

22nd December 2024 – 4th Sunday of Advent to

29th December 2024- The 1st Sunday of Christmas

Services this Sunday; 4pm Marown Church Carols and Christingle (no morning service)

& 6.30pm Baldwin CW HC

Christmas Eve services; 6.30pm Baldwin Christmas Communion & 11.30pm Marown Christmas

Midnight Communion

Christmas Day service; 10.30am Old St Runius Family Service

Thank you to everyone who has helped decorate our churches, they look beautiful as always.

From Christmas Day until Friday 3rd January 2025 Marown Church will be opened at the slightly later time of 10am.

Coming up.....

Sunday 29th Dec 11am Joint Service at the Crosby Methodist Chapel (no Marown Church service)

& 6.30pm Baldwin Nine Lessons and Carols by candlelight with refreshments afterwards

Sunday 5th January 2025 10.30am at Marown Church, a Plough Sunday Service with horses

6.30pm Baldwin BCP HC with Epiphany Carols

This week we pray...

*during these final days of Advent, that we will be ready to meet our Lord and Saviour when he returns as our judge and redeemer.



*that in the midst of all our Christmas celebrations God will reveal to us the true Light of the World, Emmanuel, God-with-us.

*for all who will be working over the holiday season to keep us safe and to maintain essential services for our benefit and comfort; for emergency and medical services; for farmers and food producers, distributors and retailers; for transport services and social services.

*and remember before God those people who find this time of year painful for whatever reason.

*for all who are travelling, that they will reach their destinations safely. We pray too for protection from the storms expected this weekend.

*for the situation in Syria and throughout the Middle East, especially in the Holy Land and Bethlehem.

*that as the weather turns colder in Gaza, Syria and Ukraine we hold the homeless, the displaced and all the refugees in our world, before God. Those who seek sanctuary from war and terrorism, prejudice, and corruption, who are fleeing poverty, hunger, fear and climate change. We pray for innocent people in a world that has “no room” for them; who are living in tented cities, refugee camps and displacement centres.

*for God’s healing grace to be upon all who are unwell in body, mind or spirit, those who are fearful, lonely or despairing, those struggling financially and those for whom this season is a time of anxiety. We pray for those known to us across the parish that are ill at home, in hospital or in the hospice.

*for those who have passed beyond the darkness of this world into the glorious light of Christ.

RIP Patricia Hazell

Special Notice

A part -Time ‘Chief Operating Officer’ at St German’s Cathedral required, 15 hours weekly, worked flexibly. Base: Cathedral Office, Albany Road, Peel Annual salary £10,000 - £12,000 (£25-30k FTE)

Details or enquiries from Dean Nigel Godfrey, E: dean@cathedral.im or Tel: 01624 844 830

Closing date for applications 10th January 2025. Interviews during the week commencing 20th January 2025

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