



New Malden
Methodist Church

At the heart of the High Street

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11 October 2026

10.30am Morning Worship

incorporating the ACM

Revd Alana Lawrence

WELCOME

It is good to have you with us today, sharing in our worship. If you are a visitor, new to the area, or just beginning to attend this Church, we hope you will feel at home, and that you will come again.

Tea and coffee is served in the Welcome Area (Wesley's) after Morning Worship. Please stay so that we can get to know one another.

So that we may keep in touch, please fill in your details on the Welcome card in the church chairs.

Large print hymn books and Korean-English Bibles are available:

한영성경을 사용하고 싶으시면 안내하시는 분에게 이야기해 주세요.



Please use this QR code if you wish to
donate online to the work of NMMC.

NEXT WEEK, beginning Monday 12 October 2026

Tuesday	10.30 – 11.30am	Tai Chi
	2.30 – 4.00pm	Bereavement Cafe
Thursday	10.30am – 12.30pm	Knit & Natter
	2.00 – 4.00pm	Creative Arts
Friday	11.30am – 1.00pm	Writers Workshop
Saturday	10.00am – 12.00pm	Charity Bake Sale <i>Inner Wheel</i>
Sunday	10.30am	Morning Worship <i>Rev'd Vindra Maraj-Ogden</i>



Hymns and Readings for this morning's service

- 83 Praise my soul the king of heaven
663 I the Lord of sea and sky
673 Will you come and follow me if I but call your name
615 Let love be real in giving and receiving
409 Let us build a house where love can dwell



Readings: Philippians 4:1-9 (NT page 212)
Matthew 22:1-14 (NT page 25)

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Prayer of the Week

Creator God,

As we enter autumn, we see the changing leaves and bold colours that remind us that beauty can emerge even in seasons of letting go. The rhythms of creation remind us that life always changes, nothing stays unchanged, and sacredness can be found in release.

God of the autumn leaves, the vibrant reds, the bold oranges, and the soft yellows, we give thanks that you always hear us and that you are aware of all that happens in our lives and in the world; the joys and challenges, sorrows and happiness, wars and peace. Thank you for your mercy and compassion, which are as steady as the seasons, and as unchangeable as time. Amen.



The collection for Sunday 27 September amounted to £127.85
plus an average of £550 a week by direct giving.

Thank you

Thank you to everyone who supported the Harvest festivities last Sunday. Your donations, along with those from M&S and Waitrose are much appreciated. and took the opportunity to support. A total of £127.93 was raised in the retiring collection for Methodist Homes for the Aged.

Dates for you diary

The Annual Church Meeting will be incorporated into this morning's service with the Church Council to follow after in the Lower Hall.

The next Music in New Malden concert takes place this afternoon here at NMMC, 3pm featuring Robin Michael (cello) and Anna Michels (piano).

On **Tuesday 20 October**, 1.10pm is the Lunchtime Concert, Trios for clarinet, viola and piano with Alan Maries (clarinet), Keith Berry (viola), Peter Bullett (piano).

Have you seen our table cloths?

It seems we are missing a number of white table cloths. If you have been kind enough to take them home to wash and iron them please could you let us know.

October Spotlight is here

The October issue of Spotlight is now available. Alana draws inspiration from St Francis of Assisi, words and images from August's K-Pop Festival, introducing Kingston Ballet School – a regular user of our building, and whisper it quietly but Christmas is coming, plus much more...

This week's flowers have been kindly donated by Alison Bullett and arranged by Julia Morton.



Hope of the World

We have a fantastic opportunity to gather as a Circuit, alongside friends and family, at New Malden Methodist Church on Saturday 14th November from 7pm for an evening of modern gospel music and conversation.

We will be led by Judy Moore who is a well-known Christian author and church leader and Ben Pearson a popular gospel singer (his latest album Reborn, can be found on Spotify). The evening will appeal to all ages and is a real chance to reach out to those around us in our lives and community and is not to be missed. There is no cost for the evening, but donations will be welcome. Do not miss it!!

To reserve your places please email **shmc.office@kingstoncircuit.org.uk**

– David Fullbrook

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