

The Link



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 Choral Eucharist

Setting: Messe Basse – *Gabriel Faure*

Processional: **191** O thou that camest from
above

Gradual: **426** Firmly I believe and truly

Offertory: **318** O Thou, who at the Eucharist didst
pray

Anthem: Magi Videntes Stellam – *Agazzari*

Final: **87** Hail to the Lord's anointed

Voluntary: Grand Choeur
– *Théodore Dubois*

3.30pm SAID BCP Evening Prayer

NB: The Cathedral Choir are singing a 'Safari Evensong' at St Mary's Church, Ballasalla (the Abbey Church).

Collect

Almighty God, whose Son revealed in signs and miracles the wonder of your saving presence: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your mighty power; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Post Communion

Almighty Father, whose Son our Saviour Jesus Christ is the light of the world: may your people, illumined by your word and sacraments, shine with the radiance of his glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; for he is alive and reigns, now and forever. **Amen.**

A reading from Genesis 14: 17-20

After his return from the defeat of Chedorlaomer and the kings who were with him, the king of Sodom went out to meet him at the Valley of Shaveh (that is, the King's Valley). And King Melchizedek of Salem brought out bread and wine; he was priest of God Most High. He blessed him and said, 'Blessed be Abram by God Most High, maker of heaven and earth; and blessed be God Most High, who has delivered your enemies into your hand!' And Abram gave him one-tenth of everything.

A reading from the Gospel of John 2: 1-11

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, 'They have no wine.' And Jesus said to her, 'Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come.' His mother said to the servants, 'Do whatever he tells you.' Now standing there were six stone water-

jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, 'Fill the jars with water.' And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, 'Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward.' So they took it. When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, 'Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now.' Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

Notices:

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

Prayer Ministry

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

Welcome

We welcome Willow to the probationer Choristers.

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.

Christingle Marmalade

The Dean's hand-crafted Christingle Marmalade is once again for sale in aid of the Cathedral re-ordering. Two varieties on offer. Donations gratefully received.

Annual Report

It's the time of the year when we gather all that our amazing congregation has done in 2023 to further the mission of the church. If you have photos you would like to give us or snippets of information to include let us know. The best photo to represent our year will be put on the cover. Please email to: dean@cathedral.im

Diocesan Course in Christian Studies

Canon Margaret Burrow has offered to run the Diocesan Certificate in Christian Studies beginning on Thursday evening, 8th February, and taking place in St John's Anglican Church Hall (unless there is a group from another part of the Island). She is willing for the start time to be either 18:30 or 19:00 and is keen to know which would suit participants best. If you might be interested, please contact Margaret to register interest: burrow.margaret@gmail.com

Thie dy Vea Drawing Course

Mary Gulland will be leading an 6 week Foundational Drawing Course. The cost of the course is £150 which includes your materials. Please contact welcome@retreathouse.im for further details.

Candlemas

On Sunday 4th February, a special service of Light which includes Prayers for our unsettled world will take place at St Johns. The service will begin at 3.30pm in the church, involve a lantern procession and will end at the Tynwald Hill. The service will be led by Rev Joanna Fisher and the Cathedral Choristers. Wrap up warm, and come a reflect on the power Light can bring in our busy world.

The Public Consultation on whether the Bishop should have a vote in Tynwald is now open.

The Honourable Member, Laurie Hooper MHK motioned a Private Members Bill at the last sitting of the Keys to remove the right to vote from the Lord Bishop. Sadly, Mr Hooper does not know the ramifications of this which could precipitate the loss of the Diocese and of our Cathedral status. Please do take part in the consultation.

<https://lhooperiom.com/2024/01/03/bishopsvoteconsultation/>

The consultation will be open online until 29 February, with paper copies available from the Clerk of Tynwald's Office.

Some of you may remember Jean Handley who was a regular at Evensong before going into a nursing home in Ramsey. Jean has sadly died and her funeral will be held at the Crematorium at 11.30am on Wednesday 24 January 2024.

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

Wednesday:

9.00am Said Eucharist

Corrin Hall

9.30am FMA meeting

Song School

10.00am Caterpillar Club

12.00 – 2.00pm Warm Wednesday

Corrin Hall

5.30pm Monastic Evening Prayer

Corrin Hall

Thursday:

4.00pm Choristers rehearsal

Song School

Friday:

7.00pm Lay Clerks rehearsal

Song School

Sunday Services next week in the Corrin Hall

8.30am BCP Said Communion

10.30am Choral Eucharist

3.30pm Choral Evensong



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