

PEACE THOUGHTS

Regardless of the particular shape we give to our lives, Jesus' call to discipleship is primal, all-encompassing, all-inclusive, demanding a total commitment. One cannot be a little bit for Christ, give him some attention, or make him one of our many concerns.

The way of Jesus is radically different.

It is the way not of upward mobility, but of downward mobility. It is going to the bottom, staying behind and choosing the last place. Why is the way of Jesus worth choosing? Because it is the way to the Kingdom, the way Jesus took, and the way to everlasting life? To be a Christian who is willing to travel with Christ on his downward road, requires being willing to detach oneself constantly from any need to be relevant and to trust ever more deeply the Word of God.

Henri Nouwen

TV WITH A CONSCIENCE

MON 9.30pm BBC2: AIDS: THE UNHEARD TAPES: IGNORANCE

The series begins with the advent of HIV/Aids, forty years ago, its devastating effect on lives in the UK, the reaction of British society and the resolve of the gay community to take control of their own health and destiny.

MONDAY 11.00pm BBC4: HIROSHIMA

Drama-documentary charting the political and social impact of the nuclear attack on the Japanese city of Hiroshima in 1945 and exploring the reasoning behind the decision to drop the bomb.

TUESDAY 8.30pm BBC1: HONG KONG: LIFE UNDER CRACKDOWN

Follows journalists and protestors who have lived through the Street Protest Movement, both as activists and reporters, many of whom are now in prison.

THURSDAY 8.30pm ITV1: SIDE HUSTLES:

HOW TO EARN MORE MONEY?

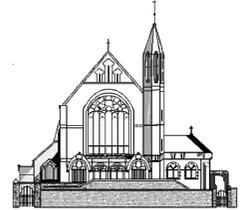
As the cost of living crisis escalates, more than a million people have taken on an extra job or 'side hustle' to make more money. What is it like to juggle more than one job at a time?

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THE PARISH OF ST MICHAEL AND SACRED HEART

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Confessions: Saturday 12noon St Michael's



25th/26th June 2022 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time P46

MASS TIMES

Monday 9.00am Sacred Heart

Tuesday 9.30am St Michael

Wednesday 12 noon Sacred Heart

Thursday 7.00pm St Michael

Saturday 6.30pm Sacred Heart

Sunday 10.30am St Michael

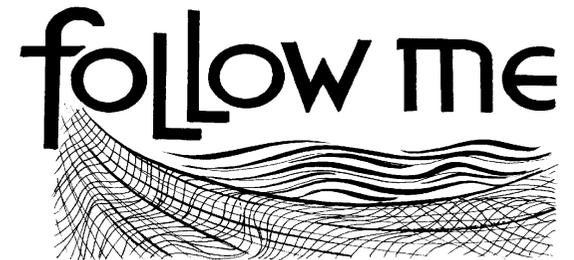
GOSPEL THOUGHTS Luke 9:51-62

"Mum where is my uniform?". Parents are people with responsibility. Being needed is important not only for the one looked after but also for the one who can be of help. Without purpose or responsibility we are not yet anybody.

Jesus' task was to love, especially those in need, revealing God's boundless love and forgiveness. Many people appreciated his presence but some were disturbed by his transforming work. The changes he was working threatened some folk's superiority.

Tenaciously helping those who needed change he had to gather courage to love those who resisted. "Jesus resolutely took the road to Jerusalem." Determined to be something of his Father's love for those who were worried would not be as pleasant working with those who delighted in him.

No excuses. It is our turn to love those who respect us and to turn around and love those who resist us.



REMEMBERED

...during Mass

Stephen Riley, Sr Leesa F.C.C.,
Felicia Banienuba, Pat Muir, Michael
and all our family and friends who have gone before us.

PASTORAL PLAN

One of the four signposts that emerged from the work that we in our local church have been doing over the last few years is "Embed synodality in every aspect of archdiocesan life."

PARISH FORUM

....The new Deanery Synodal Council will have a mix of people. Representatives will consist of a lay person from each parish and three priests. Parishioners; non-clerics, family members and people who work to pay the bills will make up the majority of members. Their agenda will be how to be the Church among and for the local families and their concerns. We are looking for someone who can fulfil this role. Terms of Reference are available.
Speak to Fr Fitz or one of the Forum members

Inside Public Spaces!

We would always want to be polite to those who are careful/ anxious. Therefore we ask you to consider continuing to wear a face mask and to sanitise in church.

NEWSHAM AND WEST EVERTON COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

Scripture Nights First Wednesday of the month
7.pm -8.30pm SFX Shaw St
Begins Wednesday 6th July Tel 0151 298 1911

School Masses a delight

Watch this space
St Michael's Wednesday 29th June 9.30am
Sacred Heart Wednesday 13th July t.b.a.

You are welcome.

"God is Present "

FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS

Our 'With You Always Holy Communion Programme' is completed. Congratulations to all the children who have received their First Holy Communion so far.
Please make the families welcome when you meet them at mass. Do keep our schools and young people in your affection and prayers. Our 'Home, School, Parish partnership' is alive and well.

EMMAUS GROUP - 'God for grownups.'

An hour for adults to look at our faith for our own time. A chance for conversations about our life and responsibilities in the light of the gospels. Interested?
Occasional Sundays at 4.00 pm.
Next meetings are 10th, 17th and 24th July .

Red Boxes

WELL DONE! £704.02 has been counted and collected. The Mill Hill missionaries are thrilled and grateful.

Pilgrimage to WALSINGHAM 21st October 2022

For more information ring Ronnie or Joan
0151 475 0284 or 07905039356

Pax Christi

Is the International Catholic Movement For Peace. Our next meeting is **Thursday 30th June at 2pm** .
St Michaels Parish Rooms . You are welcome

CLEANER VACANCY AT ST. MICHAEL'S SCHOOL

St Michael's Primary School are looking for a cleaner to join their team. The hours are 12.5 per week (3.30-6.00pm during term time and 8.00am-10.30am during school holidays). Please call the school office for an application pack on 0151 263 8460 or download from the school website.