

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 19th July 2026

10.30 am

Morning Worship

Led by Stella Goddard

Keyboard Player Will Mason

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Welcome

Gathering Prayers

Hymn StF 3 Eternal God, your love's tremendous glory

Prayers of Praise and Confession

Hymn StF 343 All my days I will sing this song of gladness

Reading Philippians 3: 1-21 Read by Barbara Lamb

Hymn StF 489 All I once held dear

Reflection

Hymn StF 513 Take this moment, sign, and space

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Prayers for the World

Lord's Prayer

Hymn StF 547 Beyond these walls of worship

Blessing and Sharing the Grace

Next Sunday ~ 26th July 2026

10.30 am, Morning Worship

Led by Terry Fish

6.30 pm, Service of Healing and Communion

Led by Revd Andy Lowe

Priority Services Register

The Priority Services Register (PSR) is a free UK-wide service which provides extra advice and support, including when there's an interruption to your electricity, gas or water supply.

The PSR also lets energy companies, including your suppliers, tailor our day-to-day services to your individual needs to make sure we're helping you stay safe, warm and well-informed all year round.

This service includes offering you information in other formats like large print or Braille, nominating someone else to deal with your energy bills on your behalf, and providing advance notice of any planned power cuts or maintenance on our gas network.

The benefits of being on the PSR:

- Priority treatment during a gas, electricity or water interruption.
- Communication tailored to your needs.
- Temporary heating and cooking appliances in an emergency.
- Emergency power or water if you use medical equipment which uses electricity or water.



To find out more:
thepsr.co.uk

You can join the PSR if you or anyone in your household:

- Use medical equipment reliant on electricity or water.
- Has a disability.
- Has a chronic illness.
- Has long-term physical or mental health conditions.
- Lives with children under 5 or are pregnant.
- Is of pensionable age.
- Has additional language or communication needs.

If you are unable to do this yourself, Jennie Lamb is happy to help.

News and Notices

This Evening - Come As You Are: 6.30 pm at Hove. There's no pressure to participate in any particular way. You can join in, reflect quietly, or simply sit and be present. Tea and biscuits afterwards, because some traditions are worth keeping. Led by Andy Lowe.

Help make our Newsletter a great read! We're keen to include news, events, photos & stories from across our church community. Please send your contributions to Deeptima by 16th August.

Saturday 8th August - Summer Celebration Concert: At Hove MC, doors 1.50 pm for 2.30pm start. An afternoon of music and fun, featuring the Martlets Good Vibrations Choir and jazz/pop singer Aneesa Chaudhry. Enjoy tea and scones, a prize draw and plenty of great music, all while supporting the Martlets Hospice Choir.

Invitation - Saturday 22nd August: In this great big world when two people find each other, fall in love and decide to make a life-long commitment to each other, it is a wonderment! So how we rejoice that Will & Tessa have found each other, and are planning their wedding! This calls for a celebration! Please come to my garden (28 Peacock Lane) on 22nd August for lunch between 12 & 3 pm and we will toast their future together! We will be serving 'nonsecco'. If you are able to, please bring a salad or dessert to help with catering. RSVP Cynthia Park cpark1947@gmail.com or 01273 640247.

Searching for Father Christmas... and Elves! Do you have a desire to be Father Christmas this year? Or to release your inner Elf? We are looking for helpers for a Santa's Grotto in December. Could you help? If we have more than one Father Christmas and/or Elves we could do time slots. We will need to DBS check volunteers wanting to help with this. Thank you, Sam Dyke.