



Welcome to Market Drayton Methodist Church

Sunday 10th October 2021

HARVEST MORNING SERVICE

10.30am

PREACHER

Paul Savill

WORSHIP LEADER

Robin Perry

We are really pleased to welcome you today!

If it is your first time with us today, please do make yourself known to one of the church stewards – they will be wearing badges!

- * It's your choice whether to wear a mask or not, but please be mindful of everyone and try and maintain social distancing where possible.
- * Children are invited to Junior Church this morning. They will join the adults in church for the first part of the service.
- * Please join us for refreshments in the hall following the service.

The week ahead

Sunday 10th October	Morning Service (with Junior Church)	10.30am	MDMC
	Zoom Circuit Coffee Morning (<i>details below</i>)	12pm	Online
Monday	Hard of Hearing	2.30-4pm	Hall
	Explosion (5 years old – school year 3)	6-7pm	Hall
	Fireworks (years 7+)	7.30–8.45pm	Hall
Tuesday	Thinking About The Bible	2pm	Lounge
	A Choired Taste —Community Choir	7.30pm	MDMC
Wednesday	Junior Church Meeting	7.30pm	Lounge
Thursday	Toddlers	9.45-11.15am	Hall
	Toddlers	1.15-2.45pm	Hall
	Fusion (years 4-6)	6-7.15pm	Hall
	Zoom Prayer Meeting (<i>details below</i>)	7.30-8pm	Online
Friday	Music & Movement	2.30pm	Hall
Saturday	Table top Sale	11am–3pm	Ashley Methodist
Sunday 17th October	Morning Service (with Junior Church)	10.30am	MDMC
	Junior Fellowship (Yr 4-7)	4.30-6pm	MDMC
	TTAAH (Youth Fellowship) (Yr 8+)	7-8.30pm	41 Hampton Drive

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Rest day—Friday

REGULAR WORSHIP

Sundays in Church

10.30AM

Past online services on
YouTube—Market Drayton Methodist

PRAYER

Thursdays on Zoom

7.30-8PM

Meeting ID: 918 5917 6065

Passcode: 438347

#niteblessings

Take a moment to pause, catch your breath and recalibrate. What is undone can be left in Christ's hands. What brings sadness or disappointment can be trusted to His grace. Where strength and courage are needed, may the Spirit of Life bestow them upon you as gifts

Malcolm Duncan



Meeting ID: 915 2872 0686
Password: 975503

Life Groups are an important way of deepening relationships with God and each other. If you are interested in joining a life group, please speak to Pete Williams.

Items for the notice sheet to be sent by end of Wednesday to Al Savill, notices@mdmc.org.uk. If you are able to receive this weekly publication via email, please let Al know.

Notices

THINKING ABOUT THE BIBLE: The 'Thinking about the Bible' study group will recommence again on Tuesday 12th October at 2pm and alternate Tuesdays thereafter and will be looking at the time of 'The Restoration'. The session titles are as follows; 'Broken Temple: Broken City: Broken People', 'Clearing the Rubble', 'Hoops of fire', 'Others, what others?' All welcome.

ASHLEY TABLE-TOP SALE: Ashley Methodist Church are holding a 'Pre-loved' and 'Made Locally' Table-top sale on Saturday 16th October, 11am–3pm. Entry is £1.

CHURCH CLEANING: The property committee are grateful to those who have volunteered to help with the cleaning. However, we are still looking for some more volunteers to help share the cleaning of the building and lessen the burden. If you are able to help please contact Andrew Cooper to volunteer or for more information.

CHURCH COUNCIL: Members of the Church Council are reminded of the meeting on Tuesday 19th October, 7.30pm in the church hall.

LOCAL PREACHER RECOGNITION SERVICE: On Sunday 24th October, 4pm there will be a special afternoon service recognising Paul Bishop officially being accepted as a local preacher, and celebrating Roy Ellis' 50-years' service as a Local Preacher. Rev Jeff Short will be joining us to preach and there will be a 'bring and share' tea afterwards. Please do come and support Paul & Roy and celebrate together with them.

COFFEE HELP STILL NEEDED: We really need two more groups of people - or individuals who we could pair up together - to serve on the coffee rota once every 8 weeks. It's really not a big commitment - it's 6 times per year - but makes a big impact on church family having an opportunity to build relationships on a Sunday after church or being able to invite visitors or new people to stay and chat over coffee. At present, where there are Sundays without no volunteers, there will be no refreshments after the service.

Please have a chat with Al Savill if you would be able to help. Thanks

METHODIST WOMEN IN BRITAIN: We will be holding the MWiB AGM on Monday 8th November at 7.30pm at Gail Ackerley's home, 20 Forest Rd. If you are interested in helping or have ideas for future events please come along. We will be planning our events for the next year but need people to get involved. There will be cake!!

PUPPET TASTER SESSION / PRACTICE: Our puppets are desperate to be let out of their boxes and be used again, but we need a few more right, or left arms. We will be having a taster session/practice on Wednesday 10th November, 7.30pm in church. If you have any questions or want to know more please speak Jeannette or Gail.

SIGHT LOSS MARATHON: David Smith, a member at St Mary's, is walking a marathon in 7 days around the Town Park, with his white cane. He will be walking 6km each day from 10.30am Thursday 14th October– Wednesday 20th. Donations for RNIB will be welcomed to 85 Longslow Road or Justgiving/fundraising/davidsmith393

Come, ye thankful people, come,
raise the song of harvest home;
all is safely gathered in,
ere the winter storms begin.
God our Maker doth provide
for our wants to be supplied;
come to God's own temple, come,
raise the song of harvest home.

All the world is God's own field,
fruit as praise to God we yield;
wheat and tares together sown
are to joy or sorrow grown;
first the blade and then the ear,
then the full corn shall appear;
Lord of harvest, grant that we
wholesome grain and pure may be.

For the Lord our God shall come,
and shall take the harvest home;
from the field shall in that day
all offenses purge away,
giving angels charge at last
in the fire the tares to cast;
but the fruitful ears to store
in the garner evermore.

Even so, Lord, quickly come,
bring thy final harvest home;
gather thou thy people in,
free from sorrow, free from sin,
there, forever purified,
in thy presence to abide;
come, with all thine angels, come,
raise the glorious harvest home.

Henry Alford

Sunday 17th October

<i>Preacher</i>	Mark Lawrence
<i>Worship Leader</i>	Ness Savill
<i>Reader</i>	Dawn Evans
<i>Church Stewards</i>	Lisa Savill
<i>Welcome</i>	Pete Savill
<i>stewards</i>	Rob Jennings
	Rosemary Renouf
<i>Organ</i>	Al Savill
<i>Piano</i>	Al Savill
<i>PA</i>	Paul Savill
<i>Visuals</i>	Jacob Savill
<i>Children & youth Teams</i>	Family Service
<i>Coffee</i>	Youth Groups
<i>Flowers</i>	Joan Williams
<i>Communion</i>	Barbara & Peter Daniels