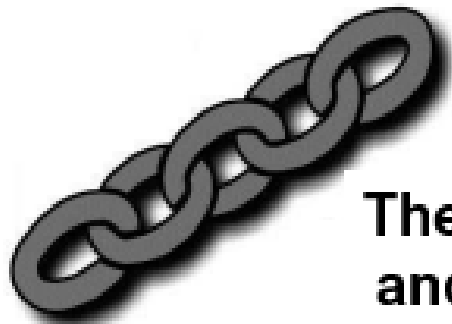




The Link

The Monthly Newsletter of Marehay
and Waingroves Methodist Church

October 2026

Welcome to The Link which covers all the news and everything that's happening at Marehay and Waingroves Methodist Church (MWMC) during October.

MAREHAY METHODIST CHAPEL



COFFEE.TEA.SCONES.CAKE

LAST THURSDAY OF
THE MONTH 10AM-12PM

Waingroves
**COMMUNITY
CAFE**

**OPEN
FRIDAYS**

10.00 am - 12.00 noon
ALL WELCOME



The next meetings are:

7th October Marehay Methodist Church 7.30pm

15th October Church Council Waingroves Methodist Church 7.30pm

MAREHAY & WAINGROVES METHODIST CHURCH

Stewards	Ruth Beresford, Kath Brydon, Viv Walters, Mark Ratcliffe Margaret Storer, Christine Aldred
Enquiries & Bookings	Sarah Moss - sarah.mwmc@outlook.com or 07989329944
Prayer Chain	Jackie Cracknell (Waingroves) 01773 748843 Christine Aldred (Marehay) 07841 01126

WAINGROVES METHODIST CHURCH



SECOND HAND BOOK SALE

Friday 9th October

3-00 - 4-30pm

6-30 - 9-00pm

Saturday 10th October

10-00 - 12-00

YOU ARE INVITED TO

Woodland CHURCH

SATURDAY 7TH NOVEMBER
WAINGROVES WOODLAND, 10-12

Join Marehay and Waingroves Methodist Church as we explore the woodland, learning about life's challenges and God's creation through play, craft and stories. Held in Waingroves Woodland on the second Saturday of each month.

Free nature play with a faith twist, suitable for all ages. Snack and warm drink provided for adults and children. Contact Hannah for more information on 07359778505

CONNECT TO NATURE, CONNECT TO GOD

If you have a problem, Citizens Advice is here for you.

Our Outreach Adviser can help you find solutions.

Our advice sessions are available at:

Waingroves Methodist Church
on **Friday mornings**.

Drop-in service. 10am - 12pm

10th July 2026 13th November 2026

14th August 2026 11th December 2026

11th September 2026

16th October 2026

For urgent advice call our
freephone Adviceline

0808 278 7954

Open Monday to Friday,
9am to 4pm



If you have a problem, Citizens Advice is here for you.

Our Outreach Adviser can help you find solutions.

Our advice sessions are available at:

Marehay Methodist Church
on **Thursday mornings**.

Drop-in service. Wesley Room, 10am - 12pm

30th July 2026 29th October 2026

27th August 2026 26th November 2026

24th September 2026

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THANK YOU!
We are delighted to say we raised

£342.10

for Macmillan
Coffee Mornings
held at
Marehay and Waingroves
Churches

Together
we make a
difference

**MACMILLAN
CANCER SUPPORT**

Thank you to everyone who
supported our coffee mornings!

**MWMC (WAINGROVES)
ACTIVITIES FOR
THE OVER 55'S**
OCTOBER 2026
(EVERY TUESDAY AFTERNOON)
2.00PM – 4.00PM

Come
And
Meet
Each
Other

**TUESDAY
7TH OCTOBER
SANCTUARY
BEREAVEMENT
GROUP**

**TUESDAY
14TH OCTOBER
ARTS &
CRAFTS**

**TUESDAY
21ST OCTOBER
GAMES &
PUZZLES**

**TUESDAY
28TH OCTOBER
QUIZ**

For More Information Contact:
Alison Wood (CAMEO Pioneer Worker)
07791960228 • cameo.mdmc@btinternet.com

Marehay Methodist Church

**SOUP &
SWEET**

**SATURDAY 3RD OCTOBER
12 – 2PM**

**TICKETS
£6.50**

Choice of
Soups and
Sweets

Available from
Stewards or Sarah
sarah.mwmc@outlook.com

**Stay and Play
Goes Large
LIGHT
PARTY**

WEDNESDAY 28TH OCTOBER

**10.00AM – 12.00PM
FOR THE
ACTIVITIES**

**12.00PM
FOR A
FREE LUNCH**

**AT WAINGROVES
METHODIST CHURCH**

FOOD BANK

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We've seen a significant increase in the number of people needing support from our Food Bank and we're asking for your help.

If you're able to donate, we would be incredibly grateful for any of the following items:



Every donation, no matter how big or small, will make a real difference to local families who are finding things difficult at this time.

Thank you for your kindness, generosity, and continued support.

TOGETHER, WE CAN HELP ENSURE NO ONE IN OUR COMMUNITY GOES WITHOUT.

Donations can be dropped off on a **FRIDAY MORNING** at our **COMMUNITY CAFE MORNING** **BETWEEN 10 AND 12**

Or please send us a message to arrange another time if needed.

mwmethodist@outlook.com

MW Methodist Church

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Waingroves service
4th October at 10.45am
led by Martin Weir

Marehays service
4th October at 10.45am
led by the Stewards

All donations will be distributed to local foodbanks

Thank you for your support

The Inner Wheel Club

APPEAL

We are appealing for men's items to support those in need in our local community.



Items can be either new or second hand

Let Ann Haddon have anything at any time.

Thank you for your support!

MAREHAY AND WAINGROVES METHODIST CHURCH

Prayer Walk

WALKING • PRAYING • CARING FOR OUR COMMUNITY

About us...
Marehay and Waingroves Methodist Church are aiming to walk Marehay, Waingroves and everywhere in between, in small sections, praying for the community as they go.

Saturday 3rd October at 10.30am
We will meet outside at the entrance to the Church Farm Estate nr Ivy Grove Surgery.

A Prayer for our Community
If you are unable to join us but wish to join in, here is a prayer you can use:
Lord God we place our community into your hands.
We pray for peace in its streets and in its homes.
We pray for healing where there is pain and hurt.
We pray for kindness between neighbours.
We pray that every child, woman and man will feel loved and accepted.
We pray that each one will know your great love for them and your saving grace.
Open the hearts of this community to welcome Jesus as Lord and Saviour.
That our lives may be refreshed and transformed.
Today we place this community and our hopes into your hands.
Amen

Peasehill and surrounding area
For the month of October we will be praying for those who live and work on:
Peasehill Road
Greenaway Avenue
Green Hill Avenue
Samuel Court

IF YOU HAVE ANY SPECIFIC PRAYER REQUESTS OR REQUIRE FURTHER INFORMATION YOU CAN CONTACT US AT:
mwmethodist@outlook.com
Message us on Facebook at Marehay Methodist Church or Waingroves Methodist Church
Or you can pop a note in either of the church letterboxes

October Services

PREACHERS FOR WAINGROVES OCTOBER 2026

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| 4 th | 10.45 | Harvest Festival led by
Martin Weir |
| 11 th | 10.45 | Joint service at Marehay.
Own arrangement service
exploring Eco Church |
| 18 th | 10.45 | Service led by Rev Julian
Penfold |
| 25 th | 10.45 | Joint Service at Waingroves –
Chapel Anniversary led by
Rev Mike Redshaw |

All are Welcome

PREACHERS FOR MAREHAY OCTOBER 2026



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| 4 th | 10.45 | Own Arrangement Harvest
Festival Service |
| 11 th | 10.45 | Joint service at Marehay.
Own arrangement service
exploring Eco Church |
| 18 th | 10.45 | Service led by Kath Brydon |
| 25 th | 10.45 | Joint Service at Waingroves –
Chapel Anniversary led by
Rev Mike Redshaw |

All are Welcome

MWMC Church Diary May 2026 – December 2026
3rd October – Soup and Sweet at Marehay 12-2
4th October - Marehay Harvest Festival Service 10.45
4th October – Waingroves Harvest Festival Service 10.45
7th October – MWMC meeting at Marehay 7.30
9th October – Book Sale 3-4.30 and 6.30-9
10th October Book Sale 10-12
15th October – Church Council at Waingroves 7.30
21st October – Circuit Study Group at Marehay 2-3.30
25th October – Waingroves Chapel Anniversary Service 10.45
28th October - Circuit Study Group at Marehay 2-3.30
28th October – Stay and Play Goes Large at Waingroves 10-12.30
4th November - Circuit Study Group at Marehay 2-3.30
7th November - 1 st Woodland Church session in Waingroves Woodland 10-12
8th November – Joint Remembrance Service at Waingroves 10.45
11th November - Circuit Study Group at Marehay 2-3.30
18th November – MWMC Meeting at Waingroves 7.30
25th November - Circuit Study Group at Marehay 2-3.30
2nd December - Circuit Study Group at Marehay 2-3.30
12th December - Woodland Church session in Waingroves Woodland 10-12
13th December – Musical Dimension Christmas Concert Marehay 6pm
23rd December – Stay and Play Goes Large at Marehay 10-12.30pm
25th December – Christmas Day Service Marehay time TBC
6th January - MWMC Meeting at Marehay 7.30
17th February – MWMC Meeting at Waingroves 7.30
31st March – MWMC Meeting at Marehay 7.30
12th May – MWMC Meeting at Waingroves 7.30
23rd June – MWMC Meeting at Marehay 7.30
4th August – MWMC Meeting Waingroves 7.30

	Marehay			Waingroves				Elsewhere
	Chapel	School Room	Wesley Room	Chapel	School Room	Foyer	Sanctuary	
Th 1		8-10pm Ripley Morris Dancers	1.30-4.30 RCMG	4-5 Circuits Class 5.45 Pilates Class 7.30 Band	7.00 Table Tennis			
Fr 2					7pm Table Tennis Match	10.00–12.00 Community Café		
Sa 3		12-2 Soup and Sweet	6.15-8.15 Band					10.30 – Prayer Walk meet at Church Farm estate entrance
Su 4	10.45 Harvest Festival	No Sunday Club		10.45 Harvest Festival led by Martin Weir	10.45 Sunday School			
Mo 5		7-9pm Liver Lantern Support Group		6-7 Pilates 7.15-8.30 Line Dancing Class	6.30 Table Tennis	6.30 Table Tennis		
Tu 6		10-12 – Liver Lantern Support Group 7-9 Musical Dimension		10-11 Dance 1.30-2.30 Exercise Class 7.45 F&N	3.15-5.30 – U3A Art Group			
Wd 7		9.30-11 Stay and Play 7-8 – Boxfit exercise Class		1.15-2.45 Stay and Play 4-8.30pm Slimming World			10-12 Bereavement Group 7.30 MWMC Meeting	
Th 8		6.45-10.30 Slimming World 2.30-5 WI 8-10pm Ripley Morris Dancers			4-5 Circuits Class 7.00 Table Tennis		5.45 Pilates Class	
Fr 9	10.30 – Fire Extinguisher servicing			3-4.30 and 6.30-9 Book Sale	7pm Table Tennis Practice	10.00–12.00 Community Café		9.30-Fire extinguisher Servicing
Sa 10				10-12 Book Sale	8-10.30 Slimming World			10.30 Prayer Call
Su 11	10.45 Joint service at Marehay (Eco Church) own arrangement	9-10 Sunday Club 5-7 Time Travellers Vintage Group		10.45 Joint service at Marehay (Eco Church) own arrangement				
Mo 12				6-7 Pilates 7.15-8.30 Line Dancing Class	6.30 Table Tennis	6.30 Table Tennis		
Tu 13		10-11 CAMEO Chair based Exercise 7-9 Musical Dimension		10-11 Dance 1.30-2.30 Exercise Class 7.45 F&N	3.15-5.30 – U3A Art Group			
Wd 14		9.30-11 Stay and Play 7-8 – Boxfit exercise Class		10-12 CAMEO activities 1.15-2.45 Stay and Play 4-8.30pm Slimming World				
Th 15		8-10pm Ripley Morris Dancers	1.30-4.30 RCMG	9.15 Waingroves Primary Harvest Festival Service 4-5 Circuits Class 5.45 Pilates Class 7.30 Band	7.00 Table Tennis		7.30 MWMC Church Council	

Fr 16				10-12 Citizens Advice	7pm Table Tennis Match	10.00am–12.00pm Community Café		
Sa 17								10.30 Prayer Call
Su 18	10.45 Service led by Kath Brydon	9-10 Sunday Club		10.45 Service led by Rev Julian Penfold	10.45 Sunday School			
Mo 19				6-7 Pilates 7.15-8.30 Line Dancing Class	6.30 Table Tennis	2-3 U3A Places of Interest Group 6.30 Table Tennis		
Tu 20		10-11 CAMEO Chair based Exercise 7-9 Musical Dimension		10-11 Dance 1.30-2.30 Exercise Class 7.45 F&N	3.15-5.30 – U3A Art Group			
Wd 21		9.30-11 Stay and Play 2-3.30 Circuit Study Group 7-8 – Boxfit exercise Class		10-12 CAMEO activities 1.15-2.45 Stay and Play 4-8.30pm Slimming World				
Th 22		6.30-8 Craft Club 8-10pm Ripley Morris Dancers		4-5 Circuits Class 5.45 Pilates Class 7.30 Band	7.00 Table Tennis			
Fr 23					7pm Table Tennis Practice	10.00am–12.00pm Community Café		
Sa 24				Private Party				10.30 Prayer Call
Su 25	10.45 Joint service at Waingroves led by Rev Mike Redshaw Chapel Anniversary	9-10 Sunday Club		10.45 Joint service at Waingroves led by Rev Mike Redshaw Chapel Anniversary	10.45 Sunday School 2-4 Private Party			
Mo 26		BMC Group booked to complete internal and external roof work this week		6-7 Pilates 7.15-8.30 Line Dancing Class	6.30 Table Tennis	6.30 Table Tennis		
Tu 27		10-11 CAMEO Chair based Exercise 7-9 Musical Dimension		10-11 Dance 7.45 F&N	3.15-5.30 – U3A Art Group			
Wd 28		7-8 – Boxfit exercise Class		10-12.30 Stay and Play Goes Large 4-8.30pm Slimming World			10-12 CAMEO activities	
Th 29		10-12 Village Coffee 8-10pm Ripley Morris Dancers	10-12 Citizens Advice 1.30-4.30 RCMG	5.45 Pilates Class 7.30 Band	7.00 Table Tennis			
Fr 30				6-8.30 Sound Bath		10.00am–12.00pm Community Café		
Sa 31		10-3 Vintage Sale						10.30 Prayer Call

SATURDAY MORNING PRAYER CALL

An invitation is extended to all to meet virtually at 10.30 am each Saturday morning to pray for common concerns across the community, country and world. (N.B. The first Saturday of Each month in a prayer walk at 10.30)
 We use Zoom to connect - you do not need any special equipment and can join from anywhere by dialling a number from your landline or mobile phone or using the Zoom app from your smartphone, tablet, laptop, or pc.
 Instructions how to join are issued each week. If you wish to receive details, please let Mark, John, Ruth, or Kath know.

Forest Church

Come and join us for a walk in the woods.

Every first Sunday of the Month.

Meeting at 2pm

at Darley Dale Methodist Church.

A time to explore the woods, meet new people,
and praise God in his creation.

The woods will be our cathedral!



You will need shoes with some grip
and also bring clothes suitable for
the great outdoors. Paths will
sometimes be uneven.

Phone Anne for more details
07599298793

'When through the woods and forest glades I wander,
and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees:

Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee:

How great thou art, how great thou art!'



Urgent Help required for The Harbour After School Club Thursdays
3.45-6pm - Term Time Only

- Kitchen Assistant – to prepare and serve a light evening meal and clear up after (possibly don't need to be there for the whole session) – Food Hygiene Certificate Required
- Afterschool Club Assistants – to assist Rachel and Emma to run the afterschool club 5-11 year olds. Assisting in looking after the children, helping with crafts, prayer activities and contributing to teaching the children the bible story of the day.

DBS Checks required, Safer Recruitment Process, Foundation
Safeguarding Training

Urgent Help Required For our Light Party 30th October 26 4.30pm-
6.30pm

- Kitchen Assistants – prepare and serve food/snacks
- Craft table leaders – to assist in helping children and parents in a craft – tidy up and swap out for food – be a 'present' person for the disco.

Thanks, Love and Blessings
Rachel x

Circuit and District News



Mid Derbyshire Methodist Circuit
Registered Charity No. 113948

This is a part-time position



Catering Assistant

Mid-Derbyshire Methodist Circuit are looking to recruit a Catering Assistant at 'The Well' situated on Causeway Lane in Matlock Town Centre.

We are looking for an assistant caterer to be part of a catering team helping to set up food service, serve customers and support with general kitchen duties.



28 Hours a week.



Salary: £13.45

For further information and an application form please contact Circuit Steward:



Kath Brydon (07973499711 kathbrydon@me.com)
Deadline for applications: 5th October 2026
Interview date: 29th June.



Applications to be returned by post or email:
Mrs Kath Brydon:
kathbrydon@me.com



GOOD FOOD • STRONG COMMUNITY • EVERYONE WELCOME



Deadline for
applications:
**5th October
2026**



Mid Derbyshire Methodist Circuit Registered Charity No.
1139498

Catering Supervisor

This is a full -time position.

Mid-Derbyshire Methodist Circuit are looking to recruit a Catering Supervisor at 'The Well' situated in Matlock Town Centre.



38 Hours a week.



Salary: £14.50 per hour

The Circuit are looking for a skilled Caterer who will be responsible for preparing and presenting high-quality food and beverages to our clients. In this position, you will be expected to plan menus, purchase ingredients and manage food preparation and presentation. You will also be responsible for maintaining a clean and organised kitchen and ensuring that all food safety regulations are followed.

For further information and an application form please contact Circuit Steward:

Kath Brydon (07974949711 kathbrydon@me.com)



Deadline for applications: 5th October 2026
Interview date: W/C 19th October



Applications to be returned by post or email:
Mrs Kath Brydon:
kathbrydon@me.com



Circuit Finance Officer (Part-time)

Mid Derbyshire Methodist Circuit

Join the Circuit Team and support the management of our financial resources.

-  10 hours per week
-  £18.00 per hour
-  Permanent
-  Belper, DE56 1AR and home address
-  Closing date: 5th October 2026



For more information and an application pack, contact kathbrydon@me.com



*Darley Dale Methodist Church
Dale Road North*

Autumn Fair

*Saturday 24th October
10 am - 2.30 pm*

*Lots of stalls including
pictures, pottery, glassware, jewellery,
candles, knitted items, cakes, preserves etc.*

Refreshments available

*Money raised for Church Funds
to go towards replacing the hall roof*

All Welcome

CASH will be needed for most purchases

Free entry

