



Welcome to Market Drayton Methodist Church

Sunday 24th September 2023

MORNING SERVICE 10.30AM

PREACHER
Paul Savill

SONGS OF PRAISE 3.30PM

Today's Stewards

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Rev Mark Lawrence

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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

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.
- * 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.
- * Please join us for refreshments in the hall following the service if you are able.

The week ahead

Sunday 24th September	Morning Service (with Junior Church)	10.30am	MDMC
	Songs of Praise	3.30pm	Hall
	TTAAH (Youth Fellowship) (Yr 8+)	7-8.30pm	41 Hampton Dr
Monday	CAP Money Course	9.30am	Lounge
Tuesday	Thinking About the Bible	2.15pm	Lounge
	A Choired Taste (Community Choir)	7.30pm	Church
Wednesday	MidWeek Communion	11am	MDMC
Thursday	Early Morning Prayer Meeting	6.30-7am	MDMC
	Toddlers	9.45-11.15am	Hall
	Toddlers	1.15-2.45pm	Hall
	Zoom Prayer Meeting (details below)	7-7.30pm	Online
Saturday	Ploughman's Lunch (MDRL)	12pm	Hall
Sunday 1st October	Morning Service (with Junior Church)	10.30am	MDMC
	'Encounter' @ Hinstock Chapel	3pm	Hinstock

Please note—there are no midweek children's clubs in September—with the exception of Toddlers which runs as normal.

#niteblessing

May your longing heart find satisfaction in the presence and mercy of God. Nothing and no-one else can bring you the hope and peace that God can. May you find hope in Christ, strength in the Holy Spirit and acceptance, forgiveness and a new beginning in the Father

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 one of the leadership.

Items for the notice sheet to be sent by end of Thursday to Al Savill, notices@mdmc.org.uk: or 07966295413.

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

Notices

MDRL (ROMANIA LINK) MEAL: MDRL are serving Soup & Ploughmans on Saturday 30th September 12 for 12.30pm. Please sign up on the Foyer notice board or speak to Jeannette Wanless so they can cater appropriately.

CHURCH COUNCIL members please note that the meeting scheduled for 11th October has been rearranged. It will now be held on Wednesday 4th October.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP MEAL: The next meal at Wetherspoons is on Tuesday 3rd October at 7:30pm. If you would like to attend, please let Mike Shingler know or phone him on 0163065255 by Monday 2nd October.

LADIES BREAKOUT: The next Ladies Breakout will be on Friday 29th September at 10am in the church hall. All women are welcome to come and share fellowship, pray, hear testimony about the goodness of God together. Refreshments will be available.

LADIES CARE & SHARE will continue at 10am on most Wednesdays, at Anne Gaulton's home—7 Ashley View.

SCHOOL GOVERNOR REQUIRED: St Mary's school, Mucklestone are looking for someone to be a foundation Governor and have approached the leadership team to ask if any of our church members would like to be involved. See Al Savill for contact details if interested.

SUNDAY REFRESHMENTS: We urgently require volunteers to help provide refreshments after the morning services on 1st and 29th October. Please speak to Al Savill if you can help.

MARKET DRAYTON FOODBANK have launched their Harvest Appeal and are encouraging us to donate food or money to help provide food for families in crisis. The money donations help to cover the costs of storing and distributing food as well as developing sustainable projects. Please see the Foodbank website for foods that are more urgently needed or just donate any non perishable foods. Details for donations places can be found on the front of this sheet.

<https://marketdrayton.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/donate-food/>

THANK YOU so much to everyone at MDMC for your kind gifts and cards in celebration of my special birthday. Thank you also to everyone who contributed to making my party an amazing evening of celebration! It was so much fun. I am so thankful to God for you all and grateful for all your love. Carolyn

Sunday 1st October

10.30am

Preacher **Roger Baker**

Worship Leader

Reader **Gloria Bates**

Church Stewards **Ailie McGoogan
Erica Gough**

Welcome stewards

Prayer ministry Team **Team B**

Organ

Piano

PA

Visuals

Creche **Ros Cooper**
Children & youth **Jeannette W, Rob J, Jess S,
Jo C, Jess R**

Coffee **Grace Shore & ??**

Flowers **Maggie & Emrys Edwards**

Communion Stewards **Margaret Baker
Anne and Andy Bradeley**



Coming to our area soon, 'The Knitted Bible', this is a collection of 36 knitted bible scenes that travel the country, bringing the narrative of the bible to life.

We are looking for some fabulous knitters and crocheters to make small characters linked to a bible story for children who visit all 36 knitted scenes, to take home.

Everyone is welcome to come and see the displays in our churches.

Knitted Bible 26th - 29th October 2023

In Cheswardine, Childs Ercall, Hales, Hinstock, Hodnet, Peplow, Sambrook & Stoke on Tern

For more information or to let us know that either you or your craft group can help. Contact judyunitedbenefice@gmail.com If you would like a pattern to follow please contact me and I can email some to you.

