

PEACE THOUGHTS

About the parable of the Good Samaritan:
'I imagine that the first question the priest and Levite asked was:
'If I stop to help this man, what will happen to me?' But, by the very
nature of his concern, the good Samaritan reversed the question:
'If I do not stop to help this man, what will happen to him?'
Martin Luther King Jr: **Strength To Love**

The poor and needy are not 'the other. They are myself in different
circumstances. They remind me that I am only one incident away
from losing what I think I am entitled to.

Walt Whitman writes,

'I do not ask the wounded person how they feel:
I myself become the wounded person. I feel their pain!'

Scripture is teaching us not to count anybody out,
to be open to surprise.

It is telling us that every person we meet
is a potential source of life for us,
if there is only enough heart in us to accept it.

Sister Joan Chittister OSB

It is one thing to talk about caring for the needy;
it is another to make it happen -
even in our own town, our own institutions, in our country.
If you want to make a difference, the next time you see something
cruel being done to another human being, take it personally!
Brenee Brown

TV WITH A CONSCIENCE

For challenging and insightful world news follow Aljazeera English online.

MONDAY 8.00pm C4: SECRETS OF THE SUPERAGERS

In a new series, Doctor Michael Mosley travels the world to reveal the
science behind longevity.

TUESDAY 10.45pm ITV1: SYCAMORE GAP: UK'S LOST LANDMARK

What is the story behind the wanton destruction of a 150-year-old tree
that caused such shock and sorrow across the nation?

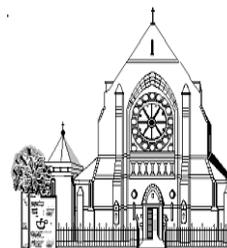
THURSDAY 11.00pm BBC2: HUMAN

Fascinating exploration of how humanity evolved to become the dominant
form of life on earth, focusing on key moments.

THURSDAY 9.00pm C4: TRUMP: MOSCOW'S MAN IN THE WHITE HOUSE

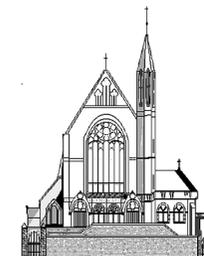
Investigates the factors that might underpin Trump's relationship with
Putin.

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MASS TIMES

Monday 12 noon Funeral Alan Towey Sacred Heart

Tuesday 9.30am St Michael

Wednesday 12noon Memorial Mass Brenda Horan St Michael

Thursday 7.00pm St Michael's

Saturday 6.30pm Sacred Heart

Sunday 10.30am St Michael

GOSPEL THOUGHTS: Luke 10:25-37



Someone tripped
over outside the
supermarket and their
shopping spilled onto
the pavement. Four
people rushed to help
them. Anyone in need
is to be befriended by
the compassion within

each of us. We are built with an inner feeling and
conscience. It is an instinct before it becomes a decision.

Jesus' job is always to reveal what his Father is like.
We have all fallen short of acting in the image of God.
Full of compassion for us, God did not pass by us without
intervening and forgiving our hesitations and excuses.
He became the victim on the cross who forgives.

We are to find our purpose and peace of mind in
loving God and our neighbour.

Do not be silly and ask Jesus "Who is my neighbour?"

REMEMBERED...during Mass

Catherine Lally, Brenda Horan, Michael (Alan) Towey,
Huda Assad, Patricia Short Richard McArdle.
Please keep these families in your prayers.

LIVERPOOL PEACE MARCH

The weekly march through town for peace with justice for all in Palestine, Gaza/Israel continues on **Sunday, 13th July at 2.00pm** starting at the RC Cathedral. All are welcome!

SUNDAY LUNCH

The Sunday Lunch Team will be taking a summer break from today. We will be back on Sunday 7th September to once again prepare and share food with friends who come to our door.
A BIG THANK YOU
to all who have contributed in so many ways, with time, donations and prayers. We truly appreciate all you have done.

CONFIRMATIONS 2025

Are you waiting to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation?

Only for those who have completed the online course.
A date has been established.

One of the bishops will celebrate the sacrament on 24th September at St. Anthony's church. Time to be confirmed.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

The Archdiocese is offering a four-session course for engaged couples, led by trained lay facilitators. The next course is on Monday evenings 6.30 - 8.30pm. Beginning 29th September at St Helen's, Crosby.
Course fee: £50 per couple. Contact: m.mui@rcaol.org.uk

PARISH FAMILY PICNIC

Come along play games and have some fun.
Bring your own picnic, a drink and something to sit on.
All children should be accompanied by their parents /carers.
Saturday 12th July 2.30 - 5pm
at The Irish Centre.
Looking forward to seeing you all there!

UPCOMING PARISH ACTIVITIES

PARISH FAMILY PICNIC - Saturday 12th July, 2.30pm at The Irish Centre.

PARISH PEACE VIGIL - Tuesday, 15th July, 5.00pm at Sacred Heart

PARISH FORUM

At the Parish Forum meeting parishioners gathered to make plans. Amongst other things, we looked at finances, how we might listen to our young people and made final plans for redecorating the 'big meeting room' (in the next two weeks!!)
Come along next time and plan for the future of our parish!

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Please be in touch if you are interested in this very worthwhile work.

ARCHDIOCESAN YOUNG ADULT GROUP

Meets fortnightly at the Pauline Book Centre, Church Street, L1 3AY. The next meeting is on 22nd July from 18.30pm, for anyone, 18-35 years. The group will be, 'Praying with Blesseds Carlo Acutis & Pier Giorgio Frassati', followed by food and refreshments.
Contact: m.mui@rcaol.org.uk for more info.

PARISH PEACE VIGIL

While wars rage across the world and our own nation grows rich from the sale of weapons that fuel such wars, will you add your voice to the cry for peace in our world?
We next meet on Tuesday, 15th July at 4.30pm outside Sacred Heart Church to witness for peace and to repent of our complicity.
Please join us!

SUMMER SCRIPTURE EVENINGS AT IRENAEUS ADVENTURE WITH THE SPIRIT

16th July, 7.00 - 8.30pm at Great Georges Road, Waterloo, L22 1RD.
More information and zoom links available from
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