

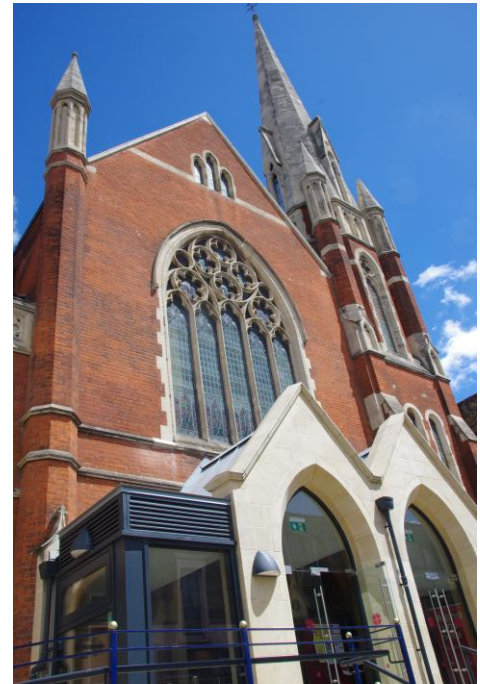
Gravesend Methodist Church & Community Centre

Weekly Newsheet

11 October 2026

"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 11 October	Future Services
11 Oct 10.00am Service preparation 11.00am Special Shoe Box Sunday 11.00am EXPLORERS	18 Oct 11.00am 3 Generate report back service led by our youth. 25 Oct 11.00am Deacon Vic Downs 11.00am EXPLORERS
<i>It would be appreciated if mobile phones are turned off or put in silent mode. Thank you</i> 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.	1 Nov 11.00am Rev Alexandra Terrett with Holy Communion 11.00am EXPLORERS

Upcoming special Sunday services.

Sunday 18 October



Our youth will be taking the service and reporting back on their experiences of 3 Generate 2026.

Please come and support them and learn more.

Remembrance Sunday



8 November

The service starts at 10.50am ready for the national silence at 11.00am.

Come along and pay your respects to those who have given the ultimate sacrifice as well as those injured, so that we may live freely.

Autumn Market
Saturday 14 Nov
10.00am - 2.30PM



Refreshments

Free Entry

Gravesend Methodist Church
 Milton Road, Gravesend
 DA12 2RE (near clocktower)

www.gravesendmethodistchurch.org.uk Charity No. 1132238

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

Next few weeks

Our contractor - J Rayfield Services - is working on site doing external decorations, gutter clearance and repairs.

Mon 12/10	Daytime Hub	Wesley Hall	1000-1200
	Warm Welcome coffee	Foyer	1000-1200
	Sisterhood	Foyer	1415-1530
	Badminton	Wesley Hall	1930-2200
Tues 13/10	SUN Group (Kent & Medway NHS - Service user Network)	Foyer	0930-1330
Wed 14/10	Daytime Hub	Wesley Hall	1000-1200
	Warm Welcome coffee	Foyer	1000-1215
Fri 16/10	Daytime Hub	Wesley Hall	1000-1200
	Street Pastors Support & Prayer	Jubilee Room	2130-0230
Sat 17/10	Foodbank	Reception	1000-1200

Gravesham Foodbank

Our Foodbank continues to operate on Saturday mornings 1000-1200

Presently, we need mixed donations of warming food now that the temperature is dipping. Thank you.

You may be aware that John Foster – husband of Marion Foster – passed away recently. John's Funeral will be at Thames View Crematorium at 11.00am on Friday 23 October. We remember Marion and family in our prayers.



The main agenda item for the Church Council on Tuesday 3 November will be "The Future of our church." Who will run it and what will the governance of the church look like? *We need all members and friends to pray about this subject over the next few weeks and let Church Council members know of your thoughts. It's over to you!*

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	1000-1500
	Grand Active	Wesley Hall	1030-1200
	Mini GYGers*	Wesley Hall	1600-1700
Wed	Exercise Class	Wesley Hall	1900-2000
	Ready, Steady, Go	Wesley Hall	1200-1300
	Yoga	Wesley Hall	1400-1500
	GYG Performers*	Wesley Hall	1600-2000
Thur	GYG Creative*	Jubilee Room	1600-1800
	Elite Pathways teenage schooling	Jubilee Room	1000-1500
	Grand Active & Additional Needs	Wesley Hall	1030-1200
	Seniors Get Active	Wesley Hall	1030-1130
	Grand Active Additional needs	Wesley Hall	1230-1300
Fri	Grand Active	Wesley Hall	1830-1930
	English Classes	Foyer	1000-1315
	Elite Pathways teenage schooling	Jubilee Room	1300-1500



Thank you for those who supported the coffee morning last Saturday in aid of Operation Christmas Child Shoebox appeal. A total of £88.60 was raised for shoe boxes.

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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 next four-week news sheet should be with Eric by 12 noon on Wednesday please. Email eric@ehdavis.me.uk

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