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

**SUNDAY 10<sup>th</sup> MAY 2026 – REV ROB COTTON – Holy Communion**

Bible readings: John 14: 15-21; Acts 12: 1-18

**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.*

**NB: There will be no service at AMC on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> May. We shall meet at MDMC at 10.30am for a circuit service.**

WORSHIP @ 6, today at Mkt Drayton Methodist Church. Speaker Rev. Yanyan Case will give a very interesting testimony. All are welcome.

SONGS OF PRAISE, Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> May at 3.30pm at Mkt Drayton Methodist Church. All are welcome for worship in song, fellowship & cake!

THANKSGIVING FOR CYNTHIA LUCAS. On Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> May. After the Committal Service for close family and friends at Shrewsbury Crematorium at 10.45am there will be a Family Service of Thanksgiving and Celebration for Cynthia's life at church at **12.15pm** followed by refreshments at Tern Hill Hall Hotel from 2.00pm onwards.

BIG FAMILY GATHERING, Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June at Tern Hill Hall. Info and tickets at [www.ashleymethodist.co.uk/bfg](http://www.ashleymethodist.co.uk/bfg)  
Volunteers are needed please. **Sign up with Carol or online** at

<https://marketdrayton.churchsuite.com/events/fidmqnlw> *We need your support.* Thank you!

A FORTNIGHTLY EVENING LIFE/HOUSE GROUP AT AMC. Please sign the list by the entrance to indicate you are interested in this proposal.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK, 10-16<sup>th</sup> May. [www.caweek.org/70kinMay](http://www.caweek.org/70kinMay) for info and donations.

ENGLESEA BROOK CHAPEL & MUSEUM is revamped & open for a new season. Well worth a visit! This & lots of museum events are on our notice board.

*Details are on the notice board for:*

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

Please email [retreats@ashleymethodist.co.uk](mailto:retreats@ashleymethodist.co.uk) to book a place.

AFTERNOON TEA at Broughton Parish Room, today. **Cancelled with apologies.**

BINGO NIGHT, Broughton Parish Room, Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 7pm.

SUMMER FAYRE, St Mary's School, Muckleston, Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July, 3-5pm.

JUNIOR SHOW CHOIR, Fridays at the Beacon Centre, MD.

PROMS IN THE PLAYGROUND, Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July at Hugo Meynell School.

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 £124.99. 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 17<sup>th</sup> MAY 2026 – MR ROBIN PERRY

BIBLE STUDY. We shall meet on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May at 10-11.30am to continue a video course on Paul's Epistle to the Romans. Do join us if you can for fellowship and friendly informal discussion.

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

FAMILY CONCERNS. We give thanks for the lives of Ralph and Cynthia and pray for their families. 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, blessing, discernment and encouragement for those who completed the Alpha course.

HE COMES TO SAVE US NOW: TO SERVE HIM IS TO KNOW LIFE'S TRUE REWARD.  
(Fred Pratt Green)