



NEWS

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PRAY FOR PEACE

Next Justice & Peace
Action Group meeting

TUESDAY 10 MAY 2pm St Mary's Church Hall Killigrew St, Falmouth All are most welcome

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EASTER

Christ is risen Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia Alleluia, his the triumph, his the victory alone Christ has broken every chain.

We believe this and know that indeed His is the victory alone.

Good has overcome evil and He said "I will be with you always, even to the end of the world"

It is in Him and through Him and because of Him that we have this Hope and Joy as we fulfil his mandate to bring about his Justice and Peace n our broken world today.

Alleluia

SAVING OUR PLANET

- Sir David Attenborough has been named "Champion of the Earth"
- Beavers are roaming the riverbanks of London again after an absence four centuries.

SINGING FOR UKRAINE

- Truro Cathedral Choir Choristers wanted to use their talents to help those caught up in the war.
- So they recorded Ave Maria, by contemporary Ukrainian composer Valentino Silvestrov.
- This was performed in the cathedral and released as a recording on YouTube, to be crowdfunded in aid of UNICEF.

FOR REFLECTION & PRAYER

THE RISING COST OF LIVING

- 40% of households have difficulty in making ends meet at present difficulty.
- Some people are giving their dogs to rescue homes as they can't afford to feed them. (As reported last week, one third of all meat produced is fed to pets).

CAR CHIEF'S PAY IS SHOCKING says President Macron.

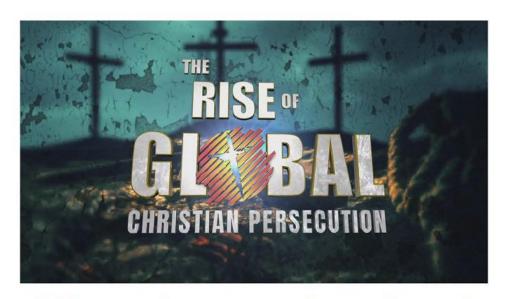
• The boss of carmaker Stellantis receives a salary of €19million, share options of €32million and a long-term bonus of €25million.

DEVON AND CORNWALL REFUGEE SUPPORT (DRSC) SPRING NEWSLETTER reports:

- The international stage has changed, bringing new challenges to our shores
- The new Afghan and Ukraine schemes bring new nationalities on top of the 50 we already cater for
- A UK wide housing crisis has also meant that hotels for asylum seekers have been popping up across the southwest with DCRS supporting an additional 100 people. As well as the drop in and advice service many new projects are in the pipeline to support the 600 people in the region, music group, walking, bike rides, visits to places of interest, etc. There are 9 staff and 30 volunteers.

- Look at the DRSC web site and "Falmouth Welcomes Refugees"
- Register for the June Conference re Persecuted Christians (see below)
- We continue to pray for Peace in all areas of conflict, especially Ukraine.

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Where do we go from here?

A seminal and forward-focussed Conference with leading experts:

Fiona Bruce: UK Special Envoy for Freedom of Religion or Belief

Baroness Caroline Cox

Bishop of Truro Philip Mounstephen

Mervyn Thomas (CSW)

John Pontifex (Aid to the Church in Need)

Paul Robinson & Revd Imtiaz Ahsraf (Release International)

Truro Methodist Church, Union Place, TR1 1EP

Monday 6th June: 1000 - 1630

Attendance is free but donations to cover expenses will be much appreciated. Parking in NCP car park next to the Church.

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