

23rd February 2025- 2nd Sunday before Lent

Services this Sunday 10.30am Marown Morning Praise & 6.30pm Baldwin CW HC

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Tuesday 25th February St Luke's Church 12noon there will be an Interment of Ashes Service

***5th March is Ash Wednesday. At the cathedral there will be a 9.30am Said Eucharist with hymns and a Choral Eucharist at 6.30pm. Both services will include an Exposition of Ashes.**

Coming up.....

*** Out of this World! - The Moon is at the Cathedral until 2nd March.** A full list of events is available on our website (click on "links" and go to "Peel Cathedral") and on posters in church.

*Marown Mothers Union; at our next meeting, on February 26th, we will have a talk from Malcolm Clague. This will be about the work of the **Henry Bloom Noble Healthcare Trust** and will take place in the side chapel of Marown Church after our usual short service at 2 p.m.

New members always welcome.

*Thursday 27th Feb Diocesan Synod meet 7.15pm in St George's Church Douglas.

*Friday 28th February Marown Cubs visit St Luke's Church 6.30-8pm

***The 'World Day of Prayer' will be held in Marown Church 2pm on Friday 7th March followed by refreshments, all welcome. The theme this year is 'I made you wonderful' and has been prepared by the Christian women of the Cook Islands.**

***Monday 10th March 7pm the PCC meet again in the side chapel of Marown Church**

*A message from Simon Dunn our Eco Church Rep; There is an Eco Church WEBINAR from A Rocha UK on Tuesday 11th March 2-3pm called 'THE GREEN HEART OF MISSION'

Do you see caring for creation as an integral part of your faith, and core to the mission of the Church? Perhaps you do but meet others who are less convinced that caring for the earth is a key part of the Gospel and missional work. **Join a discussion on these themes with Paul Kunert,**

author of 'Jesus Died to Save the Planet', plus stories from Eco Churches and others. We'll explore how creation care is at the heart of mission and how a newly refreshed Eco Church survey helps put this into practice. Sign up via

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/the-green-heart-of-mission-tickets-1242375441389?aff=oddtcreator>

*Friday 14th March 7.00 pm – The Leprosy Mission Annual Quiz will be held at Promenade Methodist Church Douglas. This is an opportunity to meet Sam Stockill the new Community Partnerships Manager for the Leprosy Mission on the Isle of Man who is visiting the Island between March 9th–16th. Teams of 8 can be entered for the quiz. There will be a Hot Pot supper included for a £12 suggested donation on the night. RSVP by 9th March to paulhalliday@manx.net

*Thursday 3 April, The One World Centre at the Erin Arts are hosting a talk by James Levelle (explorer/environmentalist/filmmaker) who will be talking mostly about his 'Race for the Future' project when he travelled from the UK to Chile without using fossil fuels. The talk will be free but tickets will need to be booked with the Erin Arts Centre – book early as he's in great demand.

This week we pray...

*for all involved in 'The Moon' exhibition. Lord, bless those responsible for organising the events, those helping as stewards and all visitors.



*your peace into the fragile ceasefire between Israel and the people of Gaza. We continue to pray for those still held hostage or prisoner. Similarly, we pray for peace in all places of war and civil unrest in so many other areas of the world where innocent people are suffering.

*for those ill at home, in hospital or hospice; those resident in care and nursing homes and we commend to God's eternal care those who have recently died. RIP Ian Gray, Glyn Callow & Ricky Ussher

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