

## Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2021 ~ 18th Sunday after Trinity

Services this weekend are; Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 3pm at the cathedral Ordination to the Priesthood of Revd Steven Herron, all are welcome to celebrate this wonderful occasion

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 10.30am Old St Runius BCP MP with Harvest Theme,

11am Foxdale Messy Church also a Harvest Theme and

6.30pm Baldwin BCP HC Revd Steven Herron celebrates his first Eucharist preceded by a 'bring and share' tea starting at 4.30pm

Services next week are; 10.30am Marown HARVEST FESTIVAL when we will be joined by our friends from the Crosby Chapel. Please bring your offerings of fresh or non-perishable goodies on that Sunday and present them as part of our service. They will then be shared out to local residents and the IOM Foodbank.

6.30pm Baldwin BCP EP (non-singing)

### This week.....

\*For some time now very few of the Link sheets are being taken from church to be read, therefore, Canon Janice and the PCC wonder if it is time for a change. It is possible to amend our subscription to have an electronic version of the Link to accompany this pew sheet (plus print out a few paper copies for those who want those). We can also have a different format of the Link which would include the daily Bible reading references. Please let Canon Janice, one of the Churchwardens or a PCC member know your thoughts.

**\*Rosemary Gibson has started an e-newsletter about OSR – if you would like to be added to the circulation, please email: [rosemary.gibson@wimanx.net](mailto:rosemary.gibson@wimanx.net)**

### Coming up....

Diocesan Course in Christian Studies : A new course starting Thurs 30th Sept at St John's Church Hall between 7-9pm: This is a course suitable for anyone who wants to know more about their faith. It is ideal for those who simply have a quiet desire to know a bit more to

those exploring any form of ministry. The course will include looking at the Bible, church teaching, ethics and worship. Further details please contact Canon Margaret burrow.margaret@gmail.com

Confirmation class for teenagers across the Island: meeting in "The Upper Room " at Marown Church on Friday evenings from Friday 12th Nov, led by Revd Alex Brown (Pioneer Minister, Douglas) and Revd. Jeanette Hamer at Kirk Michael, with a Confirmation Service in Michael Parish Church by Bishop Peter at 2.30pm on Sunday 19 Dec. If you are interested in being Confirmed please contact Revd Jeanette for more info: manxmiffy55@gmail.com

**During this week we pray...**



\*for the many tragic situations around the world, poverty, disease, natural disasters and human catastrophes. May all the suffering find relief along with hope for a better future.

\*for Revd Steven Herron and Revd Jon Barwood (Arbory & Castletown) as they are ordained to the priesthood, we pray for Revd Ruth Walker as she continues her curacy in the Parish of the West Coast and for Revd Liz Hull who will be licenced to St Thomas's Church Douglas next month. May God richly bless their ministries.

\*for generosity towards the Diocesan Harvest Appeal supporting UNICEF 'Give the World a Shot' appeal which aims to make Covid 19 vaccinations available to the poorest people and countries.

\*We Pray for World Leaders as they prepare for COP26 in November: we pray for wisdom, empathy and compassion for the global poor, those already facing the impact of extreme weather, already climate refugees. We pray for the vision, generosity and commitment to bring about change to drastically reduce carbon emissions, to safeguard habitats, maintain bio diversity, create clean seas and air. We pray for Gods Spirit of truth and selflessness to

change hearts that, this once, they may bring about opportunities for lasting change that will help safeguard Life on Earth.

**From amongst our own fellowships, we continue to pray for those we know to be ill, suffering the frailties of age or disease, friends or family awaiting treatment or operations and those recovering from accident or illness, as well as the lonely, grieving and the anxious. May they know God's presence and peace.**

**RIP Kathleen Doheny**

**Don't forget.....**

**\*to pick up a copy of the Link Sheet with reflections on the Sunday readings, these are available in church each week.**



\*Manx Radio Sunday at 9.30am is a half-hour programme by Judith Ley who shares inspiring stories, interesting interviews, great music and moments for quiet reflection across the Christian denominations of our island.

\* for further information please visit our Facebook page or website [www.marownchurch.im](http://www.marownchurch.im) or The Church of England website [www.churchofengland.org](http://www.churchofengland.org) and the diocesan site [www.sodorandman.im](http://www.sodorandman.im)