

19th January 2025- 2nd Sunday after the Epiphany &

26th January – 3rd Sunday after the Epiphany

Services this Sunday 10.30am Marown CW HC followed by Holy Baptism at 2.30pm
& 6.30pm Baldwin CW EP

Services next Sunday 26th January; 10.30am Marown Morning Praise & 6.30pm Baldwin CW HC.

Services Sunday 2nd February; 10.30am Marown BCP MP & 6.30PM Baldwin BCP HC.

The following funerals will take place in Marown Church, please pray for the deceased and their loved ones.

Friday 24th Jan 1.30pm Robert Kissack followed by a private cremation

Tuesday 28th Jan 11am Robert & Carolyn Watson followed by a private burial in the churchyard also

Friday 31st Jan 10.30am a private Interment of Ashes of the late George Boulton

Friday 31st Jan 1.15pm at the crematorium a service for Trevor Smith

Coming up.....

*Mon 20th -Thurs 23rd Canon Janice is on retreat

* **Out of this World!** - You may have been one of the 13,000 people to have seen the large Earth Gaia at St Thomas' Church, Douglas last year - the sister artwork, The Moon, is coming to the Cathedral from 9th February to 2nd March. This is a 23 metre (75ft) wide rotating, illuminated model of the moon in great detail, using NASA images and surround sound. It has been on display in London, Mexico and Australia. Entry to the exhibition is free.

*Monday 10th Feb Open the Book assembly rehearsal in Marown Church

*Tuesday 11th Feb 9.30am Prayer at The Mill in St John's, all welcome

*Tuesday 11th Feb 6.30pm Western Mission Partnership meeting with 'bring and share' supper at Patrick School Rooms

This week we pray...

*that our Saviour Jesus Christ will continue to be made known through the power of the Holy Spirit moving across our diocese and parish; and for our baptism family as they gather in Marown Church this Sunday; that the Holy Spirit will be upon all who attend and especially accompany Olivia throughout her life. May we remember and be encouraged by our baptism.



*for the Open Book Teams as they deliver assemblies this week to primary schools in our parish and the west of the island.

*for all couples who have married in our parish churches over the years; that God may continue to bless them and guide them.

*for renewed efforts for peace and reconciliation in the troubled areas of the world. We continue to pray for peace between Ukraine and Russia; that the ceasefire agreed between Israel and the Palestinians will hold; for a cessation of conflict across the Holy Land and neighbouring states; for relief in the war-torn areas of Africa, Southeast Asia and Arabian Peninsula.

*for our government and those of all nations, holding before God the USA as their new president is inaugurated.

*for those ill at home, in hospital or hospice; those resident in care and nursing homes; people awaiting treatment or diagnoses; those living with incurable illness or disability and people struggling with frailties of age. May each person know the strength and love of Christ is with them.

*for the many bereaved families across our parish and beyond; that they will find comfort and support through the love of God and the saving power of our Lord Jesus Christ.

RIP Robert Kissack, Robert and Carolyn Watson, Trevor Smith and George Boulton.

A note from the Diocesan Office

* Scam emails – The Diocesan Office has sent another reminder to ministers for us all to check that our emails and phone texts are from people we know. Many are circulating, appearing to be from clergy or friends, with sob stories etc - but they are fraudulent. Either ignore them or contact the victim on a phone number you know is genuine. If you hover with the computer mouse over an email address, most will display the real address.

Our parish website can be found at; <http://marownchurch.com>

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