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CATHEDRAL
ISLE OF MAN

Visitor Information

Welcome to Cathedral Isle of Man in the Corrin Hall

If you need a **large-print** hymn book or music edition please ask the welcomers.

Communion. If you are a practising Christian of any denomination, and normally receive Communion in your home church, you are welcome to receive at the Lord's Altar.

Distribution of Communion: Congregants are advised to receive the host first from the President and then move to receive the chalice. The Welcomers will bring people up section by section and if you wish to stay seated in your place, we will come to you at the end of communion. If you do not wish to receive you are welcome to come for a blessing – indicating by holding your service book.

If you require a **gluten-free wafer**, or would like to receive communion seated, do let one of the stewards know. Because of cross contamination (for someone who is gluten free) we have taken the decision to ask that you **refrain from Intinction** (dipping) of the host into the chalice.

Refreshments will be served today after the service.

The **Toilet** facilities are at the left hand side of the Corrin Hall stage and aside the Song School as indicated.

8.30am BCP Said Eucharist

10. 30am Family Eucharist (Choristers)

Setting: Missa Brevis – *Grayston Ives*

Processional: **585** The church's one foundation

Gradual: **213** Christ is the world's light

Offertory: **411** Dear Lord and Father of mankind

Anthem: Gaelic Blessing – *John Rutter*

Final: **468** Lord of the dance

Voluntary: Toccata in seven – *John Rutter*

3.30pm Choral Evensong (Schola)

Responses: *Reading*

Psalm: 27

Canticles: *Farrant in g minor*

Anthem: Lord, we beseech thee – *Batten*

Hymn: **37** The Lord will come and not be slow

Voluntary: A Short Verse
– *Thomas Tomkins*

NB: Ash Wednesday Services this coming week at 9.00am (Said) and 6.30pm (Choral)

Collect

Almighty Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross: give us grace to perceive his glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with him and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Post Communion

Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

A reading from 2 Kings 2: 1-12

Now when the LORD was about to take Elijah up to heaven by a whirlwind, Elijah and Elisha were on their way from Gilgal. Elijah said to Elisha, 'Stay here; for the LORD has sent me as far as Bethel.' But Elisha said, 'As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you.' So they went down to Bethel. The company of prophets who were in Bethel came out to Elisha, and said to him, 'Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?' And he said, 'Yes, I know; keep silent.'

Elijah said to him, 'Elisha, stay here; for the LORD has sent me to Jericho.' But he said, 'As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you.' So they came to Jericho. The company of prophets who were at Jericho drew near to Elisha, and said to him, 'Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?' And he answered, 'Yes, I know; be silent.'

Then Elijah said to him, 'Stay here; for the LORD has sent me to the Jordan.' But he said, 'As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you.' So the two of them went on. Fifty men of the company of prophets also went, and stood at some distance from them, as they both were standing by the Jordan. Then Elijah took his mantle and rolled it up, and struck the water; the water was parted to the one side and to the other, until the two of them crossed on dry ground.

When they had crossed, Elijah said to Elisha, 'Tell me what I may do for you, before I am taken from you.' Elisha said, 'Please let me inherit a double share of your spirit.' He responded, 'You have asked a hard thing; yet, if you see me as I am being taken from you, it will be granted you; if not, it will not.' As they continued walking and talking, a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated the two of them, and Elijah ascended in a whirlwind into heaven. Elisha kept watching and crying out, 'Father, father! The chariots of Israel and its horsemen!' But when he could no longer see him, he grasped his own clothes and tore them in two pieces.

A reading from the Gospel of Mark 9: 2-9

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. And there appeared

to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. Then Peter said to Jesus, 'Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.' He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, 'This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!' Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them any more, but only Jesus. As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

Notices:

Caterpillar Club resumes on the first and third Wednesdays of each month.

Prayer Ministry

We offer a ministry of Prayer after each 10.30am service, if you would like more details, please speak to Mary Biggart.

A Warm space in the Corrin Hall

Every Wednesday from December until March.

12:00 - 14:00

Soup and a roll.

Hot Drinks and biscuits

Opportunity to chat with old friends and make new ones. Occasional quizzes, beetle drives etc.

The Mothers Unions' next meeting is on Monday 12 of February 7.30pm at the Deanery. Our speaker this time is Rosemary Clarke, who will giving an enlightening talk about Palestine which is the theme of World Prayer Day on the 1st of March. Anyone is welcome to come along.

Audrey Quirk

Our dear friend, Audrey, will be celebrating her 100th birthday on Wednesday February 14th! She will be celebrating this happy occasion with family and friends at Peel Golf Club that afternoon between 2pm and 5pm. Whilst personal invitations have been sent out, the family would also like to welcome anyone who would care to join the celebration.

Lent Group - Wednesday 14th February

The Ash Wednesday Eucharist begins at 1830. Immediately afterwards, about 1915, we will meet at the Deanery to look at Metamorphosis Bitesize and will start with tea/coffee. No need to buy a copy. All welcome. Subsequent sessions will be on Thursdays at 1900.

Voice Awareness Session - Sunday 25th February, 1215.

Learn how voice resonance, diction and breathing can be used to improve our communication. Have fun together and discover a new confidence in our voices. Led by Tufty from the choir, it will last about 45 minutes and will be really useful for all who take part in our services. All welcome.

Leprosy Mission - Friday 8th March

Two opportunities to support the Leprosy Mission, both on 8th March!

1) 10-1130 Coffee morning with raffle and short update, Methodist Church, Peel

2) 1900, Traditional Annual Quiz at Loch Prom Methodist Church. Would you like to join the Cathedral team? Contact Rosemary 843 262

Christ's Seven Words from the Cross by

Very Revd John Mann, former Dean of Belfast.

John's latest book will be launched on 12th February at 7.00pm at St Mary's RC Cathedral, Douglas. All welcome.

Congratulations to Ophelia Watts (ex-Head Chorister and now in Schola) on achieving her RSCM Gold Award with a Highly Commended. She is the first to achieve such an award on the Isle of Man! She was examined by the chief examiner, Adrian Lucas, former Director of Music at Worcester Cathedral.

ASH WEDNESDAY MUSIC, 6.30pm **Choral Eucharist with Imposition of** **Ashes:**

Setting: Leicester Service - *Sumsion*

Psalm: 130

Anthem: O Lord, hear my prayer -*Locke*

Hymns: 95; 426; 582; 96

Voluntary: Reverie on 'St Peter'

-*George Tootell*

The Week Ahead

Please note that a Chapel on the stage is open everyday for private prayer.

Each day:

9.00am Morning Prayer on Zoom

5.30pm Evening Prayer *Corrin Hall*

Monday

10.00am – 4.00pm Gardening Club

12.00pm – 2.00pm Big Table Café *Corrin Hall*

Tuesday:

10.30am Executive Team meeting *Deanery*

12.30pm New Chapter Info meeting *Corrin Hall*

Ash Wednesday:

9.00am Said Eucharist with Ashing *Corrin Hall*

12.00 – 2.00pm Warm Wednesday *Corrin Hall*

6.30pm Choral Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes *Corrin Hall*

Thursday:

4.00pm Choristers rehearsal *Song School*

Sunday Services next week in the Corrin Hall

8.30am BCP Said Communion

10.30am Choral Eucharist

3.30pm Said Evening Prayer

(Choir on Safari Evensong at Ballaugh)



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