

## **20<sup>th</sup> November 2022 ~ Christ the King**

**Services this Sunday; 10.30am Marown CW HC + Choir & 6.30pm Baldwin CW EP**

Next week; 10.30am Marown Morning Praise & 6.30pm Baldwin CW HC

### **The week ahead and beyond.....**

**\*Friday 25<sup>th</sup> Nov 12.30-1.30pm Soup lunches are available in Marown Church, these are free though donations to church funds are welcome. From 2-3pm there will be a discussion group to think about 'Caring for Creation', this week looking at global warming & climate change. These will both run for the next 4 weeks, all are welcome for just the soup or the discussion if you can't manage both.**

Anyone able to help with catering please contact Canon Janice.

**\*Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 3.30pm Dr Jonathan Latimer and the Church Recorders will present their work on Marown Church, all welcome for afternoon tea and to hear about the discoveries they made whilst cataloguing the church building. There will be an opportunity to see and handle various items of Church plate and look at the Church Registers.**


**\*'Warm Spaces', Crosby Bowling Club are providing a free warm and friendly space to meet every Monday afternoon 2-4pm with refreshments, as are the Millennium Hall 12-2pm on Sunday afternoons.**

**\* Dr Tony Thick (Diocesan Environmental Officer) has announced the creation of the " We Care" campaign by the Environment Action Group. It aims to support the government's vision in the Climate Change Plan while urging more action more quickly. It is a fun set of resources that can be used in your own way with individuals and groups, creating work that can be shared with friends, family and people's MHK. Find all this on their new website [www.eag.im](http://www.eag.im) that also has information about carbon net zero.**

\*Marown Branch treasurer and secretary Liz McGirr will have 'Mothers Union' Christmas cards for sale after the Sunday service in Marown Church, beautiful cards so please bring your cash!

\*Historians amongst us may wish to learn a little more of the history of Peel cathedral. On 23<sup>rd</sup> November 6 – 7pm, Dr Peter Litman will give an online talk entitled 'It's the Cathedral which killed him - Bishop Rowley Hill's Cathedral of 1886'. The talk is part of the #UCMtalks series. The event is free - to register: <https://www.ucm.ac.uk/research/ucm-talks/>

\*CROSBY METHODIST CHAPEL HALL CHRISTMAS FAYRE & AFTERNOON TEA  
SATURDAY 26<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2pm CAKE STALL, GIFT STALL & RAFFLE ADMISSION £5



**RESPONDING TO ASSISTED DYING**  
Gathering Christians together to prepare for the upcoming debate

**Tue 29th November** - Peel Methodist Church, 7:30pm  
**Wed 30th November** - Living Hope Port St Mary, 7:30pm  
**Thurs 1st December** - The Bethel, Ramsey, 7:30pm  
**Fri 2nd December** - Broadway Baptist, Douglas, 7:30pm

Presented by Dr Graham McAll and Revd Bill Leishman  
Organised by Churches Alive in Mann

**\*Christmas Live 2022 approaches! 15<sup>th</sup> Dec 6.30pm Villiers Square Douglas.**

Christmas Live is back again this year, you can get your free tickets at [www.christmaslive.im](http://www.christmaslive.im).

**This week we pray for...**

\*those in our communities who are vulnerable or struggling: the elderly; the isolated and lonely; single parents; those who are ill, depressed, stressed or anxious; people facing financial pressures; those grieving the loss of a loved one. We pray that they may know God's presence with them and be comforted.



\*people ill at home, in hospital, hospice or nursing homes, that they will receive the care & support they need, particularly for those on long waiting lists for treatment & diagnosis.

\*the IOM Foodbank at this time of increased need of its services. We give thanks for the help they offer to people who would struggle to feed themselves and their families and we pray for continued generous donations to help them in their work.

\*the World leaders as the Cop27 Summit in Egypt draws to a close. We pray that there will be a desire and commitment to bring about change as we face this Global Climate Emergency.

\*the millions of people across the world who suffer from war, violence, disease, hunger, natural disaster and injustice. Please God, send your transforming power into these situations. From amongst our own fellowships, we continue to pray for those known personally to us who need God's healing and restorative grace. May they know Christ's peace.

RIP The Revd Christopher Brown, aged 91 years. He served as Chaplain to Bishop Noel Jones, and latterly assisted particularly at Santan. The funeral service will be at Santan Church at 2 pm on Wednesday, 23 November.



\*On Manx Radio, Sunday at 9.30am 'Praise' 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)