

MOVING FORWARD TOGETHER

Newsletter Year 2 / 31

Sunday October 17 2021

Written as the Season of Covid 19 draws to a close..... hopefully!!

All of the churches in the Benefice of Redruth are OPEN at their pre-pandemic times

(except St Euny, please check with the ministry team for details of their new opening times)

THERE REMAIN SOME RESTRICTIONS WITHIN THE BENEFICE CHURCHES, PLEASE CHECK WITH THE CHURCHWARDENS FOR WHAT THEY ARE.

THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Dear Readers throughout the world,

You may know about the remarkable premises in Alma Place, Redruth. Commonly known as LORNA'S DROP IN. It provides help, guidance, reassurance and prayers for those who are often on the edge. At harvest time, Lorna is one of the 'go to places' for harvest gifts. Many of Lorna's people are outside of the foodbank's reach and so Lorna's help is essential. Lorna has written:

*To everyone who so kindly donated the gifts from your harvest festivals in support of local vulnerable people. In addition to practical help, having a Christian presence in the town people are developing a relationship with Jesus and seeking help from local churches. God bless
Lorna*

PS. Due to concerns about copywrite, this TOGETHER sheet will be unillustrated until the concerns are resolved.

With the love and assurance of our prayers as a new chapter begins for us all

The Rev'd Keith, Methodist Superintendent of Hayle, Camborne & Redruth

The Rev'd Caspar Bush, Rector of Redruth & Area Dean

Pastor Jenny Lockwood, Lanner Methodist Chapel

Jim Seth, Chaplain to The Readers

BARNBAS TRUST

Thank you so much for supporting the Pencoys Hall Harvest Picnic, £150.00 was raised at this the OCTOBER FIRST SUNDAY EVENT. This will be used by the Trust to support Christians who face persecution. Details of the NOVEMBER & DECEMBER EVENTS are listed below.

THE GOSPEL READING FOR TODAY: Luke 13 vv31 – end

This is a difficult passage but perhaps it centres on the need to keep going even though the task that lays before you is difficult and could end in personal tragedy. This course of action may

well have been something that others have warned you against, yet you feel you have no choice but to continue.

This is the way that many of the people that we call saints chose to take, that many modern day saints like Martin Luther King, Maximillian Kolbe and Mother Teresa of Calcutta have chosen. To go on with a chosen activity, a chosen act of protest a chosen lifestyle, despite all the advice to the contrary. As you read this passage, maybe you will remember moments when you have stood your ground and refused to compromise. Sometimes, each one of must seek to SPEAK TRUTH TO POWER and trust to God's love to guard and protect us.

THIS WEEK THE ANGLICAN CALENDAR REMEMBERS:

MONDAY OCTOBER 18 Luke the Evangelist

Luke was a dear friend of the Apostle Paul, and is mentioned three times by him in his letters. Paul describes Luke as 'the beloved physician' and as his only companion in prison. It is understood that Luke wrote the Gospel that carries his name and also The Acts of the Apostles. Luke's account of the life of Jesus has a pictorial style and it is from Luke that many of the stories that we hold dear are taken. He does not have the theology of Paul but sees the good news as being for all people regardless of who they are. It is believed that he wrote his Gospel in Greece and died at the age of 84.

TUESDAY OCTOBER 19 Henry Martyn Translator of the Scriptures Missionary 1812

Born in Truro in 1781 Hery went to Cambridge at the age of 16 where his friendship circle led to an interest in missionary work. In 1805, he joined the East India Company as a chaplain. He was a brilliant preacher, teacher and translator, although the Magnificat was forbidden lest it led to a revolution. He is famed for translating the New Testament into Hindustani, Persian and Arabic. He died in Armenia of tuberculosis

PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY OCTOBER 17: *The twentieth Sunday after Trinity*

"Who can then separate us from the love of Christ?" Romans 8 vv35

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO SEEK TO RIDICULE OR IGNORE A PERSON'S FAITH

MONDAY OCTOBER 18: Luke the Evangelist

"How wonderful and delightful it is for the believers to live together in unity" Psalm 133 vv1

PRAY FOR FAMILIES, ESPECIALLY FOR THOSE FAMILIES THAT ARE DIVIDED BY DISTANCE OR BY ARGUMENT, THAT THEY MAY BECOME ONE

TUESDAY OCTOBER 19: Henry Martyn Translator of the Scriptures Missionary 1812

"Throughout all this, we are conquerors because of him who loved us" Romans 8 vv37

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO FACE TRIAL EVEN THOUGH THEY ARE INNOCENT, FOR THOSE WHO ARE IN PRISON UNJUSTLY AND FOR THOSE WHO FACE DOMESTIC VIOLENCDE

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 20:

“Lord there is no-one who can oppose you when it is your will to save” Esther 13 v9
PRAY FOR CHARITIES WHO KEEP TRYING TO RAISE FUNDS TO BRING LIFE, HOPE AND COMFORT TO MANY

THURSDAY OCTOBER 21:

“Neither death, nor life, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height nor depth, nor anything in all creation will separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord”
Romans 8 vv38

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE SUPPORTED US ON OUR LIFE’S JOURNEY AND FOR THOSE WE HAVE LOVED, BUT SEE NO LONGER

FRIDAY OCTOBER 22:

“Your name O Lord endures forever, your renown O Lord, lasts throughout the ages”
Psalm 135 vv13

PRAY FOR THOSE WHOSE LIVES HAVE SPOKEN OF YOUR LOVE AND WHO HAVE NOT TURNED FROM THE PATHWAY OF TRUTH

SATURDAY OCTOBER 23: “It is not through their ancestry that people are regarded as children of God” Romans 9 vv8

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO SEE THEMSELVES AS SUPERIOR TO OTHERS BECAUSE OF PAST RELATIONS

HOLY COMMUNION AT HOME

Perhaps you are still receiving the Blessed Sacrament at home? Perhaps you are still zooming your Sunday Service week by week. No-one must do what they are not comfortable with, so this prayer may still be of use to you. The Redruth Benefice churches remain open for private prayer and weekday services of Holy Communion and now the Benefice churches are open as usual on a Sunday (check timings for St Euny). However you may well have taken the decision to STAY AT HOME. The following prayer will help you to receive the Sacrament at home when once you would have been in church, or even on zoom. A prayer is offered and bread is taken:

*As the seed falls into the earth and dies to give life to the grain,
As the corn is cut and crushed to make flour,
As the flour is baked and the yeast dies to give life to the dough.
As the bread is broken and eaten to give life to the body.
So Jesus, sitting with the disciples, took bread, broke it, and said:*

“This is my body broken for the world”

Eat the bread and remember Jesus

May God bless you on your journey and keep you safe.

FIRST SUNDAY EVENT

The November Event will be at Christchurch on **SUNDAY NOVEMBER 7** at 6.00pm. This will be a SERVICE OF REMEMBERING. Similar services will be held at:

Treleigh Church / Sunday October 31 / 3.30pm

Pencoys Church / Monday November 1 / 6.00pm

Four Lanes Chapel / Friday November 5 / 6.00pm

St Euny Church / Sunday November 14 / 3.30pm

The December Event will be at the Four Lanes Methodist Chapel, on **SUNDAY DECEMBER 5** at 6.00pm. It will be led by LUCIE R. And LISA C. (an ordinand on placement within the Benefice). The charity is to be decided.

SUNDAY AT 6.00pm

Still lighting your candle at 6.00pm each Sunday? If you are, THANKYOU. The list is updated regularly: This list goes all over the world and if you would like a name added, no matter where you are just let FP know at baptism66@gmail.com

IN NEED: Nigel, Olly, Morgan and all their family and friends, Peter & Maureen, Val., Mandy, Monica & Victor, Ian, Mist., Rose & Terry, Francis, Rex, Joy, Jamie, Marlene, Caroline & family, Mark Genower, Zoe, Isabelle & Andrew, Betty, Mother Shirley & Max, Baby Rosa, Rory and Liam in their grief and all of Tara's family

THOSE WHOSE JOURNEY IS OVER:

Jowan a young man who died suddenly, Jean Jackson

SUPPORT OUR CHRIST THE KING / SOCK

The Christchurch community thank you very much for your support and generosity which made SOCK1 such a success. £800.00+ was raised to support the church into the future. **THANK YOU!!**

SOCK2 takes place on SATURDAY OCTOBER 30 still at Christchurch, and still at 2pm – 4pm. The Church Council have met to decide on the attractions, so here are some of the events you can hope to expect

The famous CRAFT emporium

BINGO, featuring the four corners and the Olympics!!

Margaret & Vanessa's tea-room

A raffle

Revolving local history photos

The young people's OASIS

The donation washing line of socks!!

AND MAYBE MORE

SOCK3 takes place on SATURDAY NOVEMBER 27 still at Christchurch, and still 2pm – 4pm. The headline event on the pyramid stage (joke!!) will be the fabulous saxophone quartet; **THE FOUR TUNES**. This SOCK will have a distinctly Christmas theme.

DIARY DATES:

TUESDAY OCTOBER 26 / Pencoys Church monthly tea party continues 2.00pm – 4.00pm
SATURDAY OCTOBER 30 / SECOND Christchurch monthly gift day, 2.00pm – 4.00pm (SOCK)
SUNDAY OCTOBER 31 / Treleigh Church Remembers, 3.30pm
SUNDAY OCTOBER 31 / Monthly Pencoys Hall tea party, 4.00pm – 5.00pm
MONDAY NOVEMBER 1 / Pencoys Church Remembers, 6.00pm on ALL SAINTS DAY
THURSDAY NOVEMBER 4 / *‘Living in love and faith’*, face to face begins, place and time TBC.
FRIDAY NOVEMBER 5 / Four Lanes Chapel Remembers, 6.00pm
SUNDAY NOVEMBER 7 / Christchurch Remembers, 6.00pm on a FIRST SUNDAY EVENT
SUNDAY NOVEMBER 14 / Remembrance Sunday / at 3.15pm St Euny Church will remember
FRIDAY NOVEMBER 19 / Christchurch Patronal Dinner (restrictions permitting) 7.00pm
SUNDAY NOVEMBER 21 / Christchurch Patronal Festival with Bishop Hugh and the baptism of
Perran Knight-Bennett 3.00pm
TUESDAY DECEMBER 14 / Christchurch Carol Service, with the **SKYLINER BIG BAND**, 7.00pm

IN CASE YOU ARE STRUGGLING AND NEED A LISTENING EAR:

The Samaritans: 116 123 Anxiety UK: 03444 775 774

Mind: 0300 123 3393 Calm: 0800 58 58 58

Crisis text line (text) 85258 Child-line: 0800 11 11

Switchboard LGBTQ+?: 0300 330 0630

Go well on your Journey, and stay safe

