## 8th June 2025- Pentecost

Readings for this Sunday are Genesis 11:1-9, Acts 2:1-21 & John 14:8-17

Services this Sunday are; 10.30am Marown BCP MP & 6.30pm Baldwin Pentecost CW HC Services on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June; 10.30am Marown CW HC for Trinity Sunday & 6.30pm Baldwin Healing Service

Revd Steven Herron is moving to St Ninian's as their incumbent in July. To mark his time as our curate and to show our appreciation for his ministry next Sunday morning will be his farewell service followed by a 'bring and share' lunch, we hope you can join us for this special occasion. The PCC are organising a farewell gift and contributions to this can be passed to Canon Janice in a clearly marked envelope.

\* Tues 10 June 9.30am Western Mission Partnership (WMP) prayers as St John's Mill, ALL WELCOME.

Marown Church will remain locked until the TT café has been put away. We hope the church will be open from Thursday onwards at the latest. A HUGE THANK YOU TO THE CATERING TEAM AT MAROWN CHURCH, IT WAS A MAMMOTH EFFORT THIS YEAR BUT YET AGAIN YOU DID IT AND OUR GUESTS WERE SO GRATEFUL.

## Did you know?

- \*Christian Aid Week ended on 17<sup>th</sup> May but there is still time if you wish to contribute. Please hand your offering to Canon Janice.
- \*Swallows have been entering Old St Runius Church. Please close the church door when you enter and leave UNLESS there is a bird/birds inside-if so please wait outside until they have gone then close the door, thus, stopping them becoming trapped in the church.
- \*the Archbishop of York, the Rt Revd Stephen Cotterell, will be visiting the diocese in early July. This will include leading an event at the Cathedral from 6pm until 7.30pm on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July based on appreciation of The Lord's Prayer and will include Choral Evensong and refreshments. The Diocese will celebrate The Lord's Prayer through the many languages spoken on the Island, working with Manx Radio to record people reading the prayer in their own language, with the

opportunity for them to tell of any particular significance it has for them. If you know anyone who speaks other language, particularly as their mother tongue, please ask if they would like to participate and contact Canon Janice for further details.

\*FRIDAY 13th JUNE "THE PHOENIX OF GAZA" film - at 7pm. Amnesty International IoM have arranged for this film to be shown on the Island along with the visit of Yousef Alhelou, the Palestinian journalist and film maker who produced and directed it. It will be screened at the Promenade Methodist Church (main room on the 2nd floor). Admission £5 on the door (cash only). Yousef will introduce the film, share his personal experiences with us and answer questions from the audience

## This week we pray...

\*for Bishop Tricia and her husband Andrew, that God will surround them with compassion and comfort. We pray too for those leading our diocese whilst Bishop Tricia is on compassionate leave and for Bishop Mark as he guides us through this difficult time.

- \*that all TT competitors and visitors will go home safely and that all marshals, support staff and our catering volunteers at Marown Church will now have a time of rest and recuperation.
- \* that as we acknowledge the devastation of war there will be a greater desire for healing and reconciliation between warring parties to the relief of all who suffer the effects of conflict today. We pray still for Ukraine, Russia, Gaza and Israel, and all places of natural disaster and human catastrophe.
- \*for all people facing serious illness, injury or frailty of circumstances in hospital, hospice or at home. We ask God to be with them and their loved ones.
- \*that God will comfort the dying and receive into His eternal care those who have recently died. We pray too for divine consolation to be with the bereaved.

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