



Welcome to Market Drayton Methodist Church

Sunday 21st January 2024

FAMILY SERVICE 10.30AM

LED BY

Mark Savill

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.
- * 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.

Today's Stewards

Pete Savill
Jeannette & Derek Wanless

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Rev Mark Lawrence

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The week ahead

Sunday 21st January	Morning Family Service 'Encounter' @ Hinstock Chapel Junior Fellowship TTAAH (Youth Fellowship) (Yr 8+)	10.30am 3pm 4.30-6pm 7-8.30pm	MDMC Hinstock Hall 41 Hampton Dr
Monday	CAP Money Course cancelled this week Ukulele Group Explosion (5 years old – school year 3) Fireworks (years 7+)	4-4.30pm 6-7pm 7.30–8.45pm	Hall Hall Hall
Tuesday	A Choired Taste (Community Choir)	7.30pm	Hall
Wednesday			
Thursday	Early Morning Prayer Meeting Baby Bank Toddlers Toddlers Fusion (years 4-6) Zoom Prayer Meeting (details below) Ukulele Group	6.30-7am 8.30-11am 9.45-11.15am 1.15-2.45pm 6-7.15pm 7-7.30pm 7.30-8pm	MDMC MDMC Hall Hall Hall Online Hall
Friday			
Saturday			
Sunday 28th January	Morning Service (with Junior Church) Songs of Praise	10.30am 3.30pm	MDMC Hall

#niteblessing

May you see God's hand in the small moments of your day. Whatever is going on in you or around you, may you hold always people lightly and love them tightly. May you be able to see grace at work in your life and in the life of others. Notice God's work.

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.



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

REGULAR WORSHIP

Sundays in Church
10.30AM

PRAYER

Thursdays in church
6.30-7AM

Thursdays on Zoom
7-7.30PM

Meeting ID: 918 5917 6065
Passcode: 438347

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

CHRIS BRADELEY: We mourn alongside the Bradeley family following the death of Chris last weekend. We know that she is safely with her Saviour now, but please continue to pray for Mike especially and all her family, particularly over the next few weeks.

BABY BANK: Thursday 25th January, 8.30-11am at MDMC. Baby bank is for anyone who wants/needs free baby clothes or equipment and is a great way of recycling baby stuffs whether you can afford them or not! If you want to donate any items (baby clothes up to 5 years only, and in good washed condition), please contact Carolyn. carolynlawrence@capuk.org, 07494272388. Thanks.

MDRL FUNDRAISER MEAL: The 3-course meal for Romania Link on Saturday 10th Feb 10th at 6pm costs £12.50pp. The full menu is on the noticeboard in the hall and the sign up sheet is in the foyer. Last date for names is Monday 5th February.

SUNDAY MORNING REFRESHMENTS: Could you, a group of friends, family or a life group volunteer to provide refreshments on the rota once every two months? It's not a big commitment but a great way of serving and would be a huge help. It would be the first Sunday of every other month from February (Feb, Apr, June, Aug, Oct, Dec) but is flexible if you have other plans. Please speak to Al Savill for more details. Or perhaps you could volunteer as a one off—we currently have no one providing refreshments on Sunday 4th February. Thanks.

AMC FAMILY FUN DAY: Come along on Saturday 3rd February, 4-6pm to Ashley Methodist Church for the family fun day with food, games, drama, songs, and a bible story from 'Open the Book'. To sign up email dawnie.walker@hotmail.co.uk

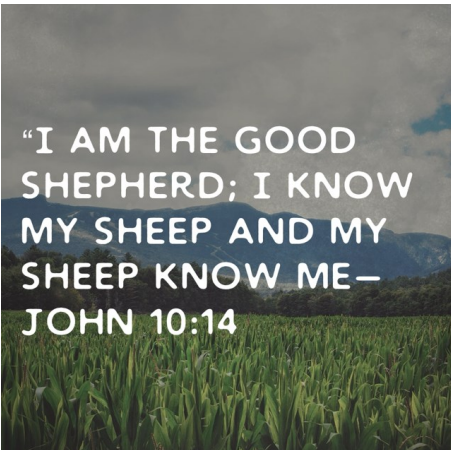
SPRING CLEANING DAY: There will be a Spring Cleaning day on 20th March 2024 starting at 9am. Please if you are able would you come along and help to give the church building a thorough clean. The more hands we have there the lighter the workload will be. If you have any questions please contact Andrew Cooper.

LOCAL PREACHERS & WORSHIP LEADERS MEETING: The next meeting will take place on Monday 29th January, 7.30pm at MDMC.

SONGS OF PRAISE next Sunday (28th January) at 3.30pm. All welcome to come and sing hymns of praise and enjoy tea and cake. As usual, if you are able to make cakes, please bring along to church next Sunday.

LADIES BREAKOUT there will be NO Breakout this month. The next one will be on Friday 23rd February.

Look out for this memory verse in this morning's service, and remember it!!



"I AM THE GOOD SHEPHERD; I KNOW MY SHEEP AND MY SHEEP KNOW ME—
JOHN 10:14

And are we yet alive,
And see each other's face?
Glory and praise to Jesus give
For His redeeming grace.

Preserved by power divine
To full salvation here,
Again in Jesus' praise we join,
And in His sight appear.

What troubles have we seen,
What conflicts have we passed,
Fightings without, and fears
within,
Since we assembled last.

But out of all the Lord
Hath brought us by His love;
And still He doth His help afford,
And hides our life above.

Then let us make our boast
Of His redeeming power,
Which saves us to the uttermost,
Till we can sin no more.

Let us take up the cross
Till we the crown obtain;
And gladly reckon all things loss,
So we may Jesus gain.

Charles Wesley

Sunday 21st January

10.30am

Preacher **Mark Savill**
Worship Leader **Katharine Williams**
Reader

Church Stewards **Amy Porter**
Alan & Elizabeth Herd
Welcome stewards **Glynis Lee**
Margaret Baker

Organ **Ruth Baker**
Piano **Katharine Williams**
PA **Pete Savill**
Visuals **Mark Savill**

Creche **Ros Cooper**
Children & youth **Kevin Lee, Gail Ackerley**
June Aldcroft,
Joan Turnbull
Coffee **The Richardsons**