



Hove Methodist Church

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Minister: Rev Andy Lowe

Sunday 3 November

10.30 Sunday Service with Rev Cynthia Park

Today's flowers are given by the Pessu Family

Steward: Charlotte Gravestock

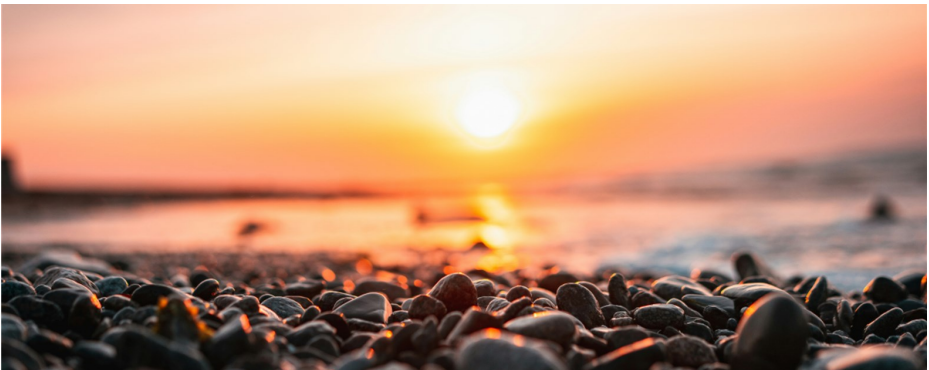
Readers: Sue Noak

Music: Janet Bowles

AV: Jonathan Gravestock

Coffee: Heather Coldridge

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



Prayer

'Light is to darkness what love is to fear; in the presence of one the other disappears.'

(Marianne Williamson)

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

Week: 4 Nov - 10 Nov 2024

- Mon 4** 2.00 **Monday Guild** with Stella Goddard
- Tues 5** 12.00 **Lunch Club** in the hall
- Weds 6** 10.30 **History of Christianity** in the Narthex
2.30 **Drop-in session** at Georgies
- Thurs 7** 10.30 **Midweek Communion**
12.30 **Lunch Club** in the hall
- Fri 8** 10 - 11.30 **Chatty Café**
1.30 **Polka Tots** parent and toddler drop-in
- Sun 10** **Remembrance Sunday Service** with Rev Andy Lowe



Sunday Worship

This Sunday 3 November, we will be joined by Rev Cynthia Park who will lead in worship. As always we are grateful to stewards, readers, AV operators and musicians aka Sunday Service Crew, for your support.

HMC Office

All Saints Day Service

Friday 1st November 2024 7.30pm at Stanford Avenue Methodist Church. At this service we remember with thanks the lives of those we loved who have died in the previous year. We read out the names and remember via the lighting of candles those whose funerals have been held in our churches or whose services have been conducted by ministers and lay people within our Circuit. All are invited and welcome.

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All are invited and welcome. Please contact: interfaith@brightonandhovemethodist.org.uk or 01273 200000. *Gift of Flowers is gratefully accepted to remember in this way.*

Friendship Service - Sunday 17 November

The annual Interfaith Service, followed by tea, takes place from 3pm on Sunday 17 November at St John the Evangelist church, Knoyle Road, Preston BN1 6RB. Everyone is most welcome.

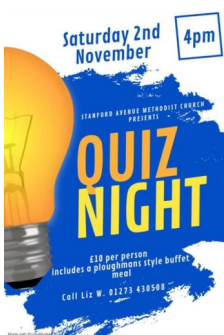
Arrive by 2.45pm to hear Vocal Explosion choir in full throttle (as well as Tone Rangers choir and a solo singer later in the service).

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Winter Celebration Concert - Sat 30 Nov, 2.30 - 4.30pm

Get ready to warm your hearts and lift your spirits at our Winter Celebration Concert on Saturday, 30th November with the Martlets Good Vibrations Choir at Hove Methodist Church. Enjoy a delightful selection of songs from the decades, including cool classics and a sprinkle of festive cheer. Other highlights include a prize raffle and the obligatory t's & c's. Everyone's welcome, from 1.50pm with music from, 2.30pm – 4.30pm. This is a wonderful opportunity to come together, celebrate the season, and support a great cause. We can't wait to see you there!

Martlets Hospice



Quiz Night at Stanford Avenue - Sat 2 November, 4.00pm

Saturday 2nd November **Quiz with ploughman's style buffet meal** from 4.00p.m at Stanford Avenue Methodist Church. Robert Patching will be Quiz Master. These events are always fun, and you may learn something too! Ask your friends and family to come along, everyone will be well fed & all for just £10.

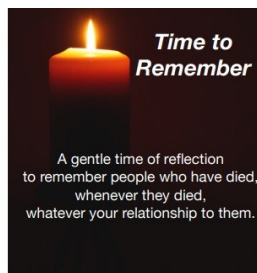
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Time to Remember - Sunday 8 Dec, 1.30 - 5.30pm

A gentle time of reflection, using various creative ways, to remember people who have died. An opportunity to experience and be with other adults reflecting, whether through music & song, writing or art, and candle lighting.

Sun 8 Dec 2024, 1.30 - 5.30pm, Friends Meeting House, Ship Street, Brighton BN1 1AF. To book your place, please email or phone the organiser, Peter Wells: peter.r.wells@gmail.com or Phone: 07790691054

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Home front Fantastic Friday @ HMC

We were so pleased to see Peter return to chatty cafe after being housebound for a year and half. Everyone enjoyed the usual chitter chatter and chaos. We love our Friday's which light up the church even on the wettest dark days outside.

At Polka tots we celebrated Josh and Michelle's birthdays - two of our wonderful volunteers.

To round off the day we welcomed our families to the messy church sparkly party, celebrating all that is good.

Thanks to everyone who came along and to our volunteers who work so hard to make sure these events can happen.



CHOMP Autumn Half Term

Wow, what a wonderful Chomp session! We welcomed over 20 families today. Everyone had fun making the crafts, playing ping pong or eating doughnuts on a string - no hands allowed!! The lunch was perfect for an autumn day; jacket pots, homemade chilli and cheese followed by fruit and jelly. Thank you to everyone who volunteered their time today.



Christmassy Dates:

Saturday 30th November: Martlets Christmas concert 2-4 (in the church)

Sunday 1st December: Gift Service 10.30am (Details to follow)

Friday 13th December: Polka Tots Christmas party for parents and toddlers (bring a present) 1.30pm

Saturday 21st December: Carols outside the church & refreshments 4-5pm

Sunday 22nd December: Candlelit carol service 4pm

Tuesday 24th December: Messy Christingle 2pm

Wednesday 25th December: Family worship 10am