Dorset Gardens Methodist Church Minister: Revd Andy Lowe



Welcome to church today. If you are visiting us we hope you will make yourself known before you leave. Please do join us for coffee after morning worship.

Bibles & Large Print Hymn Books are available at the back of the church and there is a **loop system** for the hard of hearing, please switch your hearing aid to **'T'**. We always try to address individual needs to the best of our ability. Please let us know if there's something we can do to improve what we currently offer.

Offering: If you would like to make a financial contribution our offering plate is located at the back of the church. We now also have a Card Reader for donating with your Debit/Credit card. Or you can still donate via JustGiving: www.justgiving.com/dgmc

Sunday 12th October 2025 Prisons Sunday

10.30 am

Morning Worship

Led by Beulah Fletcher

Keyboard Player Will Mason

Tel: 01273 605502 Email: office@dgmc.org.uk

Call to Worship

Hymn StF 51 Great is thy faithfulness

Time with Young People: Presentation

Prayer

Hymn StF 639 Through the love of God our Saviour

Reading Luke 17: 11-19 Read by Steve Preston

Sermon Part 1

Hymn StF 632 I've had questions without answers

Reading 2 Timothy 2: 8-15 Read by Steve Preston

Sermon Part 2

Hymn StF 611 Brother, sister, let me serve you

Intercessions

Hymn StF 681 Community of Christ

Blessing



Flowers

The lovely flowers in church today come courtesy of the Dorset Gardens Flower Fund.

Next Sunday: 19th October 2025

Harvest Festival and Freedom Sunday

10.30 am, Harvest All Age Worship

Led by Revd Andy Lowe

Every Thursday

1 pm, Service of Prayer & Praise, in the Prayer Chapel.

2 pm, **Open House** @ **Dorset Gardens** - Tea, coffee, refreshments, crafts, board games... and fellowship!

News and Notices

Women of Note Concert: Saturday 18th October, 3 pm at Hove MC. Donations welcome of raffle prizes or homemade/shop bought cakes for us to sell in aid of the Circuit Refugee Project. [Women of Note have asked for ingredients to be listed on any homemade cakes, because some people have allergies, including nut allergy]. (Cath Odd Hayward plans to bring gluten free and vegan options). If you need any help getting donated raffle prizes/cakes to this event, please let Sue Harrington know.

Harvest Festival - Next Sunday: Join us for All Age Worship at 10.30 am followed by a 'Bring and Share' Lunch. Please bring a savoury finger-food dish (tomatoes, quiche, cheese straws, cheese, olives, etc.) A sign-up sheet is available at reception. Do add your name so we can plan numbers and note any dietary requirements.

Harvest Donations: Please see the poster on the notice board in the foyer for details of Harvest donations being requested for the Voices in Exile Food Bank.

"Voices of Power" - Black History Month Concert: Saturday 25th October, 2 to 6 pm at Hove Methodist Church. An inspiring afternoon of music, dance, drama, and spoken word celebrating Black history, culture, and community. Enjoy performances from...

- Harps Choral UK: Gospel and choral harmonies.
- Isaac Jengwa and his soulful acoustic sounds.
- Drama performances.
- Roy Mcfarlane: Poet, Playwright & National Canal Poet Laureate.
- Jazz like that: Jazz band

After the concert, stay for **authentic Ghanaian cuisine**, a **live DJ**, and vibrant **community stalls**, including Afrori Books, BARCO & Culture Connect.

Tickets from £5 (via Eventbrite). Donations support local Black-led initiatives - All are welcome - Come and stand together in pride this Black History Month!

Circuit All Saints Day Service: Saturday 1st November, 7.30 pm at Stanford Avenue Methodist Church. Everyone welcome.



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