

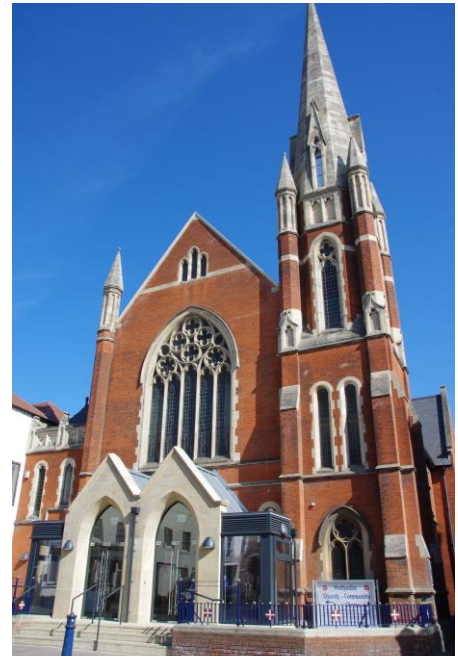
Gravesend Methodist Church & Community Centre

Weekly Newsheet

16 November 2025

"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.



Sunday 16 Nov

16 Nov 10.00 Service preparation
11.00. Worship led by Rev Alexandra Terrett including adult and child baptism
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

23 Nov 11.00am Deacon Vic Downs
11.00am **EXPLORERS**
30 Nov 11.00am First Sunday in Advent –
Worship Leader led.
11.00am **EXPLORERS**
7 Dec 11.00am Toy/Gift Service – Sarah Smith
(please see advert over page)
11.00am **EXPLORERS**



Minister - Rev Alexandra Terrett– Email a.terrett@btinternet.com (Alex's day off is Friday)

Senior Church Steward - Sheila Allison Email sheila_allison@btinternet.com **Pastoral matters**-Joyce Woodcraft Email joyceatlast@talktalk.net **Property or administration** - Eric Davis Email eric@ehdavis.me.uk

Finances - Kate or Robert Hardy Email kateahardy16@gmail.com or roberthardy33@gmail.com

Deacon -Vic Downs (Retired) Email deacon45@virginmedia.com

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

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

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The Grand's activities are not included in this calendar of events.			
Mon 17/11	Daytime Hub	Community Centre	1000-1200
	Warm Welcome coffee	Foyer	1000-1200
	Sisterhood	Foyer	1415-1530
	Badminton	Wesley Hall	1930
Tue 18/11	SUN Group (Kent & Medway NHS – Service user Network)	Foyer	0930-1330
Wed 19/11	Daytime Hub	Community Centre	1000-1200
	Warm Welcome coffee	Foyer	1000-1215
Thur 20/11	MIND Group	Foyer	1230-1530
Fri 21/11	Daytime Hub	Community Centre	1000-1200
	Street Pastors Support & Prayer	Jubilee Room	2130-0230
Sat 22/11	'babyballet	Wesley Hall	0900 onwrd
	Foodbank	Reception	1000-1200

The Grands typical weeks events at GMCCC - the Parlour is in exclusive use as their base. * = Youth event			
Mon	Grand Active	Wesley Hall	1215-1400
	GYG Committee	Foyer	1700-1900
	GYG Adults singing	Foyer	1830-2030
Tues	Elite Pathways teenage schooling	Jubilee Room	1030-1500
	Grand Active	Wesley Hall	1030-1200
	Mini GYGers*	Wesley Hall	1600-1700
	Exercise Class	Wesley Hall	1900-2000
Wed	Ready, Steady, Go	Wesley Hall	1200-1300
	Yoga	Wesley Hall	1400-1500
	GYG Performers*	Wesley Hall	1600-2000
	GYG Creative*	Jubilee Room	1600-1800
Thur	Elite Pathways teenage schooling	Jubilee Room	1000-1500
	Grand Active & Additional Needs	Foyer	1030-1200
	Seniors Get Active	Wesley Hall	1030-1130
	Grand Active Additional needs	Wesley Hall	1230-1300
	Grand Active	Wesley Hall	1830-1930
Fri	English Classes	Foyer	1000-1315

Toy/Gift Service Sunday 7 December

Toys - We are again asking for New Toys to be given as Christmas presents to children in our local women's refuge. Please will you bring one/some unwrapped to this service. They have specifically asked, "in addition to toys we need - *Mindfulness books/ Happy Journals/Arts & Crafts (like wool & felt)/Books of affirmations/gifts for teenagers & Mums*". Thank you.

Socks and Chocs – We are again also asking whether you are able to donate a bar of chocolate surrounded by a pair of warm socks wrapped in seasonal wrapping paper - to be given to our and Whitechapel's homeless people. Please indicate whether they are for a man or women on the outside wrapper.

Pens, Pens, Pens, Pens.....

After a 2 year gap we are selling Pens in aid of church funds again - they look lovely, write lovely and the price is lovely at £2.30 each or 3 for £6.00. The colour of the pen this time is **Red** and the ink is **black**.

We have a limited number so see Robert to buy yours as soon as possible.



We need your filled boxes returned to church this Sunday please.

We will be decorating the church for Christmas on Wednesday 3 Dec. at 10.00am. We look forward to your help please if you are able and available.



Daytime Hub Foodstore

When shopping, please will you remember to add a few extra items to your trolley/basket. We need instant meals - like pot noodles, porridge pots, individual drinks in cartons or plastic bottles etc. Thank you

Gravesham Foodbank

This week our needs for our Saturday Foodbank are: Tinned spaghetti, tinned veg, custard, rice pudding, shampoo and soap as well as mixed donations please. Thank you for your continued support.