

Hove Methodist Church

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Sunday 30 April

10.30 Sunday Worship Sue Jacobs

Steward: Maggie Symes Readers: Sue Noak Music: Janet Bowles

Flowers today are given by the Pessu family

Previous services are available on Youtube at: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCCm05631kHuZqUbYm2xVwUQ



Prayer

Blessed be Christ for the means of grace and the hope of glory. Blessed be Christ in the triumphs of the gospel and in the lives of the saints. Blessed be Christ in joy and in sorrow, in life and in death; Now and to the end of ages. Amen.

A Litany of the Resurrection

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

Week 1 - 6 May 2023

Mon 1 2.30 Monday Guild May Day meeting (see below)

Tues 2 12.00 Lunch club in the hall

Weds 3 2.30 Drop-in session at Georgies in George St

Thurs 4 10.30 Midweek Communion with Rev Andy Lowe

12.30 Lunch club in the hall

Friday 5 10.00 Chatty Café

13:30 Polka Tots

Sunday 7 10.30 Sunday Worship with Sue Jacobs



Monday Guild May Day

Monday Guild are celebrating May Day with a mini table top sale from 2.15 - 4pm. All are welcome to have a cuppa and a browse.

Rose Bateman

Coronation Celebration 13 May

We will be having another joint tea party this time to celebrate the coronation of King Charles. It's the Saturday 13 May, so put the date in your diaries to finish up your coronation week's activities. Lots of old favourites from the Martlets choir, and a cream tea from Rachel and the gang. Speaking of which if would like to help at the event please speak to me and we need some prizes for the raffle and if you have anything suitable please bring them to the church/office. **Rachel Richards**



Community Breakfast 3 June

Another date for your diaries - we'll be open for breakfast from 9.30 on Saturday 3 June. If you can help, contact our Rachel.

Interfaith Dying to Know Day

'Dying to Know' on Wednesday 10 May at the Unitarian church in New Road, is a full day of talks, workshops, conversations, music and film, organised by the IFCG for 'Dying Matters' Week. Full details can be found at www.interfaithcontactgroup.com, or on separate flyer. All are welcome to attend all or part of the day.

Charlotte Gravestock

Events

Next Sunday , May 7th is Dorset Gardens 20th Anniversary of the opening of the new building. Our service at 10.30 will be followed by a light lunch to which anyone is invited.

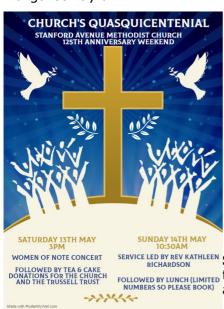
However, should you wish to attend, please be aware that it is also Brighton Festival Childrens Parade in the morning and North Street will be closed from 10 am. Buses from Hove will terminate at Churchill Square/Imperial Arcade. We suggest you plan to arrive early.

Many thanks, Rosemary Cuthbert



Patcham Methodist Church Late Spring Fair on Saturday 13th May from 11 - 3. See poster.

Margaret Taylor





SERVICE LED BY REV KATHLEEN RICHARDSON

FOLLOWED BY LUNCH (LIMITED NUMBERS SO PLEASE BOOK)

Anniversary over the weekend of 13/14 May. See Poster

News from the Church

Good news - Sue has just received her college report and unsurprisingly it is very good and means that (subject to the college oversight committee accepting the report) she can now look forward to entering her last year at college and another year

working with us as her link church.

Well done Sue and thank you for all you do with us and for bringing Mark, Woody and Dotty into our community, we love having you all with us. And talking of Dotty she won the 'player of the tournament medal' from the inter schools trigolf competition. It was her first ever time competing at an inter schools sports event so she was very proud... and so are Sue and Mark (I'm sure Woody is too).

Well done Dotty we are proud of you too.

Elin has had a cold this week and not been able to come into the office. We are grateful that Nigel has been coming in and helping with some sorting and filing and also doing some of the work with invoices and here is the proof (as long as you ignore the blank screen, he had finished and was just leaving).





In the meantime Bob was continuing painting in the Crush Hall and associated areas. This is him in the Basement Food store. Thank you Bob for all the time and effort you are spending here.

Annual Church Meeting

In the next couple of weeks we will produce and publish a short report following the Annual Church meeting last Sunday for those who weren't able to attend.