



Welcome to Market Drayton Methodist Church

Sunday 17th July 2022

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.

MORNING FAMILY SERVICE

10.30AM

PREACHER
Mark Savill

The week ahead

Sunday 17th July	Morning Service , (Family Service) Zoom Circuit Coffee Morning (<i>details below</i>) Junior Fellowship (Yr 4-7) TTAAH (Youth Fellowship) (Yr 8+)	10.30am 12pm 4.30pm 7-8.30pm	MDMC Online Hall 41 Hampton Drive
Monday	CAP Money Course Stroke Club Outing Ukulele Club Explosion (5 years old – school year 3) Fireworks (years 7+)	10am–12pm 4-4.30pm 6-7pm 7.30–8.45pm	Hall Hall Church Hall Hall
Tuesday	No A Choired Taste—Community Choir		
Wednesday			
Thursday	Early Morning Prayer Meeting Toddlers Toddlers No Fusion Ukulele Group Zoom Prayer Meeting (<i>details below</i>)	6.30-7am 9.45-11.15am 1.15-2.45pm 7.30-8pm 7-7.30pm	MDMC Hall Hall Hall Online
Friday			
Saturday			
Sunday 24th July	Morning Service , (with Junior Church) Encounter @ Hinstock Chapel	10.30am 3pm	MDMC Hinstock

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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

May you be reminded that there is light at the end of the tunnel. If everything you face feels dark and overshadowed, may you be given the gift of faith so that you can see that you are not stuck in the shadows, but that God will bring you into open space again.

Malcolm Duncan



Meeting ID: 915 2872 0686
Password: 975503

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.

Notices

CHURCH WHATSAPP GROUP FOR CAKE-MAKERS: As we seem to need cakes for lots of different events Carolyn has set up a WhatsApp group to make it easy to communicate when cakes are needed. If you're happy to be in the WhatsApp group, please let Carolyn have your phone number. If you would like to know how to get/use WhatsApp (all you need is a mobile phone), or if you are not on WhatsApp and still want to be involved in making cakes for church events, speak to Carolyn.

LITTLE FOOTPRINTS SUPPORT GROUP:

As I've shared in Church a couple of times over the last few weeks, we will be running a support group at the Zone for parents who have experienced baby loss. The first meeting will be on Tuesday 6th September from 7:30-8:30pm, and we will then run the group monthly on the first Tuesday of every month. To help us support those attending, we'd love it if you could prayerfully consider helping out in one of the following ways:

- Baking cakes to serve at the support group
- Attending the group to help serve tea, coffee and cake
- Offering to be on a list of people willing to cook a meal for a bereaved family, so that we can provide practical support when it is needed

If you feel able to help in any of these ways, please speak to Katharine Williams. Thank you.

EXTREME TOUR 2022: Ed Jervis (Jeannette and Derek's son-in-law) helps to co-ordinate the British leg of "The Extreme Tour" which matches American Christian musicians with British Christian musicians and takes them on tour. They visited Market Drayton three years ago and it was a great success. The aim is to return this year on the weekend of 3rd and 4th September, to do a gig to/with the young people at the skate park on the Saturday and a larger, family event concert at The Zone on the Sunday. This is a great opportunity for them and us to meet and mix with people and share God with them! There are lots of things you can be doing to help:

- **Pray**, for smooth organization, safe journeys, good weather, that the team can come to Market Drayton and that God will be shared with those who attend.
- **Food**. We have been asked to provide three meals for the team of fifteen people over the weekend. Last time house groups took responsibility for one meal each and then split the meal into main dishes, desserts and drinks and were able to provide for the team in that way. Please consider whether you or your housegroup might be able to help in this way.
- **Finance**. The cost is approx at £1000 per venue. We have submitted an application to the town council for a grant, but we as a church are likely to need to meet the vast majority of the financial cost. If you feel that you could contribute towards the cost of this amazing, missional outreach event please see Mark Lawrence or Kev Lee or Gail Ackerley.

If you have any other questions about the event please see Kev.

Time to pray

Loving Lord, speak your words of love and peace into our world we pray.

(Pause to pray after each line)

Speak where violence rules and wars destroy

Speak where homes are torn from families

Speak where children die

Speak where people flee for their lives or struggle to build new ones

Speak where sickness or suffering of mind, body or soul bring pain

Speak as your church works for a better world

Speak Lord, your words of love and peace into our world. That our world may be changed. Amen

SHALL WE GATHER AT THE RIVER

Where bright angel feet have trod
With it's crystal tide forever,
All the happy golden day?

*Yes, we'll gather at the river,
The beautiful, the beautiful
river*

*Gather with the saints at the
river,*

*That flows by the throne of
God.*

On the margin of the river
Washing up its silvery spray,
We will walk and worship ever
All the happy, golden day.

Ere we reach the shining river,
Lay we ev'ry burden down,
Grace our spirits will deliver
And provide a robe and crown.

Soon we'll reach the shining river
Soon our pilgrimage will cease
Soon our happy hearts will quiver
With the melody of peace.

Robert Lowry / Hal Foxtan Beckett

Sunday 24th July

10.30am

Preacher Mark Lawrence
Worship Leader Evie & Rachel
Reader Diana Bromley

Church Stewards Pete Savill
Ailie McGoogan
Welcome stewards Anne Gaulton
Barbara Shingler
Prayer ministry Team Team E

Organ Al Savill
Piano Matt Baker
PA Andrew Cooper
Visuals Kat Turner

Creche Ros Cooper
Children & youth Izzy, Jess R, Gail A, Rob J,
Kevin L, Chris B
Coffee The Richardsons
Flowers