

**Forget the mistake—remember the lesson !**

**Do not regret growing older—it is a privilege denied to many!**

**Join our 80+ Happy Birthday Corner!**

To include yourself, or anyone else in this, (with his / her permission, of course,) please get in touch now, with name and date of birth, even if the birthday is next year.

**Happy Birthday Blessings to:**

**Sheila Knowles: she celebrates 82 years on 1 August !**

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**Dates for your summer diary!**

**18 Aug :** Summer Ball

**02 Sept:** Late Summer Fair, St David's.

**Why was the image on the cover chosen for this month?**

Coloured glass, in a primitive form, was known to have been used in Egyptian and Roman times. However evidence of a more sophisticated style of stained glass in the UK, exists from Anglo Saxon times in the 7th century. As an art form, **stained glass** reached its height in the Middle Ages, when it became a major pictorial method used to illustrate the stories of the Bible to a largely illiterate population.

**Starting this month**, we are delighted to feature a selection of our magnificent stained glass windows, from all our churches. The first to appear on our cover is the TREE OF LIFE, or the JESSE TREE, in the Stanley Chapel of St Cybi. Visitors are entranced to see this genuinely "different" example from the William Morris Factory. It is unique in that, instead of depicting human figures or animals, it shows foliage and fruit, apples and pomegranates, the latter of which are symbols of the Resurrection. It was designed by Bowman and painted by Wren. Created in 1897, it was commissioned by Henry Edward, 3rd Baron Stanley of Alderley (1827-1903). He was the nephew of the Hon. William Owen Stanley, whose magnificent Carrara marble memorial is to be found in front of, and below, the window. Henry Edward, from a Christian family, had converted to Islam in 1862. He apparently built a small Mohammedan mosque, in Talybolion, north Anglesey. In 1869 he became the first Muslim member of the House of Lords. He was married three times, allegedly to the same woman, but had no children. In spite of his faith conversion, he paid for the restoration of four churches in Anglesey. By 2009, the weather had deteriorated the window to such an extent, that it had to be restored, by a specialist company in Chester. The result is both breathtaking and mesmerising! We are extremely fortunate in that we have been able to commission a top quality acrylic image of this window, which visitors and our own towns people can buy and enjoy in their own homes. We are the first church in Wales to achieve this! Please pop in and see our illuminated display, next time you are in town !

**NOW at St Cybi—ICONART acrylic transfers! These amazing pieces actually bring the powerful beauty of stained glass into your home! We all have glass doors and windows, so they can be used by anyone, any where. Choose from our varied range of nearly thirty pieces: favourite saints, angels, contemporary Celtic art, flowers, swans, the Tudor rose, and many more. These quality window decorations are fully repositionable—they 'self cling' due to static. Buy some for yourself—they are very collectable. They also make the perfect affordable gift, and are light to post. The cost is £5-50 for one or two for £10. Start your Christmas shopping early .....**

**BRO CYBI / HOLY ISLAND MINISTRY AREA**

**PASTORAL CARE CIRCLE**

**AUGUST 2017**



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**If you cannot come to church, the church will come to you! Our pastoral visiting team will be happy to include you, either for a visit or for a short celebration of Holy Communion: whether you are still in your own home, hospital or have moved into a care / nursing home.**

**Please remember, if we don't know that you need us, we sadly can not help you—so someone please get in touch on your behalf !**

**For anything to be included in this leaflet, please contact Pat: 01407 860412 or email: patriciahughes2017@gmail.com**

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**Your prayers for the sick are asked for:**

**Sunday (in all churches):** Mary Harvey, Billy Davies, Claire Brook, Dr Ken Roberts, Joanne, Lily, Nicholas, Reg Thomas, Nia, Sheila, Andy, Chris Evans, Mike Hanbury, Chris Hanbury, Gwen, Gwyn, Hannah, Hilary, Don, Shelley, David Alan Jones. Christopher and Catherine Browne, Rev. Clive and Kathleen Alder, Isaac Jones, David, Peter, Matthew, Rosemary Tucker, Pat Roberts.

**Please also pray for those who care for them.**

**Wednesday (St Cybi)** Mary Lewis, Elizabeth Jones, Betty Ashton, Peggy Manning, Trevor Peacock, Beryl Sanderson, Lil Morris, Angela Hillman, Menna Screech, Buddug Hems Williams, Annette Williams, Barbara Smith, Joan Read, Bob Hughes.

We also pray, in the words of the Prayer Book, for all those *"in trouble, need or any other adversity and for a happy issue out of all their afflictions"*. If you need us to pray for you for any reason, please let us know.

**Rest in Peace : 'I am the resurrection and the life' ...**

Sharon Jones, Gary Lloyd Jones, Glenys Koekenberg, Jean Owen, Victor Thomas, Ethan Barker, Stephen Martin Dundee, Audrey Jones, William Michael Roberts (Mike).

**Please pray for the families and friends who grieve for their loved ones.**

**Death steals the future we hoped for, but it can't take away the relationship that we had .....**

**Anniversaries of death**

**Aug 06—12:** William Evan Thomas; Dorrie Mortimer; David Lewis; Audrey Coyne ; Mel Morgan ; Godfrey John Tonkin.

**Aug 13—19:** Bob Parry; Elwyn Lewis; Dilys Beryl Edwards ; Ted Williams ; Hugh Williams ; Reginald Francis Wright.

**Aug 20—26:** Lily Hambley ; Eileen Kathleen Thomas ; William Sanderson ; Kenneth Lewis ; Susan Heath.

**Aug 27—Sept 02:** Hugh Richard Evans; Ambrose Atkinson .

**If you lost loved ones in 2016, and you wish to remember them in the Anniversaries of Death section, please get in touch as soon as possible. The fact that one of our clergy performed the ceremony, unfortunately does not mean that the name automatically transfers into the Anniversaries section. You need to request it please. It is very comforting to many people, to read and hear the name remembered.**

The Eucharist, and subsequent lunch in Holy Trinity Church Llandudno, to celebrate the fortieth anniversary of ordination of **Father John Nice** was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended. People important to the family during the many stages of his Ministry, from as far back as college days, were delighted to have been invited. Rev. Jane and Rev Christine together with fourteen members of our various local churches represented both his time spent here as leader of our faith community, and the fact that he has been the pillar of the pilgrimages to Walsingham.

**The Walsingham pilgrims have returned, and hope that the requested prayers and intercessions which they made on behalf of so many, bring comfort and peace.**

**Please pray for these persons baptised on:**

02 July: St Ffraid: Isla Grace Louise Williams

09 July: St Ffraid ; Cohen Vaughan Diamond

16 July: St Cybi: Vienna-Ivy Nicola Jones

16 July: St Ffraid: Milia Rose Monument

23 July: St Ffraid: Penny Annalise Ryan

**We welcome them as the newest members of our church family!**

**Please pray for these couples recently married—we wish them every happiness!**

08 July: St Ffraid: Daniel Parratt and Rosie Murphy

15 July :St Ffraid: Robert Glyn Jones and Claire Louise Jones

We thank all who have visited, and all who have helped in every way, to make the **St Cybi Flower Festival** such a success.

**Many thanks to all who travelled to Amlwch to attend the induction of the "Rev Kev", into his new Ministry area.**

**Every time you think you are being prevented from achieving something good, you are actually being re-directed towards something even better!**

**If you are lonely or feeling isolated, please get in touch with our Parish Telephone Team: Lorna 860191: Pat 860412: Betty 763868: Richard 762904 . We will be delighted to help....**

Thank you to everyone who helped in any way to make the Charity Shop a success .

**Interesting historical AUGUST dates ! On the 3rd in 1926, Britain's first set of electric traffic lights appeared on the streets of London. On the 4th in 1961, Barack Obama, 44th US President, was born in Honolulu, Hawaii. On the 6th in 1881, the discoverer of Penicillin, Alexander Fleming was born in Lochfield, Scotland. On the 11th in 1897,Enid Blyton, childrens best selling author was born in London. On the 15th in 1769,French Emperor Napoleon Bonaparte, was born on the island of Corsica. On the 16th in 1977 Elvis Presley died in Memphis aged 42. On the 16th, in 1888, T.E.Lawrence "of Arabia" was born in Tremadoc, North Wales. On the 17th, in 1896, Mrs Bridget Driscoll of Croydon became the first pedestrian in the UK to die after being hit by a car. On the 19th, in 1946, Bill Clinton 42nd US President, was born in Hope, Arkansas. On the 22nd in 1485, Richard III became the last English king to die in battle—killed on Bosworth Field. On the 24th, in 79AD, Vesuvius erupted in Southern Italy, destroying the city of Pompeii. On the 27th,in 1910, Mother Teresa was born as Agnes Gonxha Bojaxhiu, in Skopje, Yugoslavia. On the 28th in 1207, Liverpool was created a borough by King John.**

**Trearddur Bay Sailing Club**

Following a long-standing tradition, the TBSC once again opened the racing season with a Service of Dedication and Thanksgiving on the beach at Porth Diana. This year, the service was led by Revd. Jane, Les Shepherd and Commodore Charles Bangor-Jones. It was a privilege for Jane to bless 3 new Myths: Brizo, Chaos and Pluto.

We pray that, this season, all who sail and race in the waters around Holy Island may have the wind in the right direction and a safe passage home.