

## **Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2021 ~ 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

**Services this Sunday are 10am Foxdale CW HC (non-singing), 10.30am Marown MP  
& 6.30pm Baldwin Harvest Festival**

Next week's services 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**

### **This week.....**

**Harvest Concert, Supper and Auction at St Luke's Baldwin Monday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2021 at 7pm £5  
admission charge Wonderful entertainment with Linda Corkish, Helen Prescott, Jude Clague and John  
Riley Followed by a scrumptious supper then our auction of fruit, veg and other homemade lovelies -  
and finally our annual raffle for a full lamb dinner Contact Sue Sayle 333153**

**It is hoped that as many people as possible will attend both the cathedral and St Luke's services for Revd  
Steven next weekend. Don't forget if you would like to make a contribution to a parish monetary gift for  
Revd Steven then please send you donations to our Treasurer Sue Waring by Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October. We will  
present Revd Steven with the gift on Sunday evening's service.**

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.

**Join us for our Harvest Festival service at Old St Runius on Sunday October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10.30 when we will  
celebrate the bounty of God's creation in this beautiful church. We will decorate the church on Saturday  
2<sup>nd</sup> October at 10 – do join us, and any gifts of produce or flowers will be gratefully received. If you  
would like to donate some items, but cannot get to OSR, please give Rosemary a call on 852860 and she  
will come and collect!!**

**Rosemary has also 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)**

When we wonder...an evening of Godly Play with story, wondering & creativity for adults, Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup>  
September 7pm for 7.30pm start St Mark's Church hall, everyone welcome, if you haven't tried it before  
why not give it a go! For more details speak to Nancy Clague or Canon Janice

**Foxdale Church soup lunches resume on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October with more delicious soup and homemade  
bread and cakes served between 12pm-2pm**

### **Coming up....**

Diocesan Course in Christian Studies- We are pleased to announce that a new course will be starting for the Diocesan  
Certificate. This is a course suitable for anyone who wants to know more about their faith. It is very much designed  
to assist the widest possible range of people: 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 from Revd Dr Michael Brydon (Bishop's Chaplain) 622108.

Confirmation class for teenagers across the Island: meeting in "The Upper Room" at Marown Church on  
Friday evenings from Friday 12<sup>th</sup> 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 all newly elected House of Keys members- especially our MHKs Jane Poole-Wilson and Stu Peters, for the future appointments to the Legislative Council and for the election of the next Chief Minister. We remember before God those who have served our nation in the past and those who stood for election this past week but were not voted into office.



\*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 approach their ordinations 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.

**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.**

### 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)