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Visitor Information

CATHEDRAL
ISLE OF MAN

Welcome to Cathedral Isle of Man

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 through the Servery.

8.30am BCP Said Eucharist

10. 30am Café Style Church

First Hymn: **383** Be still for the Spirit of the Lord

Gloria: **300** Glory in the highest! (Camberwell)

Gradual: **393** Brother, sister, let me serve you

Offertory: **581 (ii)** Take my life and let it be

Solo: Oh, Had I Jubal's Lyre – *Handel*

Final: **432** From heaven you came, helpless babe

Exit Music: Prelude No. 5 in D major from the 48 Preludes and Fugues - *JS Bach*

3.30pm Said BCP Evening Prayer

Nb. The Cathedral Choir is today taking part in the Hymn festival at St Thomas' Church, Douglas.

For the Intercession Prayers today:



Collect

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified: hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people, that in their vocation and ministry they may serve you in holiness and truth to the glory of your name; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Post Communion

Grant, O Lord, we beseech you, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by your governance, that your Church may joyfully serve you in all godly quietness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

A reading from Acts 12: 1-11

About that time King Herod laid violent hands upon some who belonged to the church. He had James, the brother of John, killed with the sword. After he saw that it pleased the Jews, he proceeded to arrest Peter also. (This was during the festival of Unleavened Bread.) When he had seized him, he put him in prison and handed him over to four squads of soldiers to guard him, intending to bring him out to the people after the Passover. While Peter was kept in prison, the church prayed fervently to God for him.

The very night before Herod was going to bring him out, Peter, bound with two chains, was sleeping between two soldiers, while guards in front of the door were keeping watch over the prison. Suddenly an angel of the Lord appeared and a light shone in the cell. He tapped Peter on the side and woke him, saying, 'Get up quickly.' And the chains fell off his wrists. The angel said to him, 'Fasten your belt and put on

your sandals.' He did so. Then he said to him, 'Wrap your cloak around you and follow me.' Peter went out and followed him; he did not realize that what was happening with the angel's help was real; he thought he was seeing a vision. After they had passed the first and the second guard, they came before the iron gate leading into the city. It opened for them of its own accord, and they went outside and walked along a lane, when suddenly the angel left him. Then Peter came to himself and said, 'Now I am sure that the Lord has sent his angel and rescued me from the hands of Herod and from all that the Jewish people were expecting.'

A reading from the Gospel of Matthew 16: 13-19

Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, 'Who do people say that the Son of Man is?' And they said, 'Some say John the Baptist, but others Elijah, and still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.' He said to them, 'But who do you say that I am?' Simon Peter answered, 'You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.' And Jesus answered him, 'Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father in heaven. And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not prevail against it. I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.'

This morning's Creed:

Do you believe and trust in God the Father, source of all being and life, the one for whom we exist?

We believe and trust in him

Do you believe and trust in God the Son, who took our human nature, died for us and rose again?

We believe and trust in him

Do you believe and trust in God the Holy Spirit, who gives life to the people of God and makes Christ known in the world?

We believe and trust in him.

This is the faith of the Church.

This is our faith. We believe and trust in one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

Notices:

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

Prayer Ministry

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

Prayer for the Nation

On Tynwald Hill at 7pm on Saturday 6th (the day after Tynwald Day). Organised by *Churches Alive in Man* (CAiM), join with God's Church from across the Island together in prayer.

Home Visits

We already visit a number of people to bring home communion, if there is anyone else that would appreciate this, please contact Revd Mark.

Mission Aviation Fellowship

MAF uses light aircraft to reach the world's most isolated and disadvantaged communities. **Thursday 18th of July, 7PM-10PM, AFD** is hosting a special evening reception at Babbage's, part of Mountain View Innovation Centre, so that their AFD Staff team and others interested in MAF's (Mission Aviation Fellowship) work can meet Dom and hear first-hand about MAF's operations, challenges, and achievements over more than 70 years.

Congratulations

to ministerial intern Sinéad and Charlie who were married in the Cathedral on Wednesday 26th June at 11am.

Wurlitzer Wednesdays

The concert season at the Villa Arcade kicks off on Wednesday 3rd July, at 1pm with our own Dr Peter Litman at the keys.

Cathedral Organ Recital

Saturday 6th July at 1.00pm. Renowned Manx Organist, Robert Coates FRCO returns from Norway to give a recital to celebrate his 70th Birthday. The concert will feature music from Whitlock, Ireland, S.S.Wesley, Cooman and Coates. Robert was a boy at KWC and choirboy at St Olave's, Ramsey. The recital is in aid of Cathedral music with a retiring collection.

The Week Ahead

Each day:

9.00am Morning Prayer on Zoom

5.30pm Evening Prayer *Cathedral*

Monday:

10.00am – 4.00pm Gardening Club

12noon – 2.00pm Big Table Café *Corrin Hall*

Tuesday:

10.30am Executive Team *Deanery*

7.00pm Cathedral Wardens meeting *Deanery*

Wednesday:

9.00am Said Eucharist *Cathedral*

5.30pm Monastic Evening Prayer *Cathedral*

Thursday:

4.00pm Choristers' rehearsal *Song School*

Friday: (Tynwald Day):

7.30pm Bell ringing practice *Tower*

Saturday:

1.00pm Organ recital (Robert Coates) *Cathedral*

Sunday 7th July

8.30am BCP Said Eucharist
10.30am Choral Eucharist (Schola)
3.30pm Choral Evensong (Choristers)

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