# 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2025- 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

Readings for this Sunday are Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14 & 2:18-23, Colossians 3:1-11 & Luke 12:13-21

The services this Sunday; 10.30am Marown BCP MP & 6.30pm Baldwin BCP HC

Services next Sunday 10th August; 10.30am Marown BCP HC & 6.30pm Baldwin BCP EP

At Douglas Crematorium Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> August 10am, the funeral of Barbara Hyslop

### Also, in our parish...

- \*Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> August 2-3.30pm Kids Crafts in Marown Church, this includes messy activities for 0-11 years plus refreshments, there is no charge although donations are welcome to cover cost of materials. Children to be accompanied by parents/carers please.
- \*MGP & Classic TT begin on Sunday afternoon 17<sup>th</sup> August until Friday 29<sup>th</sup> August. Anyone able to help with catering at Marown Church please contact Canon Janice.
- \*St Luke's Church, Baldwin, Sunday 7th September @ 6.30pm Jen Adams from the Manx Whale and Dolphin Watch will be our guest and will introduce us to the work they are involved in.

  All are welcome. Light refreshments will be served after the short service and talk.

  No charge but any donations will be welcome.

#### Did you know?

- \*There is a Mothers Union Founder's Day service in St George's church, Douglas at 7pm this coming Wed eve (6<sup>th</sup> Aug), when Branches from across the Diocese meet for worship. Also to give thanks for the vision of Mary Sumner who founded Mothers' Union back in 1876.
- \*Following on from the visit of the Archbishop of York, 'The Lord's Prayer Exhibition' is on daily from 9.00am 5.30pm at the cathedral. It includes a Soundscape which lasts about 1 hour 30 mins. This has the Lord's Prayer in many languages spoken by migrants to the Isle of Man who come from 172 countries. There are banners around the Cathedral which accompany this.

#### Across the diocese...

\*Monday 10<sup>th</sup> August – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> August. There is a walking retreat led by Karen Garrett and Joanne Reed. This is an opportunity to explore different parts of this beautiful island on foot, taking in the ancient and modern, hill and valley, passing places of worship and historical sites of interest. There will be great companionship, good conversation and moments of stillness and reflection. This is a residential retreat, but a few places will be available for day guests on the walks. To book please contact: Thie dy Vea: welcome@retreathouse.im

\*Triskelion Way Pilgrimage: led by Phil Craine & Sue Jackson from Thurs 28th Aug – Tues 2nd Sept. Starting at Rushen Abbey this route takes in a rich mix of stunning landscapes, ancient Keeills, the old and new cathedrals of Peel and finishes in Maughold, site of an ancient Celtic Christian Monastery. Contact Phil on 07624 437248 or <a href="mailto:philcraine44@gmail.com">philcraine44@gmail.com</a> for more info

\*On Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September at the cathedral there will be a presentation on Cyber Security. This follows concerns raised within some congregations about fraudulent emails and online scams. The diocese has explored ways to help our churches and communities become safer online, working with the Isle of Man Cyber Security Centre, who have created a presentation specifically designed for an audience aged 65 and over. The session lasts around 40 minutes. This event is open for anyone to attend.

## This week we pray...

\*for those who are vulnerable or struggling: the isolated and lonely; single parents, young adults and children; those who are ill or depressed, stressed or anxious; the poor and needy; those facing financial pressures; those grieving the loss of a loved one. RIP May Perry, Gillian Daniels & Barbara Hyslop

\*for all places of natural disaster and man-made catastrophe, for peace in areas of war and for the relief of suffering in places of poverty and need.

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And you can also find us on Facebook.