# Lonan & Laxey Pew Notes Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2022 The Fifth Sunday of Lent. Passion Sunday







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Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	†10.30 Service of the Word followed (after teas and coffee and cake have been served!!) by Annual Parish Church Meeting (APCM ) - commencing approximately 11.35
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	†3.00pm Zoom Prayer Meeting
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> April	†10.30 -12 Meet and Mingle at Christ Church Run by Live at Home
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> April	†10.00am Our final Lent Bible Study Group at the Football Club † 11.00am Time Together Ecumenical Prayer Group at the Football Club. Next week we shall join the Communion service at Coolroi † 2.00pm Laxey handbells Practice at Glena Mona Hall
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> April	<ul> <li>† 9.30 Clergy Prayers at Douglas</li> <li>† 10.30 Fees Meeting at Douglas</li> <li>† 2.00pm Wedding Meeting at Christ Church</li> </ul>
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April	† 12.30-2 Police Chaplain duty in Douglas
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> April Palm Sunday	† 10.30 Service of the Word at Christ Church
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> April	† 300pm Zoom Prayer Meeting

Readings Isaiah 43;16-21, Philippians 3:4-14, John12:1-8

# **Easter services**;

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> 11.00 Holy Communion Coolroi Lounge
Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> Mid day Holy Communion Peel Cathedral
Good Friday 15<sup>th</sup> Walk of witness -Stations of the Cross. Meeting for short service at
Christ Church 10.00am.All welcome even if you can walk no further
Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> Service of Light at St Adamnan's evening- time to be confirmed
Easter Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> 6.00am Greet the Dawn on Laxey Prom.
10.30am Service at Christ Church

### **Prayer for the Week**

Most merciful God,
who by the death and resurrection of
your Son Jesus Christ
delivered and saved the world:
grant that by faith in him who suffered
on the cross
we may triumph in the power of his
victory;
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 for ever.

Amen

### Thought for the week

The last two years have seen us unable to join together to hear the Easter message.

This Sunday is Passion Sunday.

I have put the Easter services on the front of the pew notes in the hope we can all be at all of them -unless work commitments prevent that for some.

From the shorts and tee shirt weather we enjoyed last week, as I type, the hail stones are falling.

We live through changes but are so much more fortunate than others around the world.

We continue to pray for the peace of the world and all who have been displaced by war .Jo

## **Diary Dates**

Easter Flower arranging course -date still to be confirmed

Quiz -Joint with Anti Cancer. Working Men's Institute **29<sup>th</sup> April.** Get your tickets now £10 from Church or Irene Clark. Bring your own food and drink and have a lot of fun as you support the work of the Lonan and Laxey Anti Cancer group and Christ Church.

Table Top sale in church May -date to be confirmed

Talk by Andrew Scarffe -Snaefell Mining Disaster **25<sup>th</sup> June** Christ Church

Glen Faber Chorale concert **20<sup>th</sup> July** Christ Church

Laxey hand bell Concert 6<sup>th</sup> August Christ Church

Dark Skies Isle of Man -talk Howard Parkin 30th September

**Welcome Centre VLV** We are ready now to welcome visitors, whom we need, to ensure the financial viability of the church . We need stewards to make it a better experience please. There will be a rota in church once Easter has happened.

<u>Church Garden</u> We are very grateful to Irene Clarke for having so lovingly cared for the garden in front of the church and the pots around the church. She has done it for a number of years and battled with the bunnies and sometimes cars. The time has come for us to say thank you as she would now like to hand the task on to someone else please. Let me know if you can take it on, otherwise Irene's last task will be to plant it with ground cover plants and pray that someone will keep an eye on the management of it.

**<u>St Christopher's</u>** We continue to collect for the young people -the box is at the back of the church.

**Bank** We still have several monthly planned giving donations, for which we are very grateful, going in to the Isle of Man Bank. Please could they be changed to Lloyds (see below)

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Please can you help support the church by setting up a standing order?? New Bank details are: - Lloyds Bank Account name: Lonan and Laxey PCC, the reference is "Planned giving", sort code is 301280 account number 46774760. **All contributions gratefully received**