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Thank you and congratulations to all who were involved in planning and taking part in the Holy Week celebrations, which were live streamed.

As well as our two priests being present to lead the services, over thirty people from all of our seven communities took part in reading and providing the music – all accomplished while following the COVID 19 rules

A reminder!!

Are you one of those wonderful people who clean our churches, arrange the flowers or come into church to do any kind of job?

If you are, please make sure somebody knows that you are in church and let them know when you are safely back home.

The “buddy” system ensures that our volunteers are safe

Belated congratulations to Pat Mawdsley (Treaddur Bay) who celebrated her 80th birthday on 7th April. Many congratulations and best wishes to you!

Opening of our churches on Anglesey

It is important that our churches open as soon as it is considered safe to do so.

Five of our churches have been cleared to open by the Bishop

The Island Mission Group meet this week to discuss possible dates. No church will be open before the first week in May.

Details will be published in next week's newsletter

MIDWEEK SERVICE OF WORD EVERY THURSDAY MORNING AT 10AM VIA ZOOM WILL RESUME AFTER THE EASTER BREAK ON THURSDAY 15TH APRIL– This service is open to all. There is also time for a coffee & chat together after the Service.

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN OUR ISLAND COMMUNITY on SUNDAY 18TH APRIL AT 6PM FOR OUR ‘EASTERTIDE SERVICE OF WORD’ VIA ZOOM
Contact Pauline to request a link to the service.

CAFE COURSE: 'THE GIFT - A LIFE IN THE SPIRIT'

One of our parishioners, Jonathan Cannon, will lead a CaFE course: *'The Gift - a Life in the Spirit'* via Zoom. This is an inspiring and practical series aimed at people of all ages to help them encounter the Holy Spirit. Pope Francis has called us all to be *'Spirit-filled evangelizers, fearlessly open to the working of the Holy Spirit'*. It consists of six short films (thirty minutes) presented by well-known international speakers along with testimonies from laity and clergy. The teachings are relaxed, personal and informative, rooted in the Bible, the Catechism, Evangelii Gaudium and reflections on the Holy Spirit from Pope Francis. *The sessions will take place over 6 consecutive weeks beginning Tuesday 20th April at 7pm. Please contact Jonathan on cannonjon@hotmail.com for further details & to register.*

FUNERAL MINISTER'S AND BEREAVEMENT VISITOR'S SUPPORT MEETING VIA ZOOM FRIDAY 23RD APRIL 2PM

CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER LED BY SR MARY DARGIE VIA ZOOM:

This group meets once a month.
Next session Monday 26th April 7pm.

PRAY & PONDER THE SCRIPTURE VIA ZOOM: NEXT SESSION - TUESDAY 27th APRIL, 7PM

You are invited to join us. *Contact Pauline for the Zoom link*

Email Pauline to receive a Zoom link to any of the online activities

READING GROUP VIA ZOOM BEGINNING

WEDNESDAY, 21ST APRIL, 10AM:

'LET US DREAM – THE PATH TO A BETTER FUTURE BY POPE FRANCIS

Copies of the book have been ordered for those joining the Reading Group on Wednesday Mornings at 10am.
Recommended price £10.99 to be sold at £5 a copy to members of the reading group.

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS, 7PM, ZOOM GROUP

Talks from the Edinburgh Jesuit Centre: What would Pope Francis do?

To mark the eighth anniversary of Pope Francis' election, the Edinburgh Jesuit Centre hosted a series of talks, by prominent Catholic voices exploring the teaching of Pope Francis. Speakers are: Austen Ivereigh, Sr Imelda Poole MBE, James Martin SJ, Christopher Lamb, Dr Lorna Gold and Sr Gemma Simmonds CJ.

14th April 7pm: Austen Ivereigh on Social Justice

21st April 7pm: Sr Imelda Poole MBE on Refugees and Migration

28th April 7pm: James Martin SJ on LGBTQ+ Ministry

5th May 7pm: Christopher Lamb on Church Hierarchy

12th May 7pm: Dr Lorna Gold on Pope Francis on the Environment

19th May 7pm: Gemma Simmonds CJ on Women in the Church

Contact paulinepasassoc@btinternet.com to receive a Zoom Link to the sessions.

FRIDAY MORNING 11am ZOOM GROUP reflecting through conversation on

Talks hosted by the Scottish Laity Network

16TH APRIL: WHAT IS THE COVID-19 COMMISSION SAYING AND DOING THAT GIVES US HOPE? ~

LORNA GOLD Acting Chair of the Board of Directors of the Global Catholic Climate Movement and a member of the Vatican's COVID 19 Commission Economics Taskforce.

23rd April: What are the Economists saying that gives us Hope? ~ Katherine Trebeck

30th April: Hope in the Midst of Hopelessness ~ Omar Haramy

7th May: What do we have to do to give Hope to Refugees and Migrants? ~ Alison Phipps and Hyab Yohannes

14th May: How do we celebrate the Eucharist as an authentic sign and manifestation of Hope? ~ Tom O'Loughlin

Pray for the sick and housebound in our seven communities:

Anniversaries around this time;

Vincent Short, Mary Leech, Teresa Conroy, Mary Harkus, Maureen Williams, Jean Farimond, Pat Burgess, Ann McHugh, Doreen Chiha, Pauline Bryan, Mary Kilduff, Kate weir, Ann Philbin, Anthony Woolley, Elizabeth Gray, Winifred Maye, Margaret Robinson, Jeanette Acton, Mary Woolley, Pauline Jones, Tom McCormack, May Burgess, Margaret Mehegan, James and Patrick Duggan, Rosalie Freestone Bayes

Recently Deceased:

Rodger Hemington (ex Beaumaris), Don O'Neill, Kathleen Batten (Holyhead), Mark Youlden (Holyhead), Richard Conroy, Iris Angel, Joe Clementson (Rhosneigr), Nonie Gillan (Holyhead)

MAY THEY ALL REST IN PEACE.