

Sunday 20th September 2020

14th Sunday after Trinity

Services today are 10.30am CW HC + Choir with guest preacher SUMT's Ruth Walker,
& 6.30pm Baldwin CW EP

Next Sunday 10am Foxdale CW HC,
10.30 Marown Morning Praise & 2pm Holy Baptism
6.30pm Baldwin Harvest Festival

Coming up...

Next Saturday (26 Sept) at 3pm in the Cathedral will be the ordination of Steven Herron & Jon Barwood as Deacons. Steven will join our parish whilst Jon will work alongside The Revd Irene Cowell in the Parish of Arbory and Castletown. Everyone is welcome on this joyful occasion with light refreshments to follow the service.

The following Saturday (3 Oct), also at 3pm in the Cathedral, will be the priesting of Revd Ruth K Walker – who will continue to serve her curacy at the Cathedral with the Dean, The Very Revd Nigel Godfrey. Again, all are welcome to attend and stay for light refreshments afterwards.

Sunday 20th at Marown Church the choir will sing **Panis Angelicus (Thomas Aquinas (1226-74), set by Cesar Franck (1822-90) John Rutter's translation of this well-known piece is 'Bread of the angel host sent down from God above. Body of Christ our Lord in token of his love: O gift most wonderful! Christ as our sacrament: Humble, lowly, all share his sacred feast.'**

Also...

St Luke's Harvest Supper, concert & auction Monday 28th Sept 7pm £5, entertainment from amazing saxophonist Chris Sullivan & prize-winning quartet 'Only Sisters Aloud' + a raffle. A fantastic venue, talented musicians, scrumptious food, don't miss out!

If you wish to either join 'The Friends of St Luke's Baldwin' or renew your subscription you can do so at this event.

Wednesday 23rd Sept Mother's Union meet as a local and corporate group in Marown Church beginning with a communion service 2pm. Contact Liz McGirr for more details.

The Food Bank We collect non-perishable food which goes to the island-wide Foodbank for distribution to individuals and families in need. Collection boxes are located at the back of Marown Church and St Luke's Church. Please support this act of Christian witness from our parish.

Raising Faith-helping children connect with God. Care for the Family and SUMT have partnered to provide a three week Zoom Webinar online series called Raising Faith, helping our children connect to God. Then on the fourth week Care for the Family are delivering their Raising Faith event on YouTube. They hope this approach will allow parents to attend together in the comfort of their own home, after children are in bed. The 'no video, no audio' approach allows parents to discuss the material and application together as it is being presented, but also to engage with others via text if they have questions or would like to contribute.

Dates: 15, 22, 29 September 8pm-9pm via zoom webinar (Care for the Family event 6 October, 7:30pm - separate registration required)

Cost: £10 (for those who find the cost prohibitive, we have a 'no fuss' free ticket option available)

Registration: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/parenting-equip-raising-faith-tickets-116861161881>

Praying the Keeills walk to Balladoole Sunday 27th Sept 2pm, see poster for more details.

Please remember...

to still use the hand sanitiser and leave your contact tracing details when you come into church.

Canon Janice will be away from the vicarage from Wednesday afternoon 23rd Sept until Saturday morning 26th Sept, on retreat with the ordinands in Laxey. Please use text messages if you need to contact her (07624 406084). Calls to her landline and emails may not be picked up until Sunday 27th.

During this week we pray for...

- the season of Creationtide as we give thanks to God for the beauty of His creation and especially the blessings of our wonderful Island. We pray that all of us commissioned to the stewardship of air, land and sea may be mindful of our actions and our responsibility to the well-being of our planet earth.
- all those people who are vulnerable or suffering in body, mind or spirit, those facing financial pressures or job losses, the grieving, and those affected by the coronavirus.
- the people of Lebanon, Yemen, Syria and South Sudan in their difficulties and suffering along with all aid agencies and churches urgently working to relieve human suffering, also people affected by the wildfires in America.
- for migrants and refugees, especially those in Lesbos following the fire that devastated the camp there making 12,000 people homeless again.
- young people beginning or returning to colleges and universities.
- We pray too for the formation of a new theological college for the northern dioceses very recently named Emmanuel Theological College and its Dean-designate Revd Dr Michael Leydon.
- farmers as they plan for winter after a poorer than usual grain harvest across UK and the Island, for wisdom and the support they need to care for the land and wildlife in sustainable ways. We also pray for conservationists across the world with falling incomes to sites from tourism due to Covid, we pray for resources and inspiration to continue their work. We thank God for increasing Manx Shearwaters nesting in the Calf of Man.
- politicians here in the IOM and globally, as they face the huge issues of sustainable restarts to the economies, even as the Pandemic continues humility, wisdom, good advice. and for the restraint of harmful lobbying.

From amongst our own fellowships we continue to pray for;

Paul Lemaire, Jenny Ingham, Fleet & Joan Simpson, Bert Winckle, Tanya Thompson, Maud Dawson, Richard Beaumont, Joan Brain, Wilf Corkish, Les Edwards, Pat Killip, Dee & Mark Whitlock, Tom & Willie Cowell & Beryl Stevenson.

RIP Julia North, Linda Walmsley & Eddie Corkill

Don't forget...

Daily HOPE is a free phonenumber (0800 804 8044) for those who don't have access to the internet. Manx Telecom customers will not be charged for calls from either a landline or mobile. There is a special greeting from the Archbishop of Canterbury then a choice from a range of options, updated daily from Common Worship, and a recording of the Church of England's weekly national online service. A section called Hymn Line will also offer callers a small selection of hymns, again updated daily.

For further information please visit our Facebook page or website www.marownchurch.im or The Church of England website www.churchofengland.org and the diocesan site www.sodorandman.im



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IN 2020**

The **Island Spirituality Network** explores different expressions of Christian spirituality. It is open to people of all faiths and none, and has the support of the Island's church leaders.

Island Spirituality Network

Saturdays, from 10am to 1pm in St John's Mill

AUTUMN PROGRAMME

OCTOBER 10, 2020

Rev'd Richard Hall : *A Tale of Three Trees*

NOVEMBER 14, 2020

Monsignor John Devine: *Preparing for Advent*

***We welcome all, old friends and new, to join us.
Come along and find out more!***

Watch our website and Facebook page for details of extra events and speaker biographies - islandspiritualitynetwork.wordpress.com & facebook.com/islandspiritualitynetwork.

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