

PEACE THOUGHTS

Quotes from Pope Francis' most recent letter to the Church, 'Fratelli Tutti'.

"The recent pandemic enabled us to recognize and appreciate once more all those around us who, in the midst of fear, responded by putting their lives on the line. We began to realize that our lives are interwoven with and sustained by ordinary people valiantly shaping the decisive events of our shared history: doctors, nurses, pharmacists, storekeepers and supermarket workers, cleaning personnel, caretakers, transport workers, men and women working to provide essential services and public safety, volunteers, priests and religious....."

They understood that no one is saved alone." # 54

"We need to develop the awareness that nowadays we are either all saved together or no one is saved. Poverty, decadence and suffering in one part of the earth are a silent breeding ground for problems that will end up affecting the entire planet." # 137

WORTH WATCHING!

SUNDAY 9.00 pm BBC2: ENSLAVED

As it continues to piece together the methods of the transatlantic slave trade this episode tells the stories of those who resisted slavery, making the dangerous journey to freedom.

SUNDAY 10.00 pm BBC2: DETROIT

Film based on a true story during the summer riots of 1967 when a gang of police officers raided Detroit's Algiers Motel and terrorised its mostly black residents.

MONDAY 8.00 pm C4: TRUMP'S CORONAVIRUS CATASTROPHE

Investigates the President's policies and actions during the pandemic that has cost over 200,000 lives.

MONDAY 10.45 pm ITV1: IN THE SHADOW OF MARY SEACOLE

Acknowledges the contribution of Mary Seacole, a Jamaican nurse of Scottish and African descent, and follows the creation of a statue to her.

WEDNESDAY 7.25 pm PBS: THE CHOICE 2020: TRUMP vs BIDEN

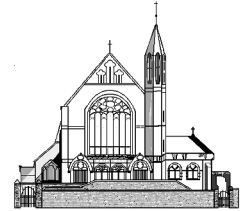
Explores the characters of the two candidates by examining formative episodes in their lives through interviews with those who know them best.

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17th/18th October '20 29th Sunday Year A P.145

MASS TIMES

Monday 9.00am Sacred Heart

Tuesday 9.30am St Michael

Wednesday 12noon Sacred Heart

Thursday 7.00pm St Michael

Saturday 6.30pm Sacred Heart

Sunday 10.30am St Michael

Funeral Rachel Doyle Thursday 22nd 12noon St Michael

GOSPEL THOUGHTS Matt 22: 15-21

It is no use shouting at the wind or telling the tide to go back! The weather is beyond human wishes and government policies. Covid19 is defying presidents and prime ministers

There is a wisdom in knowing there is truth and power bigger than us. Our temper and bad moods often arise from not being in control.

The Pharisees were used to being in charge and jealous of Jesus' authority. To undermine him they tried to put him in a bad light. Jesus has got a bigger picture. He calls us to a wider view; knowing God is in charge.



REMEMBERED

...during Mass
Elizabeth Howarth, Rachel Doyle
Leah Melia, Joan Baker
and members of our
own families who have gone before us.
You are remembered at every Mass.

SYNOD 2020 (2021)

This Sunday, September 18th is **SYNOD SUNDAY**.
The revised timetable is as follows:

- From today until early December, there will be opportunities to look at the summary list of proposals and let your Synod Members know which you feel are most important.
- March 2021 - the proposals that will be voted on at Synod 2020 will be published.
- March - June 2021 Synod members will arrange local reflection and discernment on the Synod proposals to help inform their vote.
- 16,17,18 June 2021- Synod meets
- 28 November 2021 - 1st Sunday of Advent - Publication of the Pastoral Plan.
- More info: synod2020.co.uk

CHURCH DOORS OPEN

...for private prayer and reflection, with social distancing,
Tuesday mornings in October,
St Michael's,
9.15am 'til 12noon.

FOOD AT THE DOOR

Your kindness goes a long way.
Thank you for your response. We will call on you again.

CHURCH IS NOW OPEN FOR MASS!

Church is as safe as possible for you to visit.
Face masks, sanitizing of hands, one-way system,
and only every second bench for social distancing.

Come and see for yourself!

Please bring your face covering with you.

FUNERALS

...are difficult at any time and in the present cautious time even more so. Please pray for and think about our bereaved families who are coping with government restrictions at this time as our parish keeps company with them.

Thursday 22nd Oct St Michael's Rachel Doyle

STREAMING OF MASSES

www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk

This also includes activities for youngsters.

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY 2020

CAFOD envelopes are one way of keeping company with families all over the world.

FAMILY FAST DAY is an invitation to think and act as a family at home. Talk to each other at meal times, while choosing what you want to eat, about other families who have no choice. Please pray for all those affected by coronavirus but who do not have a health system like ours.

Consider returning the CAFOD envelope or if you wish, please donate online at: cafod.org.uk/give. **Thank you.**

FIRST COMMUNION FAMILIES

The parish catechists who prepare the children for First Communion plan to meet to work out next steps.
Watch this space for further developments.

PASTORAL AREA TEAM

The pastoral area is made up of a number of parishes all working together. The priests meet and the parishioners meet as well. At these meetings plans are made to encourage everybody to play their part in the life of the faith community, and to grow in the faith through involvement. Interested?