

Sunday 7 April

Hove Methodist Church Portland Road Hove BN3 5DR Tel: 01273 324600 office@hovemethodistchurch.co.uk www.hovemethodist.co.uk Minister: Rev Andy Lowe

10.30 Sunday Service with Stella Goddard	
Today's flowers are given by the Pessu Family	
Steward:	Donald Reid
Readers:	Sue Noak
Music:	Paul Richards
AV:	Jonathan Gravestock
Coffee:	Christopher

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



Thoughts

And let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

Hebrews 12: 1 -2 (NKJV)

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

Week: 8 - 14 Apr 2024 2.00 Monday Guild with Stella Goddard Mon 8 Tues 9 **10.00 CHOMP Holidav Sessions** Weds 10 **11.00 Songs from the Ratpack** with Joe Dellow 2.30 Drop-in session at Georgies Thurs 11 10.30 Midweek Communion 10 - 11.30 Chatty Café Fri 12

10.30 Sunday Service with Rev Sue Jacobs **Sun 14**

Sunday Worship

This Sunday, we will be led in worship by our very own Stella Goddard. As it's the Brighton Marathon, we should expect road closures so prepare accordingly. I would also like to mention (as I forgot to include last week), our gratitude for the ministry of flowers offered by Donald & the Loh family on Easter Sunday. Attention!! All Godspell enthusiasts and everybody else- The Junction will be screening the 2nd half of Godspell @ 5pm in the Sanctuary of UMRC. **HMC Office**

CHOMP Easter Hols - Tuesday 9 Apr 10am

Tuesday 9 April sees the return of the Easter edition of the CHOMP holiday sessions. Expect the halls of HMC to be filled with all the **Rachel Richards** joy and laughter from our CHOMP families.



Care4Calais Toiletries / New or as New Clothes Appeal

If you have any donations for Care4Calais, Ruth can collect from you this Sunday April 7th and also next Sunday April 14th.

Ruth will take to Care4Calais after our church service on April 14th.

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Clothes & Toiletries collection for people seeking asylum in Brighton & Hove

When & Where?

Sunday 14/04/24

Eaton Road

BN3 3QE Items we need:

Deodorant

Suncream Bodywash Coats

Jumpers Shoes

T-Shirts

Bottoms New pants & socks

13:00pm - 16:00pm

Shampoo & Conditioner

Important We only give out clothing that is in perfect condition - no holes, stains, pilling or broken zips please. Adult clothes

All Saints Parish Hall only.

> Support our work bit.lv/Care4CalaisDonateToday



Contact brighton@care4calais.org

Songs From The Rat Pack - Wed 10 April, 11-1PM

Our good friends from the Martlets continue their wonderful 'Music from the Decades' series on Wednesday 10 April, with Songs from the Rat Pack! Talented singing sensation, Joe Dellow, invites us to join on a trip down memory lane and sing along to your favourite tunes by Frank Sinatra/Sammy Davis Jr./Dean Martin.

All are welcome with donations of £2 suggested for refreshments. To book your place or for more info, email ann.borg@martlets.org.uk or speak to Rachel Richards at HMC.

Rachel Richards

Issues In Your Neighbourhood -

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Speak to your local Policing Team



Community Meeting Fri 12 April **Issues in your**

The police representative for the Westbourne ward, PCSO James Verney, would like to invite all local residents and business owners to a community meeting on Friday 12 April. This will be held from 6.30pm in the Sanctuary of Hove Methodist Church, to discuss any issues or concerns within our neighbourhood. The ward Councillors will also be at the meeting.

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This is an invitation from Rosie; a lovely member of our community who runs her Yoga classes on Wednesday 7.30-8.45pm.

Rosie is a popular teacher known for her unique sequencing and loved for her inclusive approach. Her favourite people to teach are the reluctant, skeptical and inflexible, because they give her the opportunity to demonstrate how accessible yoga is.



Home front Holy week!

Our Easter calendar has come to another conclusion for this year but the message delivered over the Holy Week was as resounding as the question posed by Rev Sue Jacobs on Easter Sunday...**Where is Jesus?**

A jam packed week brought many together for creativity (Messy Church), communion (Maundy Thursday & Beach Service), reflection (Good Friday Service & Ramble) and celebration (Easter Sunday). The 'Alleluia frenzy' and general euphoria of a risen Christ was something to behold.

Our Rev double-act dove tailed seamlessly through services, supported by our team of volunteers and friends of HMC. A big thanks to all! **HMC Office**

















