

The Link



CATHEDRAL
ISLE OF MAN

Visitor Information

Welcome to Cathedral Isle of Man

If you need a **large-print** hymn book or music edition, they are available at the back of the Cathedral.

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.** 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 the ongoing **Covid** infection, and your safety, we have taken the decision to please ask that you **refrain from Intinction** (dipping) of the host into the chalice.

Prayer Two people will be available in the south transept to pray with anyone who would like private prayer for themselves or friends after the service.

Refreshments will be served today after the service.

The **Toilet** and baby changing facilities are located through the door in the Servedy.

Children's activities are available throughout the service at the back.

8.30am BCP Said Eucharist

10. 30am Choral Eucharist (Schola)

Setting: Missa 1 – *Antonio de Cabezón*

Processional: **110** Jesu, grant me this, I pray

Gradual: **294** Dearest Jesu, we are here

Offertory: **582** Take up thy cross, the Saviour
said

Anthem: Deliver us, O Lord - *Gibbons*

Final Hymn: **627** Ye servants of God, your
Master proclaim

Voluntary: Cantilène - *Salome*

3.30pm Choral Evensong with the Cathedral choir and choir from the Buchan School

Phos: *Daniel Gawthrop*

Responses: *Reading*

Psalm: 135

Canticles: Salisbury Set – *Grayston Ives*

Anthem: Lead me, Lord - *Wesley*

Office Hymn: **22** The day thou gavest, Lord, is
ended

Voluntary: Toccata and Fugue in d minor
- *JS Bach*

Collect

Almighty God, you show to those who are in error the light of your truth, that they may return to the way of righteousness: grant to all those who are admitted into the fellowship of Christ's religion, that they may reject those things that are contrary to their profession, and follow all such things as are agreeable to the same; through our Lord Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Post Communion

Almighty God, you see that we have no power of ourselves to help ourselves: keep us both outwardly in our bodies, and inwardly in our souls; that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

A reading from Genesis 12: 1-4a

Now the LORD said to Abram, 'Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you, and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and the one who curses you I will curse; and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed.'

So Abram went, as the LORD had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he departed from Haran.

A reading from the Gospel of John 3: 1-17

Now there was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. He came to Jesus by night and said to him, 'Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God.' Jesus answered him, 'Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above.' Nicodemus said to him, 'How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother's womb and be born?' Jesus answered, 'Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not be astonished that I said to you, "You must be born from above." The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.' Nicodemus said to him, 'How can these things be?' Jesus answered him, 'Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things?

'Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of

Man. And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

‘For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

‘Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.

Notices:

Caterpillar Club

The Caterpillar club meet on the first and third Wednesday of each month at 10.00am.

The Connect group will continue meeting on Thursday evenings at 7pm. in the Deanery, working through our Lent book - ‘The furious longing of God’ and having discussions together.

Help Required

Are you able to give 2hours once a week to volunteer at the Big Table Cafe ? We are looking for assistance with various duties I.E. Waiting on tables, vegetable preparation, serving food, Setting up the hall and clearing up afterwards. If interested please contact Pip Hansbury either in person on Mondays or by phone on 844041

Winter Warming Wednesdays every Wednesday in the Corrin Hall until end of March 2023

Soup and sandwiches served 12.30pm to 1.30pm. Eat what you want, pay what you can (via brown envelope so no one knows who has paid what)

Help yourself to tea / coffee/ biscuit 12 noon to 12.30pm and 130pm to 3.30pm.

Crafts / Jigsaws / magazines will be available.

Frozen meals available to take away for those who need them.

We are very grateful to the Manx Lottery Trust Warm Spaces fund for their donation of £2,500 to help make this possible.

Island Spirituality Network

The next Island Spirituality Network meeting will be Saturday 11 March at St John’s Mill, 10.00am-1.00pm. Rita Norrey and members of the prayer team from Ballagarey Methodist Chapel who will lead our morning with times of stillness, reflections and prayer stations to aid our personal prayer. All welcome.

Organ Concert

On Saturday 11th March at 3.00pm, the Cathedral’s Organist, Dr Litman will give a recital at Peel Methodist Chapel in Athol Street, all welcome.

Half Hour of prayer and Reflection in the Gardens on Fridays in Lent

Join us for a half hour on Fridays during Lent at 5.30pm (weather permitting) as we walk to different places in the Cathedral Gardens, pausing to reflect on the Stations of the Cross. Meet inside the Cathedral.

Rhythm of Life

From the Diocese of York: Exploring themes of prayer, worship, love, generosity witness and rest: If you would like another approach to a Rule of Life, you may like to try watching a series of short videos about 6 actions which Jesus asks of us. Go to dioceseofyork.org.uk. Click Living Christ’s Story, then Becoming more like Christ and onto Diocesan Rhythm of Life.

The Week Ahead:

Each day:

9.00am Morning Prayer *via Zoom*

5.30pm Evening Prayer *Cathedral*

Monday

10.00am – 4.00pm Gardening Club

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

Tuesday:

10.30am Executive Team meeting *Deanery*

Wednesday:

9.30am Said Eucharist *Cathedral*

9.45am Shelia Charlton’s Funeral *Cathedral*

12noon Warming Wednesday *Corrin Hall*

5.30pm Monastic Evening Prayer *Cathedral*

Thursday:

4.00pm Choristers’ rehearsal *Song School*

Friday:

Bell ringing practice *Tower*

Services next Sunday

8.30am BCP Eucharist

10.30am Family Eucharist (Choristers)

3.30pm Choral Evensong (Schola)

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ADVANCE NOTICE

**THE ARCHBISHOP OF YORK, THE MOST REVD
STEPHEN COTTRELL WILL BE WITH US AT
THE 10.30AM CHORAL EUCHARIST ON
MARCH 19TH, MOTHERING SUNDAY.**