

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 23rd August 2026

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 82 O Lord, my God

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Time with Young People

Hymn StF 247 I danced in the morning

Readings Matthew 16: 13-21 Read by Sam Dyke
 Romans 12: 1-8

Hymn StF 338 There is a Redeemer

Sermon 'Who do you say I am?'

Hymn StF 673 Will you come and follow me?

Prayer 'Through our lives and by our prayers your
 Kingdom come'

Hymn StF 469 I watch the sunrise lighting the sky

Blessing



Flowers

Thank you to Pauline Payne for the lovely flowers
in church today, remembering her husband Ray.

This Evening

6.30 pm, Service of Healing and Communion

Led by Revd Karen Bell

Next Sunday ~ 30th August 2026

10.30 am, Circuit Together Service

Led by Revds Andy Lowe & Karen Bell

(Here 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

Next Sunday - Circuit Together Service at DG: We hope to be able to offer tea, coffee and cake after the service. So any offers of cake would be very much appreciated. Please speak to Rosemary.

Alpha Course: Continues on Wednesday 26th August, 6.30 to 8 pm, followed by a break and recommencing on Wednesdays 16th, 23rd and 30th September. If you would like to attend, please contact Cynthia: cpark1947@gmail.com or 01273 640247.

Saturday 29th August: St. Joseph's & St. John the Baptist and Monks in the City invite you to their Open Day, 11 am to 4.30 pm. *Discover Brighton's Historic Catholic Church (with royal connections and impressive art).* At the Church of St. John the Baptist, 2 Bristol Road,

Kempton, BN2 1AP. Free entry, welcomers and guided tours, refreshments available next door in the Fitzherbert Community Hub. Donations to the Parish welcome.

Food & Fellowship: Our next gathering is on **Sunday 6th September**. We do hope you will all join us after morning worship!

Education: There are some learning and development **online** events being offered by the Methodist Church in case anyone would like to sign up:-

- **What is a visit** (for Pastoral carers) on 10th September, 10 am to 12 noon: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/what-is-a-visit-tickets-1989091477153?aff=oddtcreator>
- **What is a visit** (for Pastoral Carers) on 15th September, 7 to 9 pm: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/what-is-a-visit-tickets-1989091586480?aff=oddtcreator>
- **Dementia Inclusive Worship** on 12th October, 10 am to 12 noon: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/dementia-inclusive-worship-tickets-1988316143108>



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