



Welcome to Market Drayton Methodist Church

Sunday 24th July 2022

MORNING SERVICE

10.30AM

PREACHER

Rev Mark 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!
- * Children are invited to Junior Church this morning. They will join the adults in church for the first part of the service.
- * 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

Sunday 24th July	Morning Service , (with Junior Church)	10.30am	MDMC
	Zoom Circuit Coffee Morning (<i>details below</i>)	12pm	Online
	Encounter @ Hinstock Chapel	3pm	Hinstock
	TTAAH (Youth Fellowship) (Yr 8+)	7-8.30pm	MDMC
Monday	CAP Money Course	10am–12pm	Hall
	Fireworks (years 7+)	7.30–8.45pm	Hall
Tuesday	Social Hour	2.30pm	Hall
	Thinking About the Bible	2pm	Lounge
	A Chaired Taste—Community Choir	7.30pm	Hall
Wednesday	Mid Week Communion	11am	MDMC
Thursday	Early Morning Prayer Meeting	6.30-7am	MDMC
	Zoom Prayer Meeting (<i>details below</i>)	7-7.30pm	Online
Friday			
Saturday	Coffee Morning @ Derek & Jeannette's home	10am–12pm	7 Martindale
Sunday 31st July	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

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



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

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.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP MEAL: The next evening meal is on Tuesday 2nd August at Wetherspoons at 7:30pm. Then on Tuesday 6th September also at 7.30pm. Please let Mike Shingler know if you are coming so as to book the table. 01630652555

MDMC NOTICE SHEET: There will not be a Notice Sheet on Sunday 7th August. Please ensure that any relevant news for that week is included in next week's sheet (31st July). Any items for 31st July need to be with AI by the end of Wednesday 27th July. There will be a sheet as normal on Sunday 14th August.

THANKS FROM JEANNETTE: Thank you to all of my Christian family who visited, sent flowers/cards/gifts and prayed for my recovery from the car accident. Jesus answers prayer. I am greatly blessed.

MDRL CONCERT: Thank you to those who supported the MDRL concert. The final amount raised was £810; half supporting the food distribution and half supporting Ukranian refugees. Your generosity is overwhelming - praise the Lord!

SHALOM LIFEGROUP are holding a coffee morning from 10am-12pm on Saturday 30th July at Jeannette and Derek's (7 Martin Dale, TF9 4DH). It's purpose is outreach so please bring neighbours, friends, family and come and have a chat, buy cake and a leisurely read maybe. Pray that the weather will be kind to us. Any funds raised will go to Compassion.

JESUS! THE NAME HIGH OVER ALL,

In hell, or earth, or sky;
Angels and men before it fall,
And devils fear and fly,
And devils fear and fly.

Jesus! the name to sinners dear,
The name to sinners given;
It scatters all their guilty fear,
It turns their hell to heaven,
It turns their hell to heaven.

Jesus! the prisoners' fetters breaks,
And bruises Satan's head;
Power into strengthless souls it speaks,
And life into the dead,
And life into the dead.

O that the world might taste and see
The riches of His grace!
The arms of love that compass me
Would all mankind embrace,
Would all mankind embrace.

His only righteousness I show,
His saving grace proclaim;
'Tis all my business here below
To cry: 'Behold the Lamb!'
To cry: 'Behold the Lamb!'

Happy if with my latest breath
I might but gasp His name;
Preach Him to all, and cry in death:
'Behold, behold the Lamb!'
'Behold, behold the Lamb!'

Charles Wesley

Time to pray

O God, give us your Spirit to keep us asking for what is good to keep us seeking for what is true to keep us knocking, until the door opens to show us the way.

For those who need bread because they starve during the daytime and go to bed hungry, because they lack the means to provide for their families and communities, because greed enables some to have what they want while others do not get what they need.

For those who seek justice and kindness yet find only ill treatment cruelty and injustice, in the place of tenderness.

For those who seek a place to call home, a place where they can have a secure life and the opportunities we so take for granted...

For those who this week have suffered from peoples inhumanity.

For those who are ill in body, mind and spirit and those who mourn.

Lord we bring these our prayers to you in the faith that you hear and respond.

Your Kingdom come on earth as it is in heaven, Amen

Sunday 31st July

	10.30am	3.30pm
<i>Preacher</i>	Carolyn Lawrence	Mark Lawrence
<i>Worship Leader</i>	Katharine Williams	—
<i>Reader</i>	Anne Gaulton	—
<i>Church Stewards</i>	Pete Savill Ailie McGoogan	Mike Bradeley
<i>Welcome</i>	Rosemary Renouf	
<i>Steward</i>	Margaret Baker	
<i>Prayer Team</i>	Team B	
<i>Piano</i>	Katharine Williams	
<i>PA</i>	Will Cooper	
<i>Visuals</i>	Nicole Fox	
<i>Creche</i>	Ros Cooper	
<i>Children & youth</i>	Jo Cooper	
<i>Teams (am)</i>	Jess Richardson	
<i>Coffee (am)</i>	The Richardsons	
<i>Flowers</i>		