



Hove Methodist Church

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Minister: Rev Andy Lowe

Sunday 27 October

10.30 Sunday Service with Stella Goddard

Today's flowers are given by Rose Bateman

Steward: Charlotte Gravestock

Readers: J.J. Baiden-Amisshah

Music: Janet Bowles

AV: Ian Draper

Coffee: Jackie & Louise

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



Prayer

Let us be one, O Lord, in our praise of you, one in our prayers to you, one in our love for you and one through Christ, in our coming to you.

Amen.

Ignatius of Antioch (c.35 - c.107)

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

Week: 28 Oct - 3 Nov 2024

- Mon 28** 2.00 **Monday Guild** with Steward Gaston
- Tues 29** 11.00 **CHOMP Holiday Sessions**
12.00 **No Lunch Club**
- Weds 30** 10.30 **History of Christianity** in the Narthex
2.30 **Drop-in session** at Georgies
- Thurs 31** 10.30 **Midweek Communion**
12.30 **No Lunch Club**
- Fri 1** 10 - 11.30 **Chatty Café**
- Sun 3** **Sunday Service** with Rev Cynthia Park



Sunday Worship

Our Sunday service will be led by Stella Goddard who is relying on our usual punctuality for a 10.30am start, as the **Clocks Go Back** on Sunday 27th October. **HMC Office**

Messy Church - Bright & Sparkly Party

Join the 'Messy Churchers' on Friday 25th October from 3.30pm - 5.30pm, for a special event celebrating all that is good, Bright & Sparkly! There will be games, craft, worship and dinner on the day. This is an all age event with free admission and dress code stipulation of bright and sparkly attire. Donations are also welcome.



JOIN US FOR

BRIGHT & SPARKLY PARTY

CELEBRATING ALL THAT IS GOOD

FRIDAY 25TH OCTOBER
3:30PM - 5:30PM

Includes: Games, Crafts, Worship & Dinner
All ages welcome Admission Free
Donations welcome
Dress code: bright and sparkly of course!

Macmillan Coffee Morning

A bit late but certainly news worthy - Thank you to everyone who participated in our Macmillan coffee morning at Chatty café a few weeks back. We raised £132 for this brilliant and life changing

Crystal Cheng

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 27TH SEPTEMBER
Time: 10.00 - 11.30
Contact: RACHEL RICHARDS
01273 324600

Simply scan this QR code with your phone to donate to your local's Coffee Morning. It's easy, quick and secure. Thank you.

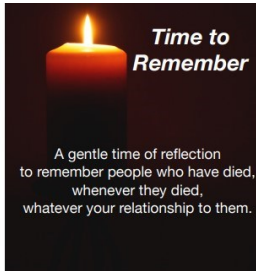


cause.

You can find out more about the Macmillan Cancer Support and how to continue helping at - <https://www.macmillan.org.uk/>

Rachel Richards

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



An opportunity to experience and be with other adults reflecting, whether through music & song, writing or art, and candle lighting.

Sunday 8th December 2024
1:30 - 5:30pm
Friends Meeting House, Ship Street,
Brighton BN1 1AF

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

Charlotte Gravestock

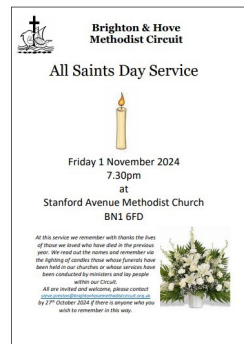
All Saints Day Service

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, please contact steve.preston@brightonhovemethodistcircuit.org.uk by 27th October 2024 if there is anyone who you wish to remember in this way.

Steve Preston



YMCA Jumble Sale - Saturday 16 Nov, 10am - 1pm

Remember the days when jumble sales were all the rage?! They used to hold them regularly in halls bigger than ours to raise funds and people would queue for hours to make sure they could get in early to grab the bargains Well, YMCA Hove are bringing it all back, just in time for Christmas! All are encouraged to come down to the HMC hall on Saturday 16 November from 10am to 'rumble and jumble'; all in support of the work the YMCA continue to do with the young people in our community.

A nominal £1 fee for entry. Expect surprises and bargains of course!

YMCA Hove



Home front

CHOMP Autumn Half Term - Tuesday 29 Oct 11am - 1pm

Tuesday 29 October sees the return of our CHOMP holiday sessions. Expect the halls of HMC to be filled with all the joy and laughter from our CHOMP families.

CHOMP

Rachel Richards

HMC Christmas Appeal (In Nov issue of Hovarian)

For over 50 years Hove Methodist Church serves Christmas lunch on Christmas Day to guests from the local community who might otherwise be on their own. Doors open at 12 for lunch, followed by entertainment, carols and tea, all finishing at 3.45pm.

We are organising for this year's lunch and appealing for drivers with their own vehicles who can spare an hour or two on Christmas morning or afternoon to pick up our frailer guests at 11.30 and/or drop them back



home at 4pm. Each driver will need to be DBS checked.

If you can offer your time to help, please contact JJ at office@hovemethodistchurch.co.uk or 01273 324600.

We will be wrapping presents for our 100+ guests on Friday 6th December, 10am onwards if you would like to pop in and help. On Christmas Eve we also ask for volunteers to help us prep for the lunch, so if you are up for a spot of communal potato peeling do come by with peeler in hand on Tuesday 24th, 10am onwards. We invite you to come along to the Christmas activities listed below:

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

Rachel Richards