**Dyffryn Clwyd Mission Area**

**Sunday 10th April**

**Sixth Sunday of Lent, Palm Sunday**

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| **Dyffryn Clwyd Mission Area Office****Office hours are as follows:-****Monday PM Tuesday All Day****Tel: 01824 707820**Email at admin@dyffrynclwyd.co.ukWeb address [www.Dyffrynclwyd.co.uk](http://www.Dyffrynclwyd.co.uk) | **The Collect**Almighty and everlasting God, in your tender love towards the human race you sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ to take upon him our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross: grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility, and also be made partakers of his resurrection; 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** |

**Prayers for those in particular need: PRAYER LIST REQUESTS WILL BE ENTERED FOR FOUR WEEKS THEN REMOVED.** If you would like us to continue to pray for someone, or add a new name to the prayer list – please e-mail the newsletter editor by **Wednesday lunchtime each week** on chamberlain786@btinternet.com

We pray for the Sick, the housebound and the infirm, amongst them: Bronwen Gibbs

We pray for the recently departed, amongst them: Jean Helen Nelson, Richard Aldrich, Bill Evans, Patricia Morgan

**Nursing Homes and Care Homes:** We continue to pray for all those who live and work in our nursing and residential care homes.

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**FOR SERVICES IN HOLY WEEK PLEASE SEE OTHER SIDE**

**Travelling Gosber & Evensong –** Once a month we will be holding the traditional services of Gosber & Evensong in different churches across the MA. The next will be Gosper on 24th April in Clocaenog

**23rd April – Coffee Morning at Ffiona’s in Hiraen** (More details to follow)

**23rd April – 2pm to 5pm,** Sharing the Gift of Meditation – an afternoon of exploring Christian Meditation. Please book with RichardCarter@churchinwales.org.uk There is a suggested donation of £10 for the afternoon.

**28th April, Easter Vestry 7pm in Llanfair –** This is an open meeting for everyone where we present our annual accounts, vote for our Wardens and Trustee’s of Mission Area.

**7th May –** Plant Sale in Llanbedr Church 2pm

**21st May Confirmation Service with Bishop Gregory –** 2pm in Llanfair DC, come and support our young people as they take the next step in their journey of faith.

**Church Camping (Champing?)** St Mwrog’s woud be grateful for any single quilt covers and single sheets for St Mwrogs camping!

**Stuart Evans, Good News**: Stuart has been invited by Bishop Gregory to accept the role of Honorary Canon at St. Asaph Cathedral. The new Canons will be collated at 15:30 on Sunday 15th May.

**Readings for Sunday 17th April (EASTER DAY)**

**Isaiah 65. 17-25 Psalm 118. [1, 2,] 14-24**

**Acts 10. 34-43**

**John 20. 1-18**

**Monday**

Seder Supper 6pm Llangynhafal

A family service where each will be given a small tasting plate of different foods which have symbolic meaning as we tell the story of the Passover.

**Tuesday**

A Holy Week Pilgrimage

Starting at Llanynys at 10am and finishing at Llangynhafal by 4pm

As we journey from Llanynys to Llanychan and on to Llangynhafal we will follow the narrative of Holy Week between Palm Sunday and Maundy Thursday

**Wednesday**

Family Activities for Holy Week

2pm in Llanbedr DC

Passion Narratives

2pm in St Peter’s Ruthin – a dramatic presentation of the Passion story from 7 eye witnesses

**Maundy Thursday**

Chrism Mass – 11am St Asaph Cathedral

Ceremonies of the Last Supper

6pm – Llanynys

7pm – Llanarmon

7pm St Peter’s Ruthin

7pm Clocaenog

8pm – Llanbedr

9pm – 12pm The Watch with Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane. *A time of silent prayer where people are able to come and go, spend 5 minutes or 3 hours watching with Jesus in the Garden.*

**Good Friday**

10am St Peter’s Ruthin – Childrens activities

10am Llanychan – At the Foot of the Cross

10am Clocaenog – Wild Chuch does Good Friday

12pm Llangynhafal – At the Foot of the Cross 12pm Llanarmon – Good Friday Liturgy

12pm Llanrhydd

1pm St Peter’s Ruthin

2pm Llanfair DC

2pm Llanbedr DC – At the Foot of the Cross

2pm Llanfwrog

4pm Cyffylliog

**Holy Saturday**

10am Old Church in Llanbedr DC – Morning prayer and meditation

8pm Llanfair DC – Mission Area Easter Vigil & 1st Mass of Easter –

*All Churches are to bring their Paschal Candles for blessing and lighting from the new Easter Fire*

**Easter**

9am Llanrhydd

9am Llanarmon Yn Ial *Followed by Easter Egg Hunt at 10am*

9am Clocaenog

10.30am St Peter’s Ruthin

10.30am Llangynhafal

10.30am Llanbedr DC

11am Cyffylliog

11am Llanfair DC

4pm Llanelidan

4pm Llanfwrog

4pm Llanynys

6pm Llanychan *followed by drinks*