

## **Hove Methodist Church**

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# Sunday 17 March

10.30 Sunday Service with Geoff Harrington

Today's flowers are given by the Alan Saunders

Steward: Charlotte Gravestock

Readers: Sue Noak

Music: Janet Bowles

AV: Jonathan Gravestock

Coffee: Christopher

HMC Photo Album (Updated weekly): <a href="https://albumizr.com/a/VcW4">https://albumizr.com/a/VcW4</a>



# Prayer

God, beyond all our naming, the glory of creation reaches out to you. God, beyond all our reasoning, the voice of the universe sounds your praise; God, beyond all our knowing, all that lives finds its destiny in your presence.

Amen.

Gregory of Nazianzus - (c. 329 - 389)

HMC Mission: To share the love of God, as revealed by Christ, through the Holy Spirit

Week: 18 Mar - 24 Mar 2024

Mon 18 2.00 Monday Guild with Geoff Harrington

Tues 19 12.00 Lunch Club in the hall

Weds 20 10.30 History of Christianity in the Narthex

2.30 Drop-in session at Georgies

Thurs 21 10.30 Midweek Communion

12.30 Lunch Club in the hall

Fri 22 10 - 11.30 Chatty Café

1.30 Polka Tots parent and toddler drop-in

**Sun 24 10.30 Palm Sunday Service** with Ken Smith



### **Sunday Worship**

We welcome Geoff Harrington to lead us in worship this Palm Sunday, March 17 and our cup overflows as Geoff will also be making a special speaking appearance at Monday Guild as well!

## **HMC Office**

Flowers for Joyce

We are thankful for our brother and friend Mr Alan Saunders and his ministry of flowers this week, in remembrance of his dear wife Joyce Saunders. March 19 will be the 10th anniversary of her being 'called to glory'.

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**Circuit Meeting March 18, Hove** The next meeting of our Circuit Committee will take place on 18 March 2024. Hove Methodist Church will play host, with proceedings set to begin at 7.30pm. **Steve Preston** 

# Sunday 24th March Circuit Healing Service 6.30pm at Dorset Gardens

All are welcome on 24 March to the Circuit Healing Service at Dorset Gardens from 6.30pm, led by Revd Cynthia Park and Shirley Veater. This is a quiet, meditative service that will include communion and the opportunity for the laying on of hands.

#### **Steve Preston**

**Quiz** @ **Stanford Avenue Methodist Church** On Saturday 13th April, we are having a Quiz at 4pm at Stanford Avenue Methodist Church. Mags & Dave Bunting will act as quizmasters. There will be a buffet ploughman's style meal & with the quiz for the bargain price of only £10 per person. Contact Lis Coblenz at 07730773891 or <a href="mailto:liscoblenz@yahoo.co.uk">liscoblenz@yahoo.co.uk</a>

**Stanford Avenue** 

Spring Craft Fair - Stanford Avenue, 23 March 11am - 3pm

On Saturday 23 March, our circuit family at Stanford Avenue Methodist Church invite us to join them in celebrating 'nature's gentle awakening', with a Spring & Craft Fair! This is a free community event featuring an Easter egg hunt and craft table for the kids; raffle and tombola. There will also be Homemade gifts, cards, books and cakes on sale. Come and show your support for the church and local community.

Steve Preston





# WOMEN OF NOTE

3PM SATURDAY 25TH MAY 2024



72 STANFORD AVE, BRIGHTON BN1 6FD

# Women of Note

Back by popular demand, the acclaimed Women of Note ladies choir return to Stanford Avenue Methodist Church, for a concert at 3pm on Saturday 25 May 2024. This is a Free concert (plus cake) with a retiring collection in support of the Church and the Trussell Trust.

**Stanford Avenue** 

### **BHCC - New Members Welcome**

Brighton & Hove Camera Club have been running our weekly in-person sessions in the Upper Hall of HMC for over 9 years. Aimed at all levels of photographer, you can expect; guest speakers, workshops, critique nights, photo walks and social events. New members are always welcome and you can join us by scanning the QR code or visiting bhcc-online.org.

### **Brighton & Hove Camera Club**



Scan the QR code or visit our website

www.bhcc-online.org

#### Home front Acts of Kindness



This beautiful hat was knitted by Lai as a gift for Sandy. Sandy was so chuffed with this gift. It meant so much to her.

Chatty cafe is like a market square on a Friday with artists painting, flower arranging, table tennis matches, musical interludes and this week Stella came along with her knitting. Please feel free to come along and share in the joy of chatty cafe, you will be assured of a very warm welcome and of course cake and coffee in abundance. We also had a great session on Friday where lots of our toddlers, with the help of our lovely Josh made special

Mother's Day cards to thank their mummies for being such superheroes!! Rachel Richards

















### **Easter Dates**

Here is our calendar for Easter:

22nd March: 3.30pm Easter Messy Church
24th March: 10.30am Palm Sunday Service
28th March: 10.30am Morning Communion

7.30pm Maundy Thursday Communion

**29th March: 10.30am** Good Friday Service **31st March: 6.00am** Service on the beach

**10.00am** Breakfast before service **11.00am** Easter Sunday Service

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