



Hove Methodist Church

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Minister: Rev Andy Lowe

Sunday 14 September 2025

10.30 Sunday Service with Stella Goddard

Today's flowers are given by Joy Hole

Steward: Maggie Symes

Reader: Sue Noak

Music: Janet Morgan

AV: Lou & Jackie

Coffee: Lou & Jackie

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



Prayers

Merciful God, you search for all that is lost and rejoice in its restoration; open our eyes to the wounds of your creation, give us hearts that notice and wills that care, that we may seek the healing of the earth with patient love and rejoice with all your creatures in the harmony of your Peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen **Rev. Dr Mike Perry**

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

Week: 15 - 21 September 2025

- Mon 15** 2.00 **Monday Guild** with Ken Smith (Sanctuary)
- Tues 16** 12.00 **Lunch Club** in the hall
1.30 **Square Knitters** in the Narthex
- Wed 17** 10.30 **History of Christianity** in the Narthex
2.00 **Drop-in session** at Mila's Café, 81 Portland Rd
- Thurs 18** 10.30 **Midweek Communion**
12.30 **Lunch Club** in the hall
- Fri 19** 10 - 11.30 **Chatty Café**
1.30 **Polka Tots** Parent and toddler drop-in
- Sun 21** 10.30 **Sunday Service** with Rev. Andy Lowe



Sunday Worship

We are so grateful for the ministry of Stella Goddard who will be leading us in worship this Sunday 14 September from 10.30am. Our gratitude extends to the Sunday service crew - Maggie, Sue, Janet Morgan, Lou and Jackie. Later that evening from 6.30pm Rev. Andy Lowe will lead the Thinking Aloud discussions online.

HMC Office

Circuit Events & Notices

Tuesday 16 September

Circuit Meeting 7.30pm at Stanford Avenue MC

Wednesday 17 September

All are very welcome to come along to **One Church in Florence Road BN1 6DL** on **Wednesday 17 Sept at 7pm** to find out about the life of the lively and innovative church there, and to meet up with members and friends of the Interfaith Contact Group.

Saturday, 20th September

District Representative Synod 10.30am Gravesend MC

Saturday 27 September

Jumble Sale at Patcham MC 12.00-2.30 to raise funds for the next Barnstormers production. Hot lunches will be available.

Sunday 28 September

Service of Healing & Communion: 6.30 pm at Dorset Gardens. Led by Revd Cynthia Park and Shirley Veater.

Saturday 11th October

Circuit Study Day Speaking of Justice in Worship and Preaching – With Rachel Lampard and Rt Revd Nick Holtam. Saturday 11 October 2025, 10am–2pm at Dorset Gardens. All Welcome.

Steve Preston

The PAN Club (Paint and Nibble)

Join the Tearaway Tots team on Friday 19 September in raising some funds at **The PAN Club (Paint and Nibble)** - 7.30 pm at Dorset Gardens. The talented Shirley Veater will lead the attendees in an amazing art class and you can enjoy cakes, nibbles and laughter along the way. For tickets see Sam Dyke or <https://HEPANCLUB.eventbrite.com>.

Steve Preston



RAISING MONEY FOR TEARAWAY TOTS AT DORSET GARDENS METHODIST CHURCH

The PAN Club

Paint and Nibble

COME AND RELEASE YOUR INNER ARTIST UNDER THE EXPERT GUIDANCE OF THE AMAZING AND TALENTED

Shirley Veater

WWW.SHIRLEYVEATERDESIGNS.CO.UK

ALL MATERIALS AND NIBBLES SUPPLIED

Friday 19th September

7.30pm *£20 per person*

FOR TICKETS PLEASE SEE SAM OR [HTTPS://THEPANCLUB.EVENTBRITE.COM](https://THEPANCLUB.EVENTBRITE.COM)

VENUE: DORSET GARDENS METHODIST CHURCH, DORSET
GENERAL: 01208 851101

It's time for a Macmillan Coffee Morning and you're invited

Let's do whatever it takes to support people living with cancer.

Place: HOVE METHODIST CHURCH
Date: FRIDAY 26th SEPTEMBER
Time: DROP IN BETWEEN 10 - 11.30AM
Contact: RACHEL RICHARDS 01273 304812



MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT

FRS
FUNDRAISING REGULATORS



Messy Church

FOOD
CRAFTS & MUSIC
DIGITAL FUN
FAITH SHARING
FUN ACTIVITIES

FRIDAY 26TH SEPT
3:30PM ONWARDS
ALL ARE WELCOME

Macmillan Coffee Morning - Friday 26 September

Join us for a lovely morning of coffee and cake at Hove Methodist Church on Friday, September 26th, from 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM. It's a fantastic chance to catch up with friends while helping a great cause. Every donation at our Macmillan Coffee Morning goes directly to supporting people affected by cancer. We can't wait to see you there! For more information, please contact Rachel.

Rachel Richards

Messy Church is back!

Join us on Friday 26th September from 3:30pm onwards for an afternoon full of fun, food, and family-friendly activities. There'll be crafts, music, digital fun, and plenty of opportunities to explore faith through creativity and play. Whether you're a regular or it's your first time, come along and enjoy some quality time together in a relaxed and welcoming space.

The Messy Team

Concert by John

Mann, Join us on Saturday 27 September for a concert by John Mann, a frequent contributor to BBC Radio 2's 'The Organist Entertains' at Woodingdean MC. Concert starts at 3pm followed by buffet. Suggested donation £6, tickets via 01273 887618 or 01278 304812. **Steve Preston**

Woodingdean Methodist Church
The Ridgway Woodingdean
Invite you to a

John Mann

Concert

Saturday 27th Sept

Concert starts 3.00pm in the Church
Followed by Buffet in the hall
Suggested donation £6.00



Tickets bin 887618 / 304812

Home front Lunch Club Lives On!

It was really lovely to see everyone on Tuesday; volunteers and lunch clubbers and drivers alike! We welcomed three new guests and a new volunteer and had help from Karen's daughter Lily which was lovely. Huge thanks to the volunteer team today who made everything seem so effortless and smooth. We celebrated lots of August birthdays, Paula, Barry K, Penny, and some Sept birthdays, Guy, Richard and Lyns special birthday!



Caroline Henderson

Hove Friendship Bench

Last Sunday we were excited to reveal the beautiful "Friendship bench" kindly gifted to the HMC community by the Jacobs family as they moved on to pastures new. Andy blessed the bench and you will soon see it outside the main entrance where we hope many friendships and conversations will be made. #hovefriendshipbench

Rachel Richards



Guess who?

Does anyone recognise this beautiful fairy God Mother? <<<<

Private Acupressure Clinic - Fridays 12pm

This is a reminder of Paola's chair massage clinic every Friday. She'll be covered by Tina from Lil Spoons on Fri 19 & 26 September.



Fridays 12pm



chair massage
£1/min
drop-in
or book



<https://linktr.ee/wellbeingintexte>



- o quick release 10-40 min
- o back, arms, neck, head
- o oil free, energising

Supporting the free HMC clinic **OTVO**