

# Patrick, Glen Maye & Dalby

## Weekly News sheets : 19<sup>th</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> July

7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity  
Proper 11

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

**As the school holidays start** at the end of this week we hold all our families, young people, and teachers across the Island before God, that they may have the opportunity of rest and recuperation, a time of renewal and re-creation. And we pray for all those who are committed to running holiday clubs, workshops and activities, for the Beach Missions in Peel and Port St Mary, and for all that goes on through Isle of Play, that their outreach will be blessed and inspired and that kids and families just have a great time!

**We hold before God the people of Northern Venezuela** who have experienced the two devastating earthquakes that brought chaos and destruction to the area; with 3,800 people confirmed dead, over 16,000 people injured, 96,000 buildings damaged or destroyed, 68,000 children in need of humanitarian aid and more than 2 million people in the worst impacted areas. We hold before God all those individuals who are grieving the loss of loved ones, the loss of homes, security, healthcare and in need of basic essentials of power, clean water and food supplies. And we pray for all those struggling to reach the most affected areas, local hospitals inadequately equipped, and for a generous global response to this state of emergency. The DEC brings together 15 leading UK charities to raise funds quickly and efficiently at the time of a humanitarian crisis overseas, sharing in expertise and networks already established in the country involved. If you would like to donate on line see <https://www.dec.org.uk/appeal/venezuela-earthquake->

**Todays Readings. Solomon 12.13,16-19 or Isaiah 44.6-8  
Romans 8.12-25**

**Psalm 86.11-17  
Matthew 13.24-30,36-43**

### *Living the light ....*

After the horrors of the Holocaust were revealed people across the world from all faiths and walks of life, sought to disassociate themselves from the apparent bestiality of human nature. Motivated by the belief that *life was never meant to be like this* they engaged in their hundreds of thousands to set up positive action for good. From establishing the United Nations and the thousands of charitable organisations that now operate globally, down to boys brigades and Sunday schools, they understood that the counter balance to the darkness of our world was to be the light. In our teaching today in the parable of the wheat and the weeds, Jesus acknowledges that in this world good and bad do live along side one another and that judgement is ultimately the right of God. The challenge for us as individuals is not what the weeds are doing, but what *we* are doing, that will differentiate us from the weeds; how does our fruitfulness positively impact the lives of others?

### *Thoughts to ponder .....*

*We weaken the value of our gifts of service by adding to them the love of praise of others, honor, or material profit. Our goal is simply the love of God, without any other consideration whatsoever.*

C.M.M.

*Aligning our minds with the most compassionate words and thoughts we can muster can bring connection and a sense of peace. For some, it means giving up almost an entire way of life, but only this will allow glints of joy to shine through.*

Laura Berman Fortgang

### **Sunday Services for next week : 26<sup>th</sup> July. The 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

Refreshments are served after all these services. please stav for a cuppa and eniov a natter

**Kirk Patrick: 10.30 am : Morning Worship**  
**Glen Maye: 10.30 am : Congregational Praise**  
**Dalby: 6.30pm : Celtic Communion**

**Andy McKinley**  
**Rev'd. Joanna Fisher.**

**Local Ministers for Patrick: Graham McAll : 840813 & Robert Quayle : 07624 483123**

**Wardens: Clare Quayle 417583 & Andy McKinley**

**Safe Guarding Officer: Sarah Hedley : 361763**

**Minister for Glen Maye : Rev'd Johanna Smart : 842202 & Rev'd Dr Janet Corlett 07624 301910**

**Steward: Paul Craker : 845681.**

**Secretary: Julia Sharples 840801.**

**Local Minister for Dalby: Cheryl Cousins: 843471**

**Wardens : Margy Killey:843768. & Pauline Killey 843494**

**Safe Guarding Officer : Paul Bergin 869306**



## **Weekly Diary Dates 2026**

**Anyone is welcome  
to come to any of these events**

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- **Sun 19<sup>th</sup> July. Glen Mave Flower Festival :**  
**11.00am -3.00pm** - followed by  
**Chapel Anniversary Service at 4pm. Tea & Cake Served** . Come & See Our Wonderful Displays!
- **Mon 20<sup>th</sup> :** an invitation to come join us for our monthly Gathering this Monday ( the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month ) in the schoolrooms, starting with a bring & share Supper at 7.00pm. A time for us to chill and catch up with one another, and to explore developing Community together. Anyone wanting to journey a deeper discipleship practice and shared rhythm of Life is always welcome to join us
- **Tues 21<sup>st</sup> . Coffee, Chat & Prayer.** A warm welcome to all. Join us for a relaxed hour of friendship, conversation and prayer. Tea, coffee and tasty bits to enjoy! Everyone welcome! Completely free every Tuesday 2.30pm - 3.30pm. Peel Methodist Church Friendship, Conversation and prayer community. . Come along - we'd love to see you!
- **Tues 21<sup>st</sup>: Dalby steering group 7.00pm**
- **Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> Dalby Ducklings.**
- **Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup> Meditation at Dalby from 7.30-9.00pm:** following the practice of WCCM ( the World Community of Christian Meditation) a time of exploring a deeper inner stillness and silence before God. You don't need to have meditated before to join us, everyone welcome.
- **Sat 25<sup>th</sup> :** Hartes Ease are giving a concert in St John's Methodist Hall at 7.30 pm. The programme contains music from the 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> Centuries for viols, recorders and harpsichord. Refreshments will be served after the concert. The event is free attendance but donations would be welcome in aid of the Venezuela Earthquake Relief.
- **Sat 25<sup>th</sup> July to Sat 1<sup>st</sup> August: St Maughold's Week** celebrates the heritage of the Island's patron saint. He is said to have arrived at Port Moar near Maughold in a coracle from Ireland, during a storm in 450AD. There is something different on every day of this Heritage week, flyers are available in churches Or see: <https://www.facebook.com/KirkMaughold/>

### **St. Maughold's Festival Week :**

**Sat 25<sup>th</sup> : Pilgrimage Walk to St Maughold**, meet at Christchurch Dhoo. Approx. 5miles.

**3.00pm : Afternoon Teas at Croit Foxe.**

**4.00pm : 1<sup>st</sup> performance of Organism II** by Tigor Miklos, sound artist & experimental musician working with space, memory and & deep listening.

**5.00pm Celtic Compline** in North Keeill, or the church.

**Sun 26<sup>th</sup> : 9.30pm Festival Eucharist**

**1.00pm. Young organist**, your favourite hymns played by Charles Kerruish.

**2.00pm : Towards a new understanding of the Maughold Crosses.**

**3.00pm:** Afternoon Teas at Croit Foxe

**4.00pm :** "Organism II" soundscapes by Tobor Miklosin Kirk Maughhold.

**Mon 27<sup>th</sup> : 1.00pm : Lunchtime Organ recital** by Linda Atkinson

**2.00pm:** Afternoon Teas at Croit Foxe

**4.00pm :** Organism II ( as above )

**7.00pm : Illustrated Talk by astronomer Howard Parkin MBE** on the "Star of Maughold" medieval image show the Saint being guided by a star, but is there any truth in the legend?!

**Triskelion Way** is a pilgrimage trail running 37 miles (60km) across the Isle of Man through stunning coast and hill scenery, linking the historic centres of Rushen Abbey, Peel Cathedral and Maughold.

<https://pilgrimageisleofman.im/triskelion-way/> Join us for part or all of a 4-day walk along the entire route, from **Friday 28 to Monday 31 August** - a chance to take time out for reflection, poetry, prayer, and silence. Ancient heritage will be visited along the way; keeills (early chapels), carved crosses and holy wells. The terrain varies from sheltered glen to rugged moorland, from high clifftop to dramatic waterfall.

Enquiries to walk leaders: Phil Craine 07624 437248 [philcraine44@gmail.com](mailto:philcraine44@gmail.com) and Sue Jackson 07624 432814 [jacksonsanne@hotmail.com](mailto:jacksonsanne@hotmail.com)

**Imagining the World : The** Very Revd John Mann has written a book being published by Darton, Longman and Todd to celebrate the Creation Season. It is called 'Imagining the World' and has a reflection for each of the 34 days from 1st September to 4th October. It is designed for personal use, but, in addition, Louise Whitelegg has created a four-session study guide for use during September, or later, based on four of the thirty-four days of the book. That will be available during the summer, we hope, both in a form that can be downloaded and printed or read on a screen.. The books will be for sale through the Churches Bookshop at no cost to the shop, so each purchase means that the full price of £10 will support out Island's Christian bookshop.

**NB>If you'd like to have information in this news sheet** could you please send it through to Cheryl by Thursday . [cherylcousins@manx.net](mailto:cherylcousins@manx.net) Many thanks.