PEACE THOUGHTS

Pope Francis tells us:

'Saints are not superhuman. They are people who love God with all their hearts and who share this love with others.' The Catholic Worker social activist, Dorothy Day, was such a person. Here are some of her wise words.

'I have long since come to believe that people never mean half of what they say, and that it is best to disregard their talk and judge only their actions.'

'The Gospel takes away our right forever, to discriminate between the deserving and the undeserving poor.

> 'We must talk about poverty, because people insulated by their own comfort lose sight of it.'

'Charity is only as warm as those who administer it.'

'I really only love God as much as I love the person I love the least.' 'The only thing we can do about people is to love them.' 'The final word is love.

WORTH WATCHING

SUNDAY 10.00pm C4:

AMERICAN NIGHTMARE: TRUMP'S BREADLINE KIDS

Hard-hitting report follows 3 children and their families in Ohio, where the pandemic has exacerbated their struggle to survive under the presidency of Donald Trump.

MONDAY 7.35pm BBC1: IS TIKTOK SAFE?

Is the social media sensation that distracted us during lockdown safe for its users?

MONDAY 8.00pm C4: BRITAIN'S COVID JOBS CRISIS

With 1,000 people applying for a minimum wage job in a restaurant, this report highlights today's employment crisis precipitated by the pandemic.

TUESDAY 9.00 pm BBC2: AUNG SAN SUU KYI: THE FALL OF AN ICON Explores how, in recent years, the Nobel Peace Prize winner and now a leader in Myanmar, has been condemned for inaction over atrocities against Myanmar's Rohingya Muslims.

WEDNESDAY 9.00pm BBC4: THE DISORDERED EYE

A disabled artist and filmmaker questions whether good eyesight naturally equates with great art and looks at modern and historical artists through the lens of their impaired vision.

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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

GOSPEL THOUGHTS Matt 5: 1-12

"Holy, holy, holy...." is the happy, raucous song that fills heaven. All our family and friends are causing the chorus to swell with joy. Beyond those familiar to us, all those who ever lived, our sisters and brothers. a number impossible to count enjoying ecstasy, are in raptures of delight.

This is the feast of All the Saints. Some have been canonized, others - maybe the

first 'hundred and forty four thousand', and yet others who had been

our heroes, but all those God has made, good and bad alike are redeemed!

Not only the acknowledged who have had statues made of them, but also those who have lived unnoticed, - all have a place in the choir. The humble, gentle and sad, those who forgive and the peacemakers, as well as the ones who mourn that violence is used to solve problems, are all gathered and comfortable in God's company.

We are encouraged to join in the song "Lord God of Hosts." Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the Highest! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest."

REMEMBERED

...during Mass
Terence Callaghan, Koudjo & Eya Kpeglo,
M.K. Philip, Jane Edwards, K.P. Joseph
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 on line: **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,
Tuesday mornings,
St Michael's,
9.15am 'til 12noon.

FOOD AT THE DOOR

Your kindness goes a long way. Ring pull cans with a whole meal.
Thank you for your response.

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.

STREAMING OF MASSES

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

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY 2020 THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS.

There is still an opportunity for you to return your envelopes sitting around your house! or if you wish, please donate online at: cafod.org.uk/give. Thank you.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS

The parish catechists who prepare the children for First Communion, working with our schools, have discussed how we can move forward. First Holy Communions this year will take place at special masses during November. This is to enable us to keep church safe for our parishioners and our families.

BAPTISM

We have four families asking for Baptism. The parish Catechists are planning a response. Please welcome the families if you spot them.

WHITE POPPIES FOR PEACE

As November approaches 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)