

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 18th January 2026

10.30 am

Morning Worship

Led by Stella Goddard

Keyboard Player Will Mason

Welcome and Call to Worship

Hymn StF 65 Sing of the Lord's goodness

Gathering Prayers

What's in a name?

Hymn StF 173 Into the darkness of this world

Readings Isaiah 49: 1-7 Read by Jennifer Blamey
 John 1: 29-42

Hymn StF 157 God has spoken - by his prophets

Reflection

Hymn StF 728 O God, you search me and you know me

Prayers for the World

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn StF 547 Beyond these walls of worship

Blessing and Sharing the Grace



Flowers

Thank you to Deeptima Massey for the lovely flowers in church today, celebrating Kushma & Nita's birthdays.

Next Sunday ~ 25th January 2026

10 am, Circuit Together Service
At Woodingdean Methodist Church

(No morning service at DG today)

6.30 pm, Service of Healing and Communion
Led by Revd Andy Lowe - At Dorset Gardens

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

Items Needed: Tearaway Tots need your unwanted newspapers and toilet roll inners. Thank you, Sam Dyke.

Saturday 31st January: Quiz, 4 pm at Stanford Avenue MC.

Sunday 1st February: Food and Fellowship after morning worship. We do hope you will all be able to join us!

More Dates for the Diary

Saturday 21st February: Concert, Ovingdean based Ukelele Band, 3 pm at Woodingdean MC, followed by tea and cakes. The band will play a range of music, including some well-known sing-alongs!

Saturday 7th March: Concert, Cheer Up Mollys, at Hove MC. In aid of All We Can - Further details to follow.

Saturday 14th March: Spring Fair at Stanford Avenue MC. Further details to follow.

Saturday 28th March: Lent Hymn Singing Afternoon, 1.45 to 3 pm at Dorset Gardens. If you'd like to nominate a special hymn please email deeptima@rediffmail.com

Saturday 25th April: Coffee Morning & Table Top Sale, 10 am to 2 pm at Dorset Gardens.

**SERVICE OF HEALING
AND COMMUNION**

At Dorset Gardens Methodist Church

**Fourth Sunday of every month
at 6.30 pm**



MATTHEW 15 vs 30 & 31

GREAT CROWDS CAME TO HIM, BRINGING THE LAME,
THE BLIND, THE CRIPPLED, THE MUTE AND MANY
OTHERS, AND LAID THEM AT HIS FEET; AND HE
HEALED THEM.

THE PEOPLE WERE AMAZED WHEN THEY SAW THE
MUTE SPEAKING, THE CRIPPLED MADE WELL, THE
LAME WALKING AND THE BLIND SEEING. AND THEY
PRAISED THE GOD OF ISRAEL.