

# Gravesend Methodist Church & Community Centre

## Weekly Newsheet

23 June 2024

*“Your local Town Centre Church bringing God’s love to the heart of the community”.*

*If you are joining us for the first time, please make yourself at home and stay for tea or coffee which is served at the end of the morning service. Here you will have the opportunity to talk to members of the congregation who will be happy to answer any questions you may have about our Sunday services and weekday activities.*



### Sunday- 23 June

**23 Jun** 10.00am Service preparation  
11.00am Worship led by Gill Gray  
11.00am **EXPLORERS**

*It would be appreciated if mobile phones are turned off or put in silent mode. Thank you*

**Care Team** If you would like someone to talk to or to pray with in confidence, representatives from our Care Team are available at each service. They can be identified by their red badges.

### Future Services

30 Jun 11.00am Rev Alex Terrett with Holy Communion  
11.00am **EXPLORERS**  
7 July 11.00am Deacon Vic Downs inc a Baptism  
11.00am **EXPLORERS**  
14 July 11.00am To be arranged  
11.00am **EXPLORERS**



**At the recent General Church Meeting members and friends were challenged by Rev Alex Terrett to step up and help more in the running of the church. Have you included this challenge in your prayers and what is your answer? Please speak with Rev Alex, one of the Sunday Stewards, Worship Leaders, or the Leadership Team about your involvement.**



**Our Daytime Hub is in great need of volunteers. Cooking is not now an issue but they are struggling to find general helpers including someone to help do the laundry Are you able to volunteer please? Please ring Vicki Clarke on 01474328249.**

**Minister** - Rev Alexandra Terrett– Email [a.terrett@btinternet.com](mailto:a.terrett@btinternet.com) (Alex’s day off is Friday)

**Senior Church Steward** - Sheila Allison Email [sheila\\_allison@btinternet.com](mailto:sheila_allison@btinternet.com) **Pastoral matters**-Joyce Woodcraft Email [joyceatlast@talktalk.net](mailto:joyceatlast@talktalk.net) **Property or administration** - Eric Davis Email [eric@ehdavis.me.uk](mailto:eric@ehdavis.me.uk)

**Finances** - Kate or Robert Hardy Email [kateahardy16@gmail.com](mailto:kateahardy16@gmail.com) or [roberthardy33@gmail.com](mailto:roberthardy33@gmail.com)

**Deacon** -Vic Downs (Retired) Email [deacon45@virginmedia.com](mailto:deacon45@virginmedia.com)

**Church Tel:** 01474 328249 (answerphone) **or use the contact form on our church web site –**

[www.gravesendmethodistchurch.org.uk](http://www.gravesendmethodistchurch.org.uk)

**Community Centre Manager –** Vicki Clarke Tel 328249

**Bookings** - For hall & room bookings please contact Vicki Clarke - Community Centre Manager tel. 328249

**Weekly Notice Sheet Editor** – for the next edition is **Eric Davis**. All items for the news sheet should be with Eric by 12 noon on Wednesday please. Email [eric@ehdavis.me.uk](mailto:eric@ehdavis.me.uk)

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The Grand's activities are not included in this calendar of events.

Mon 24/6	<b>Daytime Hub</b>	Community Centre	1000-1200
	<b>Coffee, Cake &amp; Conversation</b>	Foyer	1000-1200
	<b>Sisterhood</b>	Foyer	1415-1530
	<b>Youth engage</b>	Ground floor	1530-1800
	<b>Badminton Club - closed for the summer</b>		
Tue 25/6	<b>Community Centre open</b>	Reception	0900-1300
	<b>SUN Group (Kent &amp; Medway NHS - Service user Network)</b>	Foyer	0930-1330
	<b>Leadership Team</b>	Foyer	1900
	<b>Meopham Fellowship</b>	14 Poplar Walk	1930
Wed 26/6	<b>Daytime Hub</b>	Community Centre	1000-1200
	<b>Crafty coffee</b>	Foyer	1000-1200
Thur 27/6	<b>Community Centre reception open</b>	Reception	0900-1230
	<b>Ladies Fellowship</b>	16 Fairfields	1400
Fri 28/6	<b>Daytime Hub</b>	Community Centre	1000-1200
	<b>Street Pastors Support &amp; Prayer</b>	Jubilee Room	2130-0230
Sat 29/6	<b>'babyballet'</b>	Wesley Hall	0900-1300
	<b>Foodbank</b>	Reception	1000-1200

The Grands typical weeks events at GMCCC - the Parlour is in exclusive use as their base. \* = Youth event

Mon	Tech course & Advice	Quiet Room	1000-1330
	Grand Active	Wesley Hall	1215-1345
	Active Listening*	Counsel Room	1530-1830
	GYG Adults singing	Foyer	1830-2030
Tues	Grand Active	Wesley Hall	1030-1200
	Mini GYGers*	Wesley Hall	1600-1700
	Be You Project*	Jubilee Room	1600-1730
	Active Listening*	Quiet & Counselling	1530-1830
	Drumming Workshop*	Church/Foyer	1600-1800
	Women's Exercise	Wesley Hall	1900-1945
Wed	Ready, Steady, Go	Wesley Hall	1200-1300
	Yoga	Wesley Hall	1400-1500
	GYG Performers*	Wesley Hall	1600-1800
	GYG Creative*	Jubilee Room	1600-1800
Thur	Grand Active & Additional Needs	Foyer	1030-1230
	Seniors Get Active	Wesley Hall	1030-1130
	Active Listening*	Quiet Room	1530-1830
	GYG Committee & Gone wild*	Foyer	1600-1800
	GYG Dance*	Wesley Hall	1630-1830
Fri	English Classes	Foyer	1000-1330

# GENERAL ELECTION HUSTINGS

HEAR THE LOCAL CANDIDATES  
ANSWER YOUR QUESTIONS  
BEFORE YOU VOTE!

SUBMIT YOUR QUESTIONS VIA THE QR CODE



 Thursday 27th June

 7:30-9pm

VENUE:

**City Praise Centre**  
The Maltings  
Lower Higham Road  
Gravesend  
DA12 2LY



ORGANISED BY CHURCHES TOGETHER IN GRAVESHAM

**Gravesham Foodbank**  
We particularly need Marmalade, Hot Chocolate and Vegetarian meals but we have sufficient pasta. Thank you

**Upcoming Dates for your diary:-**  
**Saturday 13 July 10.00am to 12.30pm**  
**Event - Action for Children - Coffee Morning with table top sale**

**Saturday 27 July**  
**Event - Church Garden Party**  
**Time - To be agreed (Afternoon)**  
**Venue - 38 Laurel Avenue, Gravesend**

**Gift Day 2024**  
Thank you to all who contributed financially to our recent Gift Day. To date you have raised £6325 which, when Gift Aid is added, should bring the total to £7668. Any further contributions will be gratefully received.