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MORNING SERVICE

WITH JUNIOR CHURCH

10.30am

Mrs June Aldcroft

Worship Leader
Rachel Faul

AT 7

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

7pm

speaker
Rev Peter Hancock

INFORMATION FOR THIS MORNING

We are really pleased to welcome you. If it is your first time with us today, please do make yourself known to one of the church stewards or members of the welcome team – they will be wearing badges!

Please feel free to join us for refreshments in the church hall after the morning service.

The morning service is about 1.5 hours. If you feel you cannot stay that length of time please feel free to leave when you need to. During the worship/singing please feel free to sit or stand as you choose.

During the morning service, all children are invited to Junior Church & Dynamite, groups that are suitable for their age group run by experienced leaders. If your child is coming to Junior Church for the first time, please come out with your child to fill in a registration form.

A Crèche facility is available for the under 3's in the church lounge run by experienced and DBS checked volunteers. There is also a TV link to the church in the church lounge. Roughly half an hour into the worship time the children/crèche will leave for their groups

DIARY



Sunday 8 th March	Morning Service (with Junior Church) – <i>June Aldcroft</i>	10.30am	MDMC
	At 7 – contemporary worship – <i>speaker</i> – <i>Rev Peter Hancock</i>	7pm	MDMC
Monday	Ukulele Club	3.45-4.15pm	Church Lounge
	Explosion (5 years old – school year 3)	6 - 7.15pm	Church Hall
	Fireworks (years 7+)	7.30–8.45pm	Church Hall
	Local Preachers & Worship Leaders Meeting	7.30pm	MDMC
Tuesday	Thinking About the Bible Group	2.15pm	Church Lounge
	CAP Fresh Start Course	5-6.30pm	Church Lounge
	Shalom Life Group	7.30pm	8 The Coppice
Wednesday	Lent Prayers – <i>6am, 11am, 8pm</i>		MDMC
	Church Prayer Meeting	7pm	MDMC
	Circuit Meeting	7.30pm	MDMC
	Church Leadership Meeting	7.30pm	
Thursday	Toddlers	9.45-11.15am	Church Hall
	Toddlers	1.15-2.45	Church Lounge
	Ukulele Club	7.30-8pm	Church Lounge
	Fusion (years 4-6)	6 - 7.15pm	Church Hall
Friday	Worship Band Practice	8pm	MDMC
Saturday	Church Spring Clean day	9am	MDMC
Sunday 15 th March	Morning Service (Traditional) – <i>Rev Paul Clapham</i>	10.30am	MDMC
	Morning Service (All In service) – <i>Rev Ruth Jeffries</i>	10.30am	MDMC
	No Evening Service		
	That thing at Al's House (yr8 & above)	7.30-9pm	41 Hampton Drive, MD

If you are able to receive the weekly notice sheet by email every weekend rather than taking a paper copy from church on a Sunday morning, please register your interest by sending your email address to notices@mdmc.org.uk Speak to Al Savill for more details.

All Sermons preached at MDMC are available to listen to on the church website - mdmc.org.uk/sermons

Items for notices, including service orders to be submitted by Thursday evenings to Alison Savill, notices@mdmc.org.uk, 657343

CHURCH SPRING CLEAN: There will be a general spring clean of the church premises on Saturday 14th March starting at 9am. This will involve cleaning, painting and general tidying up of the premises. Please can we have as many volunteers to help as possible as this will make the load lighter for everyone. With the thanks of the Property Committee.

UNIFORM BANK: Churches Together in Market Drayton have booked two more Uniform distribution days on 7th and 9th April from 10am till 2pm. Help will also be needed to set up from 8.30am. We probably need no more than 2 volunteers for each hour. Please sign up on the sheet in the foyer if you are able to help or speak to Gail Ackerley

PULSE MINISTRIES: The team at Pulse Ministries are keen to hear feedback from all aspects of the weekend that they led here, so if you attended either the training session, the praise party, or the All-In service and you are willing and able to go to the Pulse Ministries website, they would really appreciate what you have to say. Many thanks!
<https://www.pulseministries.org.uk/feedback/>

SUNDAY LUNCH CLUB: The next Singles Sunday Lunch Club is on Sunday 29th March when we will be going to Bridgemere. The table is booked for 1pm. Please sign up on the sheet in the foyer BY SUNDAY 22nd so that we can arrange transport.

PRAYERS FOR PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS: The next Churches Together prayer session for persecuted Christians will be on Wednesday 18th March, 2 - 3:30pm in the church Lounge at MDMC. For more information, including recent reports from a number of ministries, please see the P4PC page of the Market Drayton Churches Together website. Alternatively please contact Randall Hardy randall@amen.org.uk

CAP MONEY COURSE – BUDGET, SAVE, SPEND: CAP will be running the Money Course on Tuesdays 17th, 24th and 31st March, 7pm-9 pm at MDMC. Whilst this course is aimed at helping individuals to manage their pennies more effectively, by putting a clear plan in place for budgeting, it is open to EVERYONE and is FREE to all. Please consider coming, for any of the following reasons:

- You may wish to have help with your money management.
- To have a clearer idea of what the CAP money course entails.
- To enable you to promote this course to others in need of it.
- To gain ideas on how to advise your Children/ Grandchildren on healthy money management.
- To support this CAP role going forward.

You do not have to give reasons for attendance.

Please let Lynne Townson know by Monday 9th March if you wish to attend. Lynne Townson. lynnieloodle@hotmail.com

ASHLEY FUNDRAISER: Ashley Methodist Church have organised a series of events to raise money for the new AV system and replacement organ.

20th March, 7pm, Organ recital at AMC

24th April, Supper and quiz at Peel Arms, Ashley

AT7: Our next at7 is TODAY, at 7pm at MDMC, when we are delighted to welcome **Rev Peter Hancock** as our guest speaker. Peter is a Methodist Minister in the Chester & Stoke-on-Trent District with a particular focus on planting & growing churches. Most recently Peter has been involved in planting Castle Connect Church in Newcastle-under-Lyme. Hope to see you this evening for a great time of worship & teaching.

LENT PRAYERS continue each Wednesday until Holy Week (8th April). There are 3 opportunities to meet together for roughly half an hour with led prayers at **6am, 11am, & 8pm**.

LOCAL PREACHERS & WORSHIP LEADERS will next meet on Monday 9th March, 7.30pm at MDMC.

JOURNEY OF THE CROSS: at Ashley Methodist Church 7-8th April, 11am-2pm & 7.30-9pm and on 9th April, 11am-2pm.

Take some time out to focus on and explore the events of Holy week. Installation art, film, music & Scripture will guide you through this prayer journey as you explore your own place in the story of Christ's passion. The journey takes about 20 minutes and is an individual journey; although you may request a guide should you wish.

PASTORAL & LIFE GROUPS LEADERS: Meeting for ALL Life Group Leaders & Pastoral Visitors - Wednesday 22nd April at MDMC. Please let Ruth know if you're unable to attend.

SUNDAY 15TH MARCH

	On Duty	9.15am	10.30am
Preacher		Paul Clapham	Ruth Jeffries
Worship Leader		--	Paul Savill
Reader		Barbara Daniels	--
Church Stewards		Colin Barthorpe --	Ness Savill Mike Bradeley
Welcome Team		Team B	Team B
Organ		Elaine Cook	Paul Savill
Piano		--	Paul Savill
PA		Steward	Andrew Cooper
Visuals		Hymn Books	Ben Lee
Bus Driver (am)		Ron Fairless	
Coffee (am)		Joy Perry & Barbara Daniels	
Flowers		Joan Williams	
Crèche		All In Service – Jane toys out	
Children & youth		All In Service	
Teams			