



## Justice & Peace Weekly Bulletin : 22 Sep 2021

Please send any comments or items for next week's news to  
Mary Bradley, 01326 312 768, [mary@corisande.plus.com](mailto:mary@corisande.plus.com)

---

### GOOD NEWS

- **CHRISTIAN AID WEEK**
  - The amount raised this year surpassed all expectations, about £5 million to date.
- **WALLY THE WALRUS**
  - Has been sighted in Iceland, identified by the scars on his two flippers. So he is well on his way back to the Arctic after his Cornish escapades.
- **CONSIDERING THE WELFARE OF STAFF**
  - Sainsbury's staff will not have to work on Boxing Day this year, in a gesture to thank staff employees for their work over the past year. Waitrose, Morrisons and M & S are doing likewise.

### FOR REFLECTION AND PRAYER

- **URUGUAY**
  - There are no officially recognised Christian Festivals in Latin America's second smallest country. Since the middle of the 19<sup>th</sup> century the leaders of the country have made every effort to expel Christianity from public life. But over half the population still consider themselves to be Christian.
- **TRELISKE**
  - Treliske is experiencing its worst crisis. Only critical surgery is being undertaken. There were recently at one time 50 patients with Covid. Each Covid patient takes the equivalent of 3 normal hospital beds. Patients are waiting for hours with their patients outside A & E. Also there were 100 patients able to be discharged but awaiting social care packages before being able to go home.
  - So PRAYER is needed
    - For overstretched staff,
    - An improvement in availability of social care packages,
    - For the urgent recruitment of hospital and care staff,
    - For the general public to take sensible precautions to reduce the current high rate of Covid.
- **COP26**
  - Pray for world leaders and for China, which has as yet made no firm commitment to participate.
  - For Boris Johnson and our own government to show greater leadership and take more positive actions to prevent climate change.
  - For those undertaking journeys to Glasgow, that protests will be peaceful and effective but not disrupt public life.

### ACTION OF THE WEEK

- Let us be joyful in hope.
  - "Lord help me to spread your beauty everywhere I go today"  
(John Henry Newman)