#### PEACE THOUGHTS

'A Christian who withdraws into themselves, hiding all that the Lord has given them, is not a Christian!'

'Be generous with your God-given talents for the good of others, the Church and our world.'

'Do not bury your talents, those gifts that God has given you!

Do not be afraid to dream of great things!

Put them at the service of the Gospel, with creativity and boundless charity.'

Pope Francis

'If a person is called to be a street sweeper, they should sweep streets even as Michelangelo painted, or Beethoven composed music, or Shakespeare wrote poetry. They should sweep streets so well that all the hosts of heaven and earth will pause to say, here lived a great street sweeper who did the job well.'

'If you can't fly then run, if you can't run then walk, if you can't walk then crawl, but whatever you do, you have to keep moving forward!'

'Show me how to take who I am, who I want to be, and what I can do, and use it for a purpose greater than myself.' Martin Luther King Jr

### WORTH WATCHING

MONDAY 8.00pm C4: IS YOUR ONLINE HABIT KILLING THE PLANET? Are the biggest tech. giants as environmentally friendly as they claim?

MONDAY 9.00pm C4:

LOCKDOWN CHAOS: HOW THE GOVERNMENT LOST CONTROL Charts how the government lost control of events during the crisis and reveals how some firms have been making millions from the pandemic.

<u>WEDNESDAY 7.30 pm BBC1: THE HOME I CAN'T AFFORD</u>
Explores how uncapped service charges in the Government's shared ownership scheme leave many owners in debt from costly repairs.

THURSDAY 7.30 pm ITV1:

BUILDING NIGHTMARES: HOUSE OF HORRORS
Do builders face enough checks and balances?

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# THE PARISH OF ST MICHAEL AND SACRED HEART

Fr. James Nugent Pastoral Area St Michael's Church, Horne St, L6 5EH Sacred Heart Church, Low Hill, L7 8TN Tel: 0151 263 6578 Confessions: Saturday 12noon St Michael's



14th-15th Nov 33th Sunday

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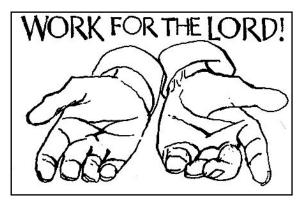
## PRIVATE PRAYER TIMES

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

GOSPEL THOUGHTS Matt 25: 14-30

What are you best at? It is important to focus on what you are good at. To occasionally sit still and simply know you are good at this or that. It can be an act of gratitude to God who made you.

It is as if God has given us a start so we can be worthwhile to other people around us.



The gospel story seems to be encouraging us to get on with being talented among each other. It is one way of knowing God when we use our skills to benefit those we deal with. The Creator is clever. We are the evidence when we act generously with personality and experience. We are called to delight in that ability and grow and develop with yet more talents for others.

Celebrate your abilities and seek more, says Jesus.

## REMEMBERED

...during Mass
Pauline Maher, Margaret Cave, Mary White,
Henry Owens, Abraham Skariah, Robert Barlow,
and members of our
own families who have gone before us.
You are remembered at every Mass.

## **SYNOD 2020 (2021)**

From now and until December, you have an opportunity to look at lists of possible proposals. Please read the two lists to date and <u>circle</u>, <u>underline or highlight</u> the ones that interest you the most. Do return your marked leaflets, please, when you come to church.

You can also go online: synod2020.co.uk

#### 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 2021
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, with social distancing, at the following 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

# CHURCH IS OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

Church is not open for Mass. We are not allowed any communal prayer and we are 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!
Pray quietly and before the Blessed Sacrament.
Please bring your face covering with you.

## STREAMING OF MASSES

www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk
This also includes activities for youngsters.

#### CITIZEN ADVICE HELPLINE

These days, hard working families can find finances difficult.

There is advice available in case there is support you have not yet called upon. Free, impartial and confidential advice if you are in debt. But also to maximize your income before you get into debt.

Call a free advice helpline 8am-8pm Monday - Thursday 8am-4pm Friday 0300 330 1196 debthelp@caliverpoolgmmap.org.uk

#### WHITE POPPIES FOR PEACE

During November we remember. We will be selling white poppies for peace. The poppies will be on display as you leave. The (suggested donation is 50p). White poppies remember all affected by war including civilians and support the work of Peace Pledge Union. Thank you. (For more details: www.ppu.org.uk)

## **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.

Your prayers are promised for the families of Pauline Maher and Mary White.