

23rd April 2023 – 3rd Sunday of Easter

Services for Sunday 23rd April; 10.30am Marown Shortened Morning Praise with APCM at c.11.15am & 6.30pm Baldwin CW HC

Services for Sunday 30th April; 10.30am Marown Service of the Word with guest speaker Louise Whitelegg. Louise will tell us all about this year's IOM Christian Aid campaign. & 6.30pm Baldwin Healing Service.

Coming up...

***Christian Aid week 14th -20th May** - We are fast approaching Christian Aid week. Please could you help with: • House to house? (we now have card payment options!) • Holding a community event? Coffee morning, soup lunch, fair - wherever your imagination takes you!

****Bucket collection**** In Shoprite (the week before 7-14.05.23) in Peel?

Contact Louise Whitelegg Tel 474275

***Mon 1st May: Collectors Fair at Dalby from 12. 30-4.30pm:** A drop in event with a range of stalls of Collectibles in the schoolrooms and bric a brac in the basement as well as books, plant stall and of course The Cake Stall. The Dalby kitchen will be serving homemade Manx Broth & bread, a range of sandwiches, cakes, coffee and afternoon teas throughout the day. After costs all proceeds go to the Church Restoration fund and our two charities of the year: Arlo's Adventure & Hands of Hope in Ukraine.

***Tuesday 2nd May 6.30pm** The Western Mission Partnership meet at Kirk Michael Church.

***Friday 5th May 2pm Marown primary School, there will a community event to celebrate the Coronation. Please make a note in your diary and save the afternoon and early evening so you can join in the fun. More details to follow.**

***Sunday 7th May 11am** there will be a joint service to mark the Coronation at the Crosby Methodist Chapel.

***Also on Sunday 7th May 3.30pm there will be a special service to mark the coronation in the cathedral. All are invited but the cathedral need to know numbers so please tell Canon Janice if you would like to attend by 28th April.**

*Saturday 13th May at Marown Vicarage the Churchwardens meet again at 10am.

*Saturday 13 May from 10am to 5pm and also on Sunday 14 May from 11am to 5pm Kentraugh Mill is having an open day. It is the first building up the road from the Shore Hotel, Gansey and guided tours will be given of the Mill, Chapel Garden and Mill Dam. Refreshments will be available. No charge is made but donations are invited for the United Society, Partners in Global Mission (USPG). The Mill is an old building, the machinery will be running and so visitors come at their own risk. If you have any questions/enquiries do please call Elizabeth Sheen on 832406

*Sunday 14th May Marown and St Luke's Churches hold their anniversary services. At Marown Church the Marown Branch of the Mothers' Union will celebrate their centenary. There will be a 'bring and share' lunch to follow so please do make an effort to join us.

*Changes to clergy in the Parish of the West Coast - the Revd Mark Radcliffe, vicar of Malew and Santon, has resigned from this post. His last service is at Ballasalla on 30 April. Revd Mark will become an Assistant Curate in the Parish of the West Coast as from 21 May – initially assigned to the Cathedral.

This week we pray...

*for all people that the risen Christ will be manifest in their lives.



*for our parish as we hold our annual meetings. We give thanks to all those people who have served on the PCC over the past year and all those who do so many 'behind the scenes' jobs that make a valuable contribution to our fellowships.

*for our schools and college as the final term of the academic year begins. We remember those students preparing for exams, that they may have found respite from their studies so that they can face exams revitalised and at their best.

*for the places where there is violence and injustice, that Christ's peace will reign, that hope will triumph over despair, greed and oppression will be transformed into selflessness and reconciliation. We continue to pray for the people of Ukraine, Russia, Sudan and all places of violence. We pray that the peace talks in Yemen will bring a cessation to years of war.

*for those people ill at home, in hospital or in hospice, that God's healing grace will rest upon them. We pray for those people coming to terms with life changing diagnoses, all who are struggling with the effects of age, illness or disability and for their families and friends who seek to support them. We continue to pray for our emergency and medical services.

*that as new life bursts forth around us we will cherish the environment and renew our commitment to be better stewards of creation. We pray for our farmers at this time of lambing and calving as they bring new life into the world and have responsibility for nurture and care of God's creatures.

*for all who grieve and are bereft, grant them your consolation O Lord and may the promises of Easter bring them hope. RIP Geof Walmsley, David Corlett and John Chadwick

Don't forget.....



*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 or The Church of England website www.churchofengland.org and the diocesan site www.sodorandman.im