

Gravesend Methodist & Community Centre Weekly Newsheet

4 February 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 services and weekday activities.



Sunday 4 February

28 Jan 10.00am Service preparation
11.00am led by Rev Alex Terrett - United Service with Spital Street, Dene Holm, Swanscombe and The Brent Methodist Churches
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

11 Feb 11.00am To be arranged
11.00am **EXPLORERS**
18 Feb 11.00am Deacon Vic Downs
11.00am **EXPLORERS**
25 Feb 11.00am Gill Gray
11.00am **EXPLORERS**

We welcome our friends from other local Methodist churches to today’s service and look forward to joining together in God’s love.

Church Sound system

Our new replacement sound desk has now been installed and was used for the first time last Sunday. Please bear with the sound operators whilst we get used to it over the next few weeks

We send a very big thank you to everyone who have given donations toward its purchase.

Thank you

Learning and Development

We have been asked to let our congregation know of a **Methodist ‘Learning and Development Newsletter’**.

Please use the link below which includes a nice little video of 3Generate 2023:-

www.gravesendmethodistchurch.org.uk/media/other/39802/LearningDevelopmentNewsletter.pdf

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Weekly Notice Sheet Editor – for next week is **Eric Davis** All items for the news sheet should be with Eric by 12 noon on Wednesday please. Email eric@ehdavis.me.uk tel 01474 822570

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[The Grand - tel 01474 320123 hello@thegrand.org.uk]

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

Mon 5/2	Daytime Hub	Community Centre	1000-1200
	Warm Spaces Coffee, Cake & Conversation	Foyer	1000-1200
	Sisterhood	Foyer	1415-1530
	Youth engage	Ground floor	1530
	Badminton	Wesley Hall	1930
Tue 6/2	Community Centre open	Reception	0930-1330
	Meopham Fellowship	14 Poplar Walk	1930
Wed 7/2	Daytime Hub	Community Centre	1000-1200
	Warm Spaces Crafty coffee	Foyer	1000-1200
Thur 8/2	Community Centre open	Reception	0930-1330
	Ladies Fellowship	36 Regents Court	1400
Fri 9/2	Daytime Hub	Community Centre	1000-1200
	Street Pastors Support & Prayer	Jubilee Room	2130-0230
Sat 10/2	'babyballet'	Wesley Hall	0900-1230
	Foodbank	Reception	1000-1200

Are you finding yourself at a loose end on a Monday or Wednesday? Why not pop along to our Warm Spaces coffee in the foyer?



The Foyer

Mondays-Coffee and Conversation
Wednesdays-Crafty Coffee

Mondays & Wednesdays
10.00am to 12noon
in the church foyer

A warm welcome awaits you

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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

Interested seeing GMCCC on tv? The latest was an item about the crisis funding of The Grand (following KCC 's decision to withdraw funding) and was recorded from 05.30 on Thursday (1 Feb) morning in the church. It was screened at 0610. See it on catch up ITV 'Good Morning Britain' - Thursday at 06.10

Gravesham Foodbank

Foodbank continues to be busy but donations at Supermarkets are not keeping up with demand.

So, please will you continue to support Foodbank in 2024 by suppling mixed donations whenever possible.

Thank you