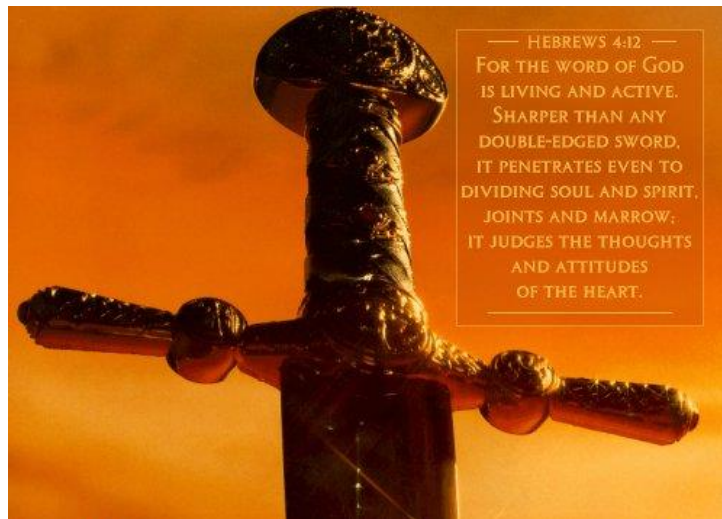


Lonan & Laxey Pew Notes
10th October 2021
Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity
Proper 23.



Sunday 10 th October	10.30 Holy Communion at Christ Church 12.30 Baptism Meeting
Monday 11 th October	3.00pm Zoom Prayer Group
Wednesday 13 th October	10am Cremation 11.00 Time Together -Ecumenical Prayer Group at Laxey Football Club 2.00pm Laxey handbells practice -Christ Church
Thursday 14 th October	10.00am Service of Holy Communion at Coolroi 10-12 midday Coffee and Chat at Laxey Football Club 11.15 Open the Book at Laxey School
Friday 15 th October	9.30 Clergy Meeting at St John's 7.30 Working Men's Institute joint fundraising concert with Lonan and Laxey Anti-Cancer featuring the Shenighans
Saturday 16 th October	10-4 Retreat at Thie Dy Vea
Sunday 17 th October	10.30 Harvest Thanks giving at Christ Church (error on last week's pew note showing incorrect time)
Monday 18 th October	3.00pm Zoom Prayer Group
Tuesday 19 th October	11.00am Interment of ashes at Onchan
Wednesday 20 th October	11.00Time Together at the Football Club 2.00pm Laxey handbells Practice

Readings Amos 5:6,7,10-15; Hebrews 4:12-16, Mark 10:17-21

<u>Prayer For the week</u>	<u>Thought for the Week.</u>
<p>O God, forasmuch as without you we are not able to please you; mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; 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.</p> <p>Amen</p>	<p>Our Gospel reading today is one of the best known Bible stories -see how Jesus quotes the Old Testament law. In our Old Testament reading we hear again how the people of Judah were challenged to live as God's holy people by being honest and fair, choosing good not evil. A challenge to us all. The reading from Hebrews reminds us how Jesus, the High Priest, has experienced human life...He understands us and will show compassion. Can we do the same to others? Jo</p>

Sunday 17th October (Next Sunday) will be our Harvest Thanksgiving Service...Ben will be with us from St Christophers and will take our produce with him. The ideal items to bring please are tinned and or long-life food and toiletries. By all means put them in nice containers and we will bring them to the Altar in the normal way in the first hymn of the service. The Bishops Harvest Appeal (Financial) is supporting UNICEF in its GIVE THE WORLD A SHOT appeal. UNICEF seeks to deliver two billion vaccines by the end of this year since 'we'll only ever be safe, if we're all safe.' . There will be a separate plate to accept your offerings for this -it would be easier on our Treasurer if you could do that by cash and not card- I appreciate as a separate church we did this some months ago.

A splendid result from our first fundraiser when Peter' Kelly's wonderful talk raised £220. Thank you everybody for your generosity.

Our future fundraising events.

Friday 15th October [GET YOUR TICKETS NOW](#) ..Shenanigans' concert at the Working Men's Institute. A joint event with Lonan and Laxey Anti-Cancer Group. A fun filled evening! £10 a ticket. Bring your own drinks & snacks. 19.30 start. Tickets: Tim, Christine or Keith. (and Laxey Pharmacy) There will be a raffle and an L & L Anti-Cancer stall. We need to sell many more tickets and would be pleased to receive raffle prizes.

Friday 29th October talk by Capt Stephen Carter. Helpers please with teas

Thursday 25th November talk by Howard Parkin. Helpers please with teas

Friday 26th November setting up for Village Christmas Fair 27th and 28th November

Thursday 9th December concert by Lonan and Laxey Community Choir.

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Please can **you help** support the church by setting up a standing order?? Bank details are: - Isle of Man Bank, Account name: Lonan and Laxey PCC, the reference is "Planned giving", sort code is 55-91-00 account number 12953458. **All contributions gratefully received**