



Welcome to Market Drayton Methodist Church

Sunday 16th October 2022
Harvest & CAP Sunday

MORNING FAMILY SERVICE 10.30AM

LED BY

**Rev Mark & Carolyn
Lawrence**

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!
- * This morning's service is a Family service so the children will be staying in church.
- * A creche is available in the lounge with experienced helpers.
- * Please join us for refreshments in the hall following the service if you are able.
- * If you would like prayer after the service, please take a seat on the front row and a member of the prayer team will come to you.

The week ahead

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| Sunday 16th October | Harvest Morning Service, (with Junior Church) | 10.30am | MDMC |
| | Encounter @ Hinstock Chapel | 3pm | Hinstock |
| | Worship at the Zone | 3-4pm | The Zone, |
| | Junior Fellowship (Y4-7) | 4.30–6pm | Hall |
| | TTAAH (Youth Fellowship) (Yr 8+) | 7-8.30pm | 41 Hampton Dr |
| Monday | CAP Money course | 10am-12pm | Lounge |
| | Stroke Club | 2-4pm | Hall |
| | Ukulele Group | 4-4.30pm | Hall |
| | Explosion (5 years old – school year 3) | 6 - 7pm | Hall |
| | Fireworks (years 7+) | 7.30–8.45pm | Hall |
| Tuesday | The Social Hour | 2.30pm | Hall |
| | Alpha Course | 7pm | Lounge/Hall |
| | A Chaired Taste—Community Choir | 7.30pm | MDMC |
| Wednesday | Early Morning Prayer Meeting | 6.30-7am | MDMC |
| Thursday | Toddlers | 9.45-11.15am | Hall |
| | Toddlers | 1.15-2.45pm | Hall |
| | Fusion (years 4-6) | 6 - 7.15pm | Hall |
| | Zoom Prayer Meeting (details below) | 7-7.30pm | Online |
| | Ukulele Group | 7.30-8pm | Hall |
| Friday | Music and Movement | 2pm | Hall |
| Saturday | | | |
| Sunday 23rd October | Morning Service, (with Junior Church) | 10.30am | MDMC |
| | Songs of Praise | 3.30pm | MDMC |

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Rest day—Friday

REGULAR WORSHIP

Sundays in Church

10.30AM

These are livestreamed for church family

PRAYER

Thursdays in church

6.30-7AM

Thursdays on Zoom

7-7.30PM

Meeting ID: 918 5917 6065

Passcode: 438347

#niteblessing

I know it's hard - but don't quit. Tell someone you are struggling. Don't bottle it all up. Don't hide your fragility. Don't deny your challenges. Sometimes the hardest thing to do is to be honest. May you have the courage to name your fears and face them with faith. *Malcolm Duncan*

Please take any non-perishable food, hygiene or cleaning items to the Parish Rooms Tues or Fridays 9-10.30am or drop off at supermarkets, or in the green bucket in the church foyer.



Life Groups are an important way of deepening relationships with God and each other, and inviting people to meet Jesus. 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 Thursday to Al Savill, notices@mdmc.org.uk. 07966295413

If you are able to receive this weekly publication via email, please let Al know.

Hear from people whose lives have been transformed through the work of CAP and local churches.

Churches across the UK are committed to tackling the causes of poverty in their local area by providing free debt help and community groups. Below you can hear from just a few of the people whose lives have been changed as a result.

Stuart's Story. Stuart originally planned to get involved with his local CAP Job Club by helping out. However, when he was made redundant, he decided to attend the sessions himself. Through the Job Club, Stuart rebuilt his confidence through the great friendships he made. Over the weeks they practised interview skills, worked on CV writing and identified their personal strengths together. The day after the interview session, Stuart had a real job interview which he says was an absolute breeze – and he was offered the job! With the job he has now, Stuart is able to pay the bills and still has a bit left over, giving him the freedom to be able to do the things he enjoys. **741 people attended a Job Club in 2021**

Joanne's Story. Finances can affect every area of life, including parenting. Hardworking single mum Joanne struggled to make ends meet, and was forced to borrow money before the next payday arrived. When Joanne and her son, Ire, had to downsize and lost the garden he loved to play in, Joanne felt she was disappointing him as a mother. Then the letters and phone calls started, and she became afraid to sleep or go outside. Thanks to her CAP Debt Coach, Mee, and CAP Befriender, Flora, from her local church supporting her all the way, Joanne is now debt free. She is finally able to smile again, and is even teaching her son how to manage his money. **13,452 people were supported through the journey out of debt in 2021**

Jenny's Story. Jenny joined her local CAP Life Skills group after an abusive relationship left her feeling worthless and worn out. She had discovered the group through her local women's centre, and although she was worried about being judged, her experience was quite the opposite. Through the group, Jenny gained practical skills that have transformed her day-to-day life, including shopping on a budget and saving money on energy at home. Plus, she's found a great group of new friends. **474 people attended a Life Skills group in 2021**

How can we help?

There are so many ways that we can get involved as individuals and as a church to support the work of CAP.

- **Donate**
- **Attend a fundraiser or even start one!**
- **Campaign with CAP—a letter to the Prime Minister perhaps?!**
- **Pray with Cap**
- **Join the Team**
- **Volunteer at local support events such as Job Club, Money Club, Life skills etc.**

For more information go to capuk.org or speak to Carolyn Lawrence.

Notices

SONGS OF PRAISE: Next Sunday (23rd October). Please do come along at 3.30pm at MDMC and bring your neighbours and friends to share tea and cake whilst singing some of your favourite hymns. Requests available!

LADIES BREAKOUT: The next meeting is on Friday 21st October. All welcome.

COMPASSION COFFEE MORNING: Save the date—there will be a Coffee Morning at MDMC to support Compassion from 10:00am - 1:00pm on Saturday 5th November. Come and enjoy fellowship with delicious cakes. You can buy a Christmas gift from one of our stalls. All in aid of our sponsorship through Compassion for Onyait in Uganda and Kavine in Rwanda.

Sunday 23rd October

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| | 10.30am |
| <i>Preacher</i> | Paul Savill (Leprosy Mission) |
| <i>Worship Leader</i> | Robin Perry |
| <i>Reader</i> | Robert Williams |
| <i>Church Stewards</i> | Ailie McGoogan |
| | Pete Savill |
| <i>Welcome stewards</i> | Barbara Shingler |
| <i>Prayer ministry Team</i> | Team B |
| <i>Organ</i> | Katharine Williams |
| <i>Piano</i> | Katharine Williams |
| <i>PA</i> | Jeannette Wanless |
| <i>Visuals</i> | Kat Turner |
| <i>Creche</i> | Ros Cooper |
| <i>Children & youth</i> | June A, Nic F, Gail A, Joan T, Kev L, Chris B |
| <i>Coffee</i> | Longslow Rd Life Group |
| <i>Flowers</i> | Anne Gaulton |

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