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WORSHIP ON SUNDAYS at 10.30am
GROWING IN FAITH & WORSHIP WE WORK TOGETHER TO SERVE & CARE FOR ALL

SUNDAY 12th APRIL 2026 – REV. ROGER BAKER – Holy Communion

Bible readings: Acts 2 vv 14a, 22-32; John 20 vv18-31

CHRIST IS RISEN – HALLELUJAH!

A warm welcome to our service this morning. If this is your first time here we look forward to meeting you over tea and coffee afterwards.

ALPHA COURSE concludes on Tues. 14th April at 7pm. Please let Rev. Rob know if you cannot be there for the meal.

EASTER OFFERING SUNDAY, 19th April at **3.30pm**, a circuit service at AMC.

MWiB COFFEE MORNING for CHRISTIAN AID, Saturday 25th April 10am – noon at MDMC. Share fellowship & support a much needed cause in these times. Cakes & books for sale.

SONGS OF PRAISE, Sunday 26th April at 3.30pm at MDMC. All are welcome for joyful worship, fellowship & cake.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK, 10-16th May. www.caweek.org/70kinMay for info and donations.

Details are on the notice board for:

RETREAT DAY AT AMC, Saturday 30th May, 10am-3pm. A day of personal spiritual renewal with Rev. Helen Kirk.

HISTORY OF UKRAINE, Festival Centre, Mkt Drayton, Sunday 19th April at 5pm.

SPRING HARMONY, Vocal music from Market Drayton Choral Society, Christ Church, MD, Sat. 25th April, 7.30pm.

TIPTOE THROUGH THE TULIPS, Rozel, Wetwood, ST21 6NW, Saturday 18th April 2-4pm.

ACTION FOR CHILDREN latest newsletter.

HATCHES, MATCHES & DISPATCHES, Saturday 25th April at Maer Church. Exhibition includes details of Charles Darwin's marriage to Emma Wedgwood.

ADBASTON CAMERATA CONCERT, Sunday 3rd May at St Michael's Church, 5.30pm.

AFTERNOON TEA at Broughton Parish Room, Sunday 10th May, 2.30pm.

SUMMER FAYRE, St Mary's School, Muckleston, Friday 10th July, 3-5pm

MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID COURSE, Stoke. Rev. Ruth Jeffries.

ECO DAY, Saturday 9th May at Helsby MC. Rev. Helen Kirk & Dr Hamish Leese.

CHRISTIAN BOOKSHOP, HANLEY. Details of revised opening hours.

COMPASSION JAR. Our donations of small change help to support two children – Kevine in Rwanda & William in Guatemala. The collection jar is by the entrance. Our current fund stands at £91.40. Thank you for your continuing contributions. Every penny counts! There is a letter from Kevine on the notice board.

MARKET DRAYTON 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 19th APRIL 2026 – REV. ROB COTTON

BIBLE STUDY. We shall resume our meetings on Thursday 16th April at 10am. Do join us if you can for fellowship and friendly informal discussion. Currently we are studying God's Springtime (Joyce Huggett)

ONLINE PRAYERS take place on Mondays at 7-7.30pm. Zoom details: ID: 918 5917 6065 Passcode: 438347

FAMILY CONCERNS. We pray for pain relief, healing and peace for all who are unwell, their carers and families and for our friends in care homes. We pray for hope, joy and peace in Christ for our young people as they return to their studies, blessing, discernment and encouragement for those completing the Alpha course.

LET HEAVEN ECHO, LET THE EARTH SING: JESUS IS SAVIOUR OF EVERYTHING.

ALL THOSE WHO TRUST HIM, CHRIST WILL RECEIVE; THEREFORE REJOICE, OBEY AND BELIEVE!

(Bernard Kyamanywa, translated by John L Bell)