

Natural Voice workshop 22 Oct

A singing workshop with Natural Voice practitioner, Delia Rosenboom, will take place in the church on Sunday 22 October, starting with refreshments at 6.30pm. We will be singing spiritual songs from a range of traditions and cultures. No previous singing or musical experience is required, as Delia knows how to make all our voices sound great together. Please register with Charlotte in advance for catering purposes. Cost £10 including refreshments. Any profits will be donated to Nightstop and IFCG

Charlotte Gravestock



Sunday 22nd October from 6.30pm
at Hove Methodist Church
Portland Road, Hove, BN3 5DR

'Songs for the Heart'
Singing Workshop
with Delia Rosenboom
Natural Voice Workshop Leader

All who would like to sing with others will be welcome

£10 inc. refreshments

For further information or to register please contact Charlotte Gravestock (01273 730432 or mail@gravestock.plus.com)

Office closed

The church office will be closed from Friday 13 October, reopening on Monday 30 October. Emails and phone messages will be monitored by a skeleton staff.

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Hove Methodist Church

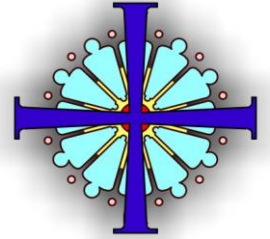
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Sunday 15 October

We warmly welcome all visitors to Hove Methodist Church. If you are worshipping with us for the first time, please make yourself known to the Minister or a Church Steward. Coffee and soft drinks are served following the morning service. If you wish someone to be included in our morning prayers of intercession, please write their name in the prayer book when you enter the church. Contact the church office if you would like our Prayer Network to pray regularly for them.

10:30am: Worship with Rev Peter Mooring

Readers: Sandy and Terry Pomfrey

Worship Stewards: Rose Bateman, Julian Watmore

Music: Paul Richards

AV Operator: Stella Goddard

The flowers today are given by the Pessu Family



Prayer

Lord our God, let the remembrance of your goodness be always on our minds and the gift of your love forever in our hearts. Keep us free from sin, protect us in the hour of temptation and guide us with the light of your presence; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

John Calvin (1509 – 1564)

Hove Methodist Church Mission Statement
To share the love of God, as revealed by Christ, through the Holy Spirit

Church activities this week

Mon 16 October

2.00-4.00pm Monday Guild 'This is Your Life' with Eileen Odom

Tues 17 October

12.30 – 2.30pm Luncheon Club

Weds 18 October

7.00 – 8.00pm Prayer circle in the vestry

Thursday 19 October

10.00am Midweek Holy Communion service followed by refreshments

Fri 20 October

2.00pm Polka Tots (12.30 set-up)

Sunday 22 October

9.45 Meet in the Narthex for prayers before the service

10.30 Baptism Service with Rev Andy Lowe and Rev Julie Underwood

6.30 Songs for the Heart singing workshop

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Start of service

Just before the start of service when the preacher is praying in the vestry, we prepare for the service with a moment of quiet prayer.

HMC new logo competition

As Andy announced last Sunday, the new church logo will be Option 1:



Hove Methodist Church

It was a clear winner (31 votes to 19), although we had three very good options to choose from, with strong support shown for Option 3 in particular. Over the coming weeks this logo will be replacing the old one on our stationery, posters and screens. It will be used in the new signage for our building. If anyone needs to use it, please contact the office and I will email you the various versions.

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Magic from the Musicals Concert

The concert last Saturday was a resounding success, with a delightful programme arranged by Simon Gray and beautifully sung by the Singing for Pleasure choir and soloist. The WI and the Guides contributed a wonderful cake stall in the interval which raised £175.35. The overall total collected for Nightstop which provides temporary shelter for homeless teenagers on our streets was £400, a great result.



Many thanks to everyone involved in the planning and delivery, and to those who showed up on the day to make it such a memorable fundraiser, a fine joint effort between the church and three of the groups who use our premises.

Andy Lowe

Message from Ron & Judy's daughters

Mother, my sister and I would like to thank everyone at the Church who has been so supportive of my mother recently. People have visited, sent cards, messages and flowers and so many came to my father's funeral, the whole family were overwhelmed. Reverend Andy Lowe and Janet Bowles were also very kind in visiting Mother and in helping us to plan what we all felt was a fitting and lovely service for Ron. You have truly shown us the meaning of the Church family and we thank you.

Judy, Claire and Sue

Reverend Lowe on leave

Andy will be on leave for nine days from the 23 – 31 October. This is a much-needed and overdue break in what has been a very busy year. I am sure everyone will wish to contribute to his well-earned rest by not contacting him during this period (unless of course the church is actually on fire).

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