Patrick, Glen Maye and Dalby Skeet Sheet 12-19th October

We welcome you to our church this week, it's lovely to have you with us. Our thanks go to those who have helped set up our churches and are involved in leading worship

We remember before God all those in our communities who are vulnerable or struggling: the isolated and lonely; single parents, young adults and children, those who are ill or depressed, the s tressed and anxious; the poor and needy; those facing financial pressures; those grieving the loss of a loved one. We pray that they may know God's presence with them and be comforted.

As we have focused prayers on Gaza and Ukraine, the "worst humanitarian disaster in human history" is developing in Sudan.....Over 150,000 people have been killed by war and genocidal violence. This has triggered mass displacement, famine is spreading, and 8 million people are in danger of starvation. The crisis has deepened in recent weeks, a genocidal army is preparing for massacre in North Darfur. We hold before God the 30 million people who now need immediate help and pray for the global recognition of the necessity to increase Aid Budgets to the majority world.

Readings for the 17th Sunday after Trinity 2 Kings 5.1–3, 7–15c; Psalm 111; 2 Timothy 2.8–15; Luke 17.11–19

In our Gospel reading today we learn that only one came back and gave thanks to Jesus. There have been lots of good things this last week. We celebrated the 67 years of ministry of Brian Kelly, the recovery of the green global turtle population, the start (we hope) of peace in Israel and Gaza, news of remission of illness, meals with old friends and family, beauty in creation. What are you most grateful for this last week? Why is that? How have you expressed your gratitude? To whom? What lay behind the gift, what was the primary cause of the good thing that happened, how did it come about? What has it done for your faith and relationships? How does expressing thanks help you yourself? How have you responded when thanked yourself?

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Local Minister for Dalby: Cheryl Cousins: 843471

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Next Sunday: 19th October

Refreshments are served after all these services, please stay for a cuppa and enjoy a natter

Kirk Patrick: 10.30 am: Holy Communion: Robert Quayle, Dave Griffiths

Glen Maye: 10.30am: Morning Worship: Phyllis Jackson

Dalby: 6.30 pm : Taize Worship

Weekly Diary 2025

Wed 15th: Soup Stop at Dalby, serving from 12.30-1.30pm home made soups, bread cakes tea & coffee. No need to book in advance. Donations to cover our increasing costs are always gratefully received.

Wed 15th 7pm: The Chosen Series 1 (second episode) Patrick Home group enquiries to Graham 383401

Friday 17th 6:30pm: Glen Maye Village Harvest and Supper: Soup and Ploughman's (Braed Cheese and Pickles), Glen Maye Chapel, Tickets £7:50 from Julia 840801 or Paul 845681. Proceeds to Chapel Funds.

Mon 20th: Dalby are starting the 5th Season of The Chosen: The Table is Set: A journey through Passion Week. This will be Monday evenings for the next 8 weeks. This week the session starts at 6.30 pm with a bring and share meal. The screening starts at 7.30pm; it's ok to just come for the film, or both! The other sessions start at 7.30pm Open to everyone.

Fri 24th : Hollantide Hooley, with Mine's a

Shanty at Dalby Schoolrooms; starts at 7.30pm with a Hotpot Supper, and fruit crumble & custard. To Book* @ £15 please ring Gilly on 844031 stating if you need the veggie or Gluten free alternative.

* NB> Booking will open from Friday 10th Oct

onwards, from 10am – 6pm. Many thanks.

Sat 18th: Miriam's Sisters, Deborah's daughters: Thie dy Vea 10.00 a.m. - 4.00 p.m. a fresh approach to church leadership through times of change. Led by Rev Liz Crumlish A day of realistic, sustaining and

encouraging insights for all involved in church leadership. Refreshments will be served from 9.30 a.m. Cost: suggested donation of £25 to include refreshments and lunch

Sat 25th, Using Manx in church and Taizé-style worship in Manx. Thie dy Vea - We're delighted that Ruth Keggin Gell will be leading two workshops which help us to give expression to the Manx language as part of our worship. Details have yet to be finalised. As soon as we have them we'll post them on our website

From Dr Peter Litman at the Cathedral: Sat 1st Nov Afternoon Tea Cooill Hall, Braddan

The shape and presence of Christian Aid is changing on the Island. Come and join us for tea to learn about the changes, give thanks, celebrate and find out more.

A message from Peter Litman:

I might be totally mad, but to raise necessary funds for the Cathedral's Choir, and to alleviate my apathetic exercise regime, I have undertaken to walk the Triskelion Way (36 miles) across 4 days in November. You can sponsor my efforts by going to the following crowdfunding link: https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/triskelion-way-for-the-choristers
Many thanks in advance!

Any one is very welcome to come to any of these events NB > If you have information for this news sheet, please contact Graham McAll with details by Fri 17th