e: choppardsbookings@gmail.com

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CHOPPARDS MISSION

A historic building in the beautiful Holme Valley







Could this be the ideal venue for your event, workshop or celebration? COVER PHOTOGRAPHS Ribble Valley Choppards Mission 'Butterflies' by Celia Kilner

About us

Choppards Mission is run by a group of volunteers. We are working to establish Choppards Community Association, to develop and maintain this much-loved building and surrounding area. Most importantly we aim to develop an affordable, fit-for-purpose and well-used community space.

The building

Choppards Mission was built in the mid nineteenth century as a Day and Sunday School. It had over a hundred pupils, who attended school half a day and worked the remaining hours. It is owned by the Church of England and administered by Holy Trinity Church in Holmfirth. A unique building, set in the stunning Ribble Valley, with views towards Cartworth and Holmfirth.

Upper floor – intimate room with windows overlooking the valley. Outstanding décor, designed and painted by Celia Kilner, Douglas Beardsell and Alan Lockwood. 7m x 4.5m. Seats 30

Middle floor – large hall with several windows overlooking the valley and exposed stone walls. $12m \times 7m$. A lovely, adaptable space but hirers please note that there are few electrical sockets at present. Seats 80

Lower floor – kitchen and two washrooms

Access

Entrances front and side (both with steps). Roadside parking. Nearest bus stop (to Holmfirth and Huddersfield): about 700 metres away. Nearest train station: Brockholes

Events

A popular venue for art exhibitions, talks, celebrations, children's parties etc.

"We held our Ruby Wedding Anniversary at Choppards Mission. It was fantastic. It is not extravagant or super modern, but it's full of personality and character. It was the perfect setting for our friends and family."