#### PEACE THOUGHTS

The important evolution is the one that happens in ourselves.

This is the one that makes us aware of all life around us.

Then we come to realise that we are simply one more part of it, not more than all of it.!'

'Nature never meant for people to be hungry, dispossessed, and drinking polluted water.

Nature yields more than enough for every person on earth to live a decent life.

So what's stopping that?'

'It is not our kind of life that counts where the world is concerned.

It is the whole web of life that is important to us all.'

From 'We Are All One' by Sr. Joan Chittister OSB,

#### WORTH WATCHING!

SUNDAY 11.15 pm BBC2:

DONALD TRUMP: ALL AMERICAN BILLIONAIRE

First shown in 2010, this film tells the story of the property developer turned US president.

MONDAY 7.30 pm BBC1: BRITAIN'S CORONAVIRUS GAMBLE Asks whether the government's initial pursuit of 'herd immunity' prior to lockdown was a sound strategy or a reckless gamble.

MONDAY 9.00 pm BBC2: ONCE UPON A TIME IN IRAQ More powerful testimonies from ordinary people embroiled in the traumatic events of the Iraq War including an Iraqi woman and a high-ranking officer who question whether there are 'any benefits from this war'.

THURSDAY 8.00pm CHANNEL 5: THE RIVER MERSEY:THEN AND NOW

The history of our river, which played a key role in World War II and which has been at the heart of the shipbuilding industry for 180 years.

THURSDAY 9.30 pm ITV1:

MADELEINE McCANN: THE HUNT FOR THE PRIME SUSPECT Reports on the latest developments in the mysterious disappearance of the three-year-old in 2007.

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# THE PARISH OF ST MICHAEL AND SACRED HEART

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18th/19th July 16th Sunday Yr A P.106

GOSPEL THOUGHTS Matt. 13:24-30



'Weeds among the wheat'.

Jesus' choice of images comes from his love of slow learners. Don't judge others from their present actions, but be patient. God is patient with you and is even now giving all of us another chance to get it right.

After our mistakes or just our inability to understand, Jesus says that God waits until we might get things right later. In love of us, God is putting off 'Harvest time'. Let us use this new time well.

Thanks to our team of Volunteer Stewards for giving us their time. We can only offer mass when at least two stewards are able to be present. Sooo...just this week...

# 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

"It is so good to receive Communion at last."

A Parishioner

# REMEMBERED

...during Mass with a congregation:
Fr. John McCormick, Brenda McNamara,
Broderick family, David Young, Andrea Grant
and members of our own families
who have gone before us.
All families, slowly venturing out
with their 'face covering' to hand,
you are remembered at every Mass.

# SYNOD 2020 (2021)

#### NEW SCHEDULE June 2021.

What were your joys and anxieties during lockdown?
Your family experiences, the way society and the Church reacted will be valuable material for the SYNOD.

Please send your insights to this website

www.synod2020 or the parish.

Your contributions will be very welcome.

#### LET US PRAY

Come Holy Spirit,
fill our hearts with wisdom, love and courage.
Guide us in prayer and action
as we journey towards Synod 2020
to become the Church you are calling us to be.
We ask this through Christ, our Lord.
Amen.

#### CHURCH DOORS OPEN

...for private prayer and reflection, under strict rules, Tuesday mornings, St Michael's, 9.15am 'til 12noon. Social distancing.



#### PREPARING TO OPEN AGAIN

Visiting church is a <u>one way system</u>.

You will be encouraged to only move when asked and only forward and never returning or passing others.

Only <u>every second bench</u> may be used.

<u>Social distancing</u> will mean about 30 people at any Mass!

If you can go to Mass during the week, it will take the pressure off Sunday Mass. You will need your <u>face mask</u>. There will be <u>sanitizing</u> of hands on entering and leaving.

<u>Communion will be distributed after Mass</u>, as the faithful leave church.

All arrangements are to keep you and others safe.

We're here for you when you feel ready.

Anyone willing to be a steward?

### STREAMING OF MASSES

# ARCHDIOCESAN RESOURCES

www.liverpoolcatholic.org
They also include <u>activities for youngsters</u>,
Very worthwhile for a lock down time!

#### FIRST COMMUNION FAMILIES

Archbishop Malcolm has recorded a video specially for you as you wait to celebrate the sacrament.

You'll find these under,

'Prayer and Other Resources'

and then 'Family Life'. at www.liverpoolcatholic.org

ALL OUR FAMILIES
ARE IN OUR THOUGHTS
AND PRAYERS EVERY DAY.