

# 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](http://www.justgiving.com/dgmc)

**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2025**

10.30 am

**Morning Worship**

**Led by Stella Goddard**

Keyboard Player Will Mason

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## **Welcome and Gathering Prayer**

**Hymn StF 449** Lord of creation

## **Prayers of Approach and Confession**

**Hymn StF 447** Jesus, be the centre

**Readings** 2 Timothy 4: 6-8, 16-18 Read by Barbara Lamb  
Luke 18: 9-14

**Hymn StF 450** Open Lord, my inward ear

## **Message**

**Hymn StF 705** It is God who holds the nations

## **Prayers for the World**

**Hymn StF 667** O Watcher in the wilderness

## **Blessing**



### **Flowers**

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

## **This Evening**

**6.30 pm, Service of Healing and Communion**

Led by Revd Cynthia Park

**Next Sunday ~ 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2025**

**International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church**

**10.30 am, Morning Worship**

Led by Jonathan Gravestock

## **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**

**A Thank You from the Voices in Exile Foodbank:** "Thank you for the very generous Harvest collection! I've taken a pic of the food in the food bank. Please send a huge thank you to everyone involved. Really appreciate your support! All the best, Stephen"



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

**Food and Fellowship:** Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> November and 21<sup>st</sup> December. We do hope you can all stay on after morning worship!

**Light Trail:** Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> November, 4.30 to 6 pm at Carlton Hill Primary School (Sussex Street entrance). Illuminated decorations made by Carlton Hill pupils. £7 per person (for the trail, jacket potato and drink). Wellies and waterproofs recommended. Raising money for ICT equipment and an outdoor sensory play area.

**‘Treasure Island’ a Barnstormers Production:** At Patcham MC. Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> to Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> November, 7.30 pm; Saturday matinee 2 pm. Tickets £12 (concessions for children/families). All profits to the Patcham MC Development Fund. Box Office 01273 307109 or online [www.barnstormers.org.uk](http://www.barnstormers.org.uk)

**“The Adventurers”** Brighton & Hove Circuit Youth, 6 to 18 year olds. Get together and adventure on: **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> November**, 1 to 3 pm at the i360; and **Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December**, 1 to 3 pm at the Rampion Wind Farm Visitor Centre. (Adventures funded by the PAN Club). To sign-up email Sam Dyke at [samantha.dyke@dgmcc.org.uk](mailto:samantha.dyke@dgmcc.org.uk)

**Christmas & Craft Fair:** Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> November, 10.30 am to 2 pm at Stanford Avenue MC. Food, tombola, raffle, books & games, homemade gifts, cakes and more! Free entry. Please do join us!

**Brighton Male Voice Choir Concert:** Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> November, 3 pm at Woodingdean MC. Suggested donation £6. Book tickets on 01273 304812 or 01273 887618.