

## ASHLEY METHODIST CHURCH

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WORSHIP ON SUNDAYS at 10.30am

GROWING IN FAITH & WORSHIP WE WORK TOGETHER TO SERVE & CARE FOR ALL

### SUNDAY 11<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2024 – SONGS OF PRAISE - MR ROBERT WILLIAMS

*A warm welcome to Ashley Methodist Church Songs of Praise today. If this is your first time here we look forward to meeting you over coffee or tea after our service.*

CHURCH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be held on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> August at 7pm in church. This meeting is for all who worship here, whether members or not. Do please come if you can. Please speak to a steward if you need a lift.

GRATEFUL THANKS to those who have cleared the vegetation around our car park.

ADVERTISER REPORT. A big thank you to Ron who has written this for many years. He feels it is time to hand over to another so we are looking for a volunteer please. Ron is happy to answer any queries.

INFORMAL ORGAN RECITAL, 29<sup>th</sup> Aug.-1<sup>st</sup> Sept., Ashley Parish Church, 3-3.30pm. Details on the notice board.

HARVEST SUPPER, Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October. We are hosts this year to the Anglicans & Catholics. Please save the date!

SONGS OF PRAISE at Market Drayton Methodist Church, Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> August at 3.30pm followed by tea & cake.

EXTREME TOUR. Christian musicians from USA will visit Market Drayton, Sat/Sun 31 Aug/1 Sept.

WORSHIP @ 6, Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September at Market Drayton Methodist Church.

HARVEST FESTIVAL – Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September at 10.30am. Preacher Rev. Mark Lawrence.

CHRISTINGLE SERVICE – Advent Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> December at **10.30am** with puppets.

#### LOCAL EVENTS:

Classic Car Meet, Tern Hill Hall, Wed. 14<sup>th</sup> August, 6-9pm.

Adbaston Community Choir concert, Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September.

Blore History Society, Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September. Speaker Chris Powys on Physiotherapy.

Beetle Drive & Hotdogs, 14<sup>th</sup> September at MDMC (MWiB)

Forest walk & suicide awareness service, Sat/Sun 28/29 September.

Quiz night & pea & pie supper, Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October.

*Details for these are on the notice board.*

COMPASSION JAR. Our collection for Kevine in Rwanda stands at £143.34! Thank you. Please continue to contribute your small change whenever possible. The jar is by the entrance. Every penny counts!

MD FOODBANK. There is a list of items required on the notice board. Gifts can be left at Loggerheads Co-op.

Thank you. More information on the website: <https://marketdrayton.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/donate-food/>

ROTA FOR SUNDAY 18<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2024 at 10.30am – REV. MARK LAWRENCE – Holy Communion

JUNIOR CHURCH meets on the first Sunday in the month. Children are always made welcome here & we have provision for them at every service.

BIBLE STUDY. We are taking a break during August. Our next meeting will be on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September led by Rev. Mark Lawrence. A good time to give us a try! We are a very informal & all welcoming group.

ONLINE PRAYERS. Meet on zoom on Thursdays at 7-7.30pm. ID 918 5917 6065. Passcode 438 347.

FAMILY CONCERNS. We give thanks for the improvement in health for several of our congregation. We pray for healing and comfort for all who are unwell and for their carers. We ask for blessing and guidance for all our young families during the school holidays and we pray for guidance, unity, harmony and peace in our church and circuit.

MEET AND RIGHT IT IS TO SING, IN EVERY TIME AND PLACE,  
GLORY TO GOD OUR HEAVENLY KING, THE GOD OF TRUTH AND GRACE.  
(Charles Wesley)