

**"Have faith and see
the Truth of Our
Words, children.
We are your
Heavenly Friends.
We are your God..."**

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Editorial

The Messages

The Messages this month evoke a great excitement in us. The Father, Son and Holy Spirit speak to us of the Great and Eternal Sacrifice of the Mass and the Power therein. They speak to us of the new Chaplet of Life and of the moving back to the Faith in the world. They tell us that we are part of the Justice of God when we pray this Chaplet for all our brothers and sisters in the world. Even our God is excited as His children begin to wake from their sin and return to Him!

We have also been given two new prayers this month, one to Our Lady and an Act of Contrition. Jesus said that He is giving us these new prayers to help us to return to Him and that they will help us see and understand His Sacrifice for us.

In another Message, Jesus speaks to all those who feel pain. He tells us that He sees us and is with us; that He is our strength to bear all. If we trust and believe in Him, He will see us through.

Pro-Life

As you know, we recently celebrated the Feast of the Annunciation which we hold as our 24 hour International Day of Prayer and Fasting Against

abortion. As you will read in Saint Michaels article, this seems particularly important in this time as the House of Lords in Britain voted in favour of decriminalizing abortion up to birth! The article entitled 'Pro-Life Vigils' is also about abortion and puts a face on babies who would have just become a statistic had Pro-Life groups not intervened.



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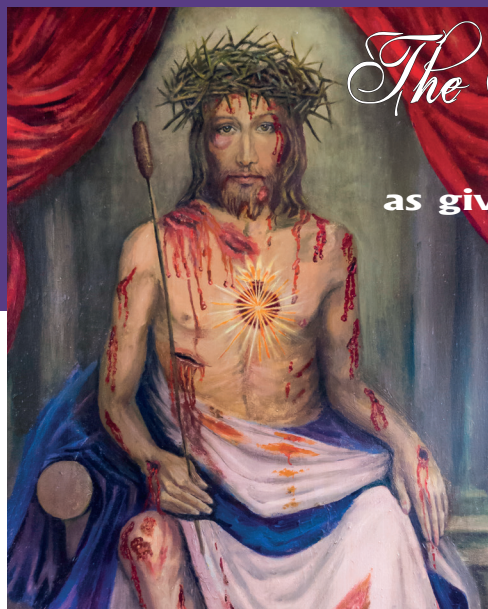
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The Messages of Love

as given to the two Patricks

Monday 2 March 2026

My children, have faith in Me and do not give in to sin. Sin is what blocks you from coming to Me. Sin clouds your vision and so My Truth is blocked from you through your own free will. Remove the sin from your lives so that the scales fall from your eyes then, you will see clearly.

Trust Me, children, and be obedient to My Words. Come, find Freedom, the Freedom that only comes from Me, your God.

Trust Me.

I Love you.

Tuesday 3 March 2026

Come, children, take on My Words and become lights that shine My Love to those around you. Love your enemy, do good to those who persecute you and then, you truly will walk the Path of God. Forgive all those who would offend you or try to harm you. Show only love.

Be the light I want you to be and you will become a disciple of Love. Trust Me, children.

I Love you.

Wednesday 4 March 2026

My children, look around you at this world. See how those in power do not see the truth of their evil actions. Pray, children, for your leaders for they condemn themselves through their actions. Pray that they repent before it is too late. Pray for their victims for their suffering is great.

Soon, I will be forced to put a stop to their evil. lucifer is using them like puppets in order to destroy all life but, this, I will not allow.

Trust Me, children, the peoples of this world will be shocked when they see the results of their own actions. Pray, children, and offer your prayers to Me through the most Holy Sacrifice of the Mass and I will change this world. I will change all through your prayers and the Sacrifice of My Son.

Trust Me, children.

I Love you.

Thursday 5 March 2026

Come, children, and see the Truth of My Words and say many prayers for those in need. So many have chained themselves to the

sin of this world that has been promoted as Truth but, is the lies of lucifer. Pray, children, that My Grace penetrates the hearts that have turned cold through their addiction to sin.

Trust Me, children, and avoid the Internet. Use it if you have to but avoid the call of the demons that control it through sin. Trust Me, children, you can feel its calls especially when you enter its domain. Use it if you have to but, leave it when you are finished so that you do not become caught in the web of sin that it promotes through desire, greed, lust and fornication. The list of sins go on and on, children, it is a web of lies that has been designed by lucifer in order to trap those who give in to its calls. Look in Truth, do not justify and you will see.

I Love you.

Friday 6 March 2026

Children, look at this world and see the evil that mankind allows himself to be drawn into by the lies of lucifer. Great changes are on the way, brought about by the blindness of mankind and the sin that has been given so freely to lucifer.

I will show this world the Truth. I will put an end to the lies of lucifer then all will be able to decide, in their free will, who or what they wish to believe in. Trust Me, children, and prepare. The days that are left are few before all My Words for this time are fulfilled.

Trust Me.

I Love you.

Saturday 7 March 2026

My children, come walk with Me on this Journey of Love and you will see the Wonders of your God come to life. Say My Chaplet of Life. Say it so that you come to understand the meaning of My Sacrifice. Each time you say it, a Grace is imparted to you that will build the Truth of its Words within your heart. Then true faith will, once again, begin to be seen among those who truly wish to follow Me in Truth. This prayer is the Gift of Our Father, to this generation in order to bring Truth back to the peoples of this time.

Watch and see, children, as its Power of renewal is released into this world. Look at its Words. It is offered through the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass and so holds the Power of My Passion, Death and Resurrection.

Prepare, children. All is changing. Trust Me.

I Love you.

Tuesday 10 March 2026

AN ACT OF CONTRITION

Heavenly Father, I ask that You Forgive me my sins, through the Blood that Your Son, Jesus, spilt for me on the Cross of His Love.

I acknowledge that Your Son, Jesus, paid the ultimate Price for the Forgiveness of my sins through His Passion and Death upon the Cross of His Love.

Father, through the Teachings of Your Son, Jesus, I will try to change my life.

From this day forward I will try my best to fight against the desires

of self that lead to the path of sin, so that my Friend and my God, Jesus, does not have to Suffer for any more of my sins.

Father, through the Power of the Holy Spirit, please inspire me to always walk away from all occasions of sin so that I can appease the Pain of Your Son, Jesus.

Be with me, Heavenly Father, in my daily life.

Protect me and guide me away from the snares of the devil so that I can remain true to the Teachings of my God and Saviour, Jesus, the Christ.

Amen.

Wednesday 11 March 2026

PRAYER TO OUR

HEAVENLY MOTHER, MARY

Mary, our Heavenly Mother, You who were wounded by having to watch Your Son, Jesus, be Crucified and Die upon the Cross of His Love, we ask that You pray that we always remain true to the

Teachings of Your Son, Jesus.

Teach us, Heavenly Mother, to have a true understanding of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass and how Your Son, Jesus, Died for the Forgiveness of our sins.

Heavenly Mother, be with us in our daily lives and at the hour of our death.

Present us to Our God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Help us, Heavenly Mother, to walk away from all occasions of sin so that We may glorify Our Father, through Our Love of Your Son, Jesus, the Christ.

Amen.

Wednesday 11 March 2026

Trust Me, children. I introduce you, once again, to the Truth of what My Son, Jesus, did for all mankind when He gave up His Life so that you could have Eternal Life, with Me, in the Kingdom of Heaven. I give you these prayers so that you will come to see the Truth of what My Son, Jesus, did for you.

I will hear your prayers and open the hearts of those who cannot see the Truth of what My Son, Jesus, did for all mankind. Children, you do not realise the true Friends you have in your God and all those who dwell in the Kingdom of Heaven. I, your Father, My Son and My Spirit are your Friends. Mary, the Mother of My Son, Jesus, She who is total obedience and answered My Call, is your Friend. All the Angels and Saints of Heaven are your Friends. Call upon any of Us in faith for help and We will move



to your aid immediately.

Many times you think We do not hear your prayers and so do not answer. I tell you, children, We hear all prayers and answer. Trust Us and see your life change. Just because you do not see results in the way you expect, it does not mean We did not answer. Trust.

I am renewing this earth. I am Teaching all mankind the Truth of what My Son, Jesus, did for Our children.

Trust Me, children, Our Father untangles the web of lies, that was created by lucifer, with the sin of mankind and He now Breathes New Life into all people. The Church, that I created through My Life, Passion, Death and Resurrection, is being renewed and the cancer that has infected its Truth is being destroyed through the Blood I shed for all mankind.

Children, you, My remnant, are a part of the Justice of your God when you offer your prayers through the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Our Father is using them to cleanse My Church and this earth. Trust, children, all is as I have said.

Make haste.

I Love you.

Thursday 12 March 2026

Children, come and feel the excitement of your God as My people begin to awaken from the slumber of self that the lies of lucifer has placed them in. Trust Me, children, you will see the results of the prayers that you offer to Me through the Holy

Sacrifice of the Mass. The peoples of this earth will, once again, begin to recognise what I did on Calvary. Our Father has begun the renewal of faith. Most of those who say they follow Me, have forgotten what I did through My Passion, Death and Resurrection.

Trust, children. Say the Chaplet of Life for your families, your friends and see your prayers come to life.

Our Father uses your prayers to awaken those whom you pray for. Trust Us, children. We are at work gathering Our remnant from the nations. We Three are One God and We will renew the face of this earth.

Trust Us.

I Love you.

Friday 13 March 2026

My children, feel the call of your God as I call My remnant to My Side. Trust Me, children, and know that this world is changing as My Grace is poured out through the prayers of you, My remnant. I will show the Truth of what I did for this world, through My Passion, Death and Resurrection. The Truth of My Sacrifice will be seen and, once again, the Power of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will begin to flow back into this world. The scales will fall from the eyes of the blind as My Truth begins to Touch those who have not recognised their God for many years.

Watch the Power of your God at work, children. Watch, as the peoples begin to seek Me out. You, children, must be ready to help

those who come seeking Me.
Trust Me, children, die to self and
I will fill you and you will become
a light in the darkness.
Trust Me and prepare.
I Love you.

Saturday 14 March 2026

*Jesus speaks about the new prayers
that He has given over the past
few months.*

Have faith in Me, children. I
give you these prayers to help
you return to Me. Each of these
prayers have a Grace that will
build in you as you say them.
They will help you begin to see
and understand the Truth of My
Sacrifice.

Trust Me, children. I do not give
these prayers to take away from
any other prayers but I give them
to help you understand the Truth
of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass
and help draw those, who are far
from Me, back.

Trust Me, children, I will help you
understand the meaning of these
Words when you begin to walk
towards Me. Begin to remove the
sin from your lives. Take one sin
and work on removing it from
your life before trying to remove
another. If you try to do too much
at once, the burden will become
too great and you will fail. A little
at a time, children, and you will
overcome.

Trust Me.
I Love you.

Monday 16 March 2026

Come to Me, children. Trust in
the Words I give to you. Believe,

children, all is as I have said and
little time is left for you to make
ready. Soon, I will need your help
gathering My Flock.

Trust Me and be obedient by
preparing.
I Love you.

Tuesday 17 March 2026

Feast of Saint Patrick

My children, it is your God who
speaks, trust Me. Our Father is
changing this world. Children, the
change only seems like a little at
this time but, soon, all will see the
changes, as He calls His people
back to the Truth.

Feel the excitement of your God
as Our people begin to return.
Our Love for mankind is great. It
wounds Our Hearts each time a
person is lost to Us through sin.
Trust Us, children, We are at work
in this world and We will Save all
those who wish to be Saved.

Trust Us, We Love you. We are
One God and We will find all the
lost sheep who wish to be found;
no one will be left behind.

Trust Me, children.
I Love you.

Wednesday 18 March 2026

Believe in the Words I speak. See
as this world is taken away from
the liars who now control it. I am
at work, children. As I have said,
change is happening and soon all
will see if they are willing to look.
Trust in Me.

I Love you.

Thursday 19 March 2026
Feast of Saint Joseph

My children, it is your God who speaks. Look around you, children, are My Words not being fulfilled? Have I not told you the way things would be. Children, I have told you how to prepare yet, so few have taken on My Words. I will force no one to listen to Me. So many are being lost in this time and so many are in need of help to return.

When you offer any prayer to Me through the Great and Eternal Sacrifice of the Mass, then your prayer becomes more powerful in ways that you cannot truly understand. You are helping those who are in need. If you take on My Words you will see all the hidden dangers and so be able to overcome the snares of the devil. Trust Me and be obedient to My Words and I will keep you safe. Trust Me.
I Love you.

Friday 20 March 2026

Gather to Me, My children, and open your ears and your eyes. Look about you; you do not realise just how blind and deaf you are. Everything that you see and hear

is changing and, because you do not follow Me in the way that I ask, then you cannot see the changes. I am in the world, in the Tabernacles of the world. They are the Light of the world; have you not seen this?

4 I must work the works of Him who sent Me while it is day; the night is coming when no one can work.

5 As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world.”

John 9:4–5

I am the Light of the World; I am your Light. You block My Light because you put many things before the Light that I give, you do not wish to see the Truth of My Light. Without My Light, you cannot see what the world does, how it takes you from Me. You must be about the Father's business as I am for this is the Way to follow Me.

9 I am the door. If anyone enters by Me, he will be saved and will go in and out and find pasture.

10 The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly.

John 10:9–10

Self is a thief of My Word in you. Self prevents you from following Me. Self is what you must die to. I have given you the Ways in Scripture to follow Me, to know how I wish you to live in the world as My followers. If you do not read it, how do you know how I think, how do you know how to



follow Me? You do not have the answers that you seek about the world and its destruction because you are blinded to My Word by self. Many of you have ideas about the world and what will happen and what is happening but, you stand in blindness and your ideas are human. My Ways are far above your ways and your ideas.

Find Me and My Ways in the Tabernacles of the world, sit with Me, be silent and Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

30 For My yoke is easy and My burden is light.”

Matthew 11:29-30

Friday 20 March 2026
Message from Our Lady
at Kerrytown, Donegal

Come and see what the Father of All has given to you. Notice, children, that in the Chaplet of Life you say, we and us. This is because, when you say it, you are joining in with all your brothers and sisters throughout this world who are also in the act of saying this prayer. You cannot see or understand what Our Father is doing for His people. He is using your prayers to rebuild the faith of all those who are lost in sin but wish to return.

Trust and say this prayer, as often as you can, and you will see the results of your prayers. Trust and believe. Sit with My Son in front of His Tabernacle and He will build your faith. Begin to see and understand what My Son did for

all mankind through His Passion, Death and Resurrection.

Each time you go to Mass, realise that you stand at the foot of My Son's Cross as He Suffers and Dies, so that you can have Forgiveness and be made worthy of Eternal Life in the Kingdom of Our Heavenly Father.

Begin to see the Sacrifice of My Son as you enter the Church. Understand that My Son reaches out through time to take your sins onto Himself. See the Truth, children, and your life will change. Trust in My Son and He will guide you.

Believe, children, call upon Me and I will be with you.

Trust.

We all Love you.

Saturday 21 March 2026

Have faith and see the Truth of Our Words, children. We are your Heavenly Friends. We are your God. Mary, My Mother, is your Heavenly Mother. She will run to your aid and guide you. She never ceases to help all the people who ask. All the Angels and Saints are your friends. Call upon them and they will help. See the Truth of Our Words.

Children, see what My Son did for you on Calvary. See the Truth, see how He takes on your burden, your sin, so that you be purified through His Passion, Death and Resurrection. Believe, children, you are truly present at My Son's Passion, Death and Resurrection each time you attend the Great and Eternal Sacrifice of the Mass.

The Mass is the greatest and most powerful prayer that ever has been or ever will be.

See the Truth, children, and your life will change. Your faith will return and miracles will, once again, abound on this earth. You run around this world seeking healing and help yet, you do not see that your God is truly Present, Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity in every Tabernacle upon this earth. Ask Me with faith, children, and I will Touch you. I will heal the sick, I will give Life to those in darkness, I will Touch those in pain. Trust Me, children, the blind will see, the deaf will hear and the lame will walk for I am a God who is truly Present among His people. See the Truth of My Words as, once again, We call our children back to the Truth. See the Great and Eternal Sacrifice of the Mass for what it truly is; see yourself as you stand before your Crucified Saviour in the Mass.

My Son, Jesus, takes the burden of your sins onto Himself. He reaches out through time to each individual person as He gives His Life for the Forgiveness of your sin. See what I am saying. The return is still a trickle but, soon, will become a stream, a river and then a raging torrent. Prepare yourselves, children, so that you can help your brothers and sisters who are in need.

I Love you.

Sunday 22 March 2026

Look, children, and see the Truth of My Words. Look around this world, love has grown cold.

Mankind now only looks to the good of self and so, is easy prey for the snares of lucifer.

Children, wake up, see the Truth and begin to change. Seek out the Love of your God for there you shall find Peace. Come to Me in prayer; sit and talk to Me and I will guide you back to safe refuge. Trust Me, children, accept My Love and you will find Peace. I Love you.

Monday 23 March 2026

My children, have faith in the Words I speak. Come walk this Path with Me and the Wonders of your God will open before you. Children, I hear the many words spoken about Me by those who do not believe. I hear how they say that I am not real, that My followers are in for a shock when they die and do not find a God. I say, if you have not tried to find Me or, to do the things I say, then why mock what you have not tried and so know nothing about?

Come, try to find Me before you mock what you have not tried. When you make an effort to follow Me in truth, then I will come to you and guide you onto the Path of Truth that will lead you to the Wonders of your God. If you die to self and walk the selfless Path, then you may ask anything of Our Father, in My Name, and it will be granted. The blind will see, the lame will walk, the dumb will speak and the dead will rise. Trust Me, children.

There are but a few on this earth that have taken the time to walk this Path. I say, come join them

and My Army of Love will sweep across the nations of this world and reclaim all those lost souls, who wish to return.
Believe, children, it has begun.
I Love you.

Tuesday 24 March 2026

My children, I see you. I see you in every walk of life, I see you in every pain. Know that I share your walk and your pain. My own Pain is your pain. I bring you good things in your pain. Your pain is the way in which I bring you to Me, I give you My Strength to bear it.

Your pain calls to the depths of your soul to awaken the Graces I have already given when you asked before. They awaken to give you strength in your pain.

I know every pain that is in your heart and your soul for I have lived it before you: I Am. I would not put you through human pain if I had not lived it before you. Because I have lived it before you, I am your strength to bear it. Whisper My Name in your pain, knowing, believing, that My Strength is in you. Let your pain call Me in the depths of you. Knowing that I Am is with you, you can bear all things. I have told you this:

“My grace is sufficient for you, for My strength is made perfect in weakness.” Therefore most gladly I will rather boast in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.

10 Therefore I take pleasure in infirmities, in reproaches, in needs,



in persecutions, in distresses, for Christ’s sake. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

2 Corinthians 12:9-10

It is IN that call, it is IN that prayer, IN that faith of calling and, believing that I Am is with you that strength comes. In doing this, you move beyond the pain and gain the strength to bear it for My Grace is at work within you, cutting through self for I am beyond self, I am beyond the pain. I am in the upper reaches of your faith for faith does not need self, it is far beyond it.

Reach out beyond self and find Me there, waiting for you.

I Love you.

Tuesday 24 March 2026

Trust in Me, My children, I will not lead you astray. I will only lead you on the Path of Truth that leads to the Kingdom of Our Father in Heaven. Trust in the Words I speak and only look to the Truth of My Gospels and you will walk the Path of Truth.

Let Me guide you, let Me Teach you. Come to Me, sit with Me. Say My Chaplet of Life and I will Teach you of My Life, My Passion,

My Death upon the Cross of My Love and My Resurrection. I did this so that you could have total Forgiveness of your sins and so be able to enter the Gates of Heaven and stand before the Throne of Our Father. This, I gained for all, all those who are willing to accept what I did upon the Cross of My Love and are willing to acknowledge their sin and turn away from it.

Come, children, let Me Teach you. Let Me Teach you the Wonders of My Sacrifice in the celebration of the Mass, where the bread and wine truly does become My Body, My Blood, My Soul and My Divinity. It is truly Me, children.

I look upon you from My altars and Tabernacles on this earth. I reach forward through time from the Cross of My Love. I gaze upon you, My child, and I take your sins onto Myself. I make you worthy to stand in the Presence of Our Father, the Creator of All. I am what nourishes your soul, I am the Bread of Life, children. I am the Truth and there are many things you do not or cannot understand unless you are taught by My Holy Spirit. He came into this world to guide you, to Teach you but, He, too, has been rejected by this world.

Come, children, let Me Teach you, let Me show you the Truth of what Jesus did for all mankind. Let Me Teach you of the Wonders of Our Father, He who Created All that you can see and feel. So many Wonders that mankind cannot truly understand or see until they enter the Kingdom of Our Father

in Heaven.

Wake up and see the Truth, children, it is time. We are One God and We will reclaim Our Creation.

Prepare, mankind, the days are shortening. Your God walks among you.

I Love you.

Wednesday 25 March 2026
Feast of the Annunciation

Look to the Truth, children. See My Words come to pass; see the Gift of Life (*Chaplet of Life*) I have given to you. It is a weapon that cuts through the darkness of this world. It calls upon the Sacrifice of the Mass through which My Son, Jesus, gave His Life for the Redemption of mankind.

See the Truth of My Words, children. Look at the Gift that you have been given in order to break free of the darkness that has been created by the sins of mankind. Trust Me, children, all My Words will come to pass. We are Three in One God and We will lose no child of Ours who wishes to be found.

Open your eyes and see the Truth, children. You are now living in very dark times, times that you were told of by Myself and My Mother, through Prophets, Visionaries and Seers all over this world.

Wake up, children, and see the Truth. Time is so short and you have so little time left to prepare. Trust Me, I Love you, use the Gifts I have given to you. Become the lights in the darkness.

Trust in Me, your God.

I Love you.

Writing from the two Patricks

CLEAN PRAYER

Clean prayer

Jesus has been Teaching us about clean prayer. Clean prayer is prayer that is offered in Truth, not out of guilt or scruples. Jesus says, when we go to prayer, for example, say we are going to say the Rosary, He has shown me to simply offer that Rosary for whatever intention we have chosen. Avoid going down the path of thinking Jesus will feel left out if we do not include Him or, Our Lady will feel left out or, the Angels or Saints will feel left out. He assures us no one will feel left out if we do not include them. Jesus tells us not to go back over our prayer trying to find faults. We sometimes question ourselves, did our mind wander, were we daydreaming, did we not meditate. If we can't remember whether we did a certain prayer or not or, missed a prayer, it does not matter. Jesus says, simply offer our prayers without mulling over them as this is only going down the path of scruples where nothing is ever good enough.

Simply offer

Jesus tells us that when we go to prayer, we must simply offer our prayers and they will be accepted with joy. It does not matter that we may think they are not right. He says that, because we have given the time out of our lives to pray, then that gives Him, and all in Heaven, great joy.

We must not worry

So, we must not worry if our mind drifts in prayer. This happens to every one of us on this earth. All our minds can easily wander. As Jesus says, be happy in our prayers and offer them in truth. This is then clean prayer, not picked over by us.



HOUSE APPEAL

Message from Jesus
Saturday 28 February 2026

My children, once again, I ask for help for My Houses of Prayer. I call out to you in these Words. The more you help My Houses, in free will, the stronger they become spiritually. Yes, you do not understand what you are doing but, I tell you, you are building a mighty fortress that will stand for thousands of years against the attacks of lucifer. When you come to Me then you will truly see what you have built through your prayer, your sacrifice and your giving.

Trust Me and help My Houses. It is almost time and this world will see all My Houses of Prayer that We have built. Children, I am about to reveal them to this world. They will flare to life and shall become great Beacons that will draw My children back to My Truth.

Trust Me, children, a little longer.

I Love you.

We wish to sincerely thank all of you who have responded, thus far, to Jesus' request for help. Our debts are now reduced to £11,125. Your support and prayers are truly appreciated.

Jesus is asking for help, once again, with His Houses of Prayer. We do not want to ask but as Jesus would say to us, "why do you fear to ask My children? They are not your Houses, they are Mine. I am calling My children to help Me build My Houses".

We feel embarrassed when we ask for help as we know how much you continually help and have already helped in the past. The day to day running of all the Houses of Prayer, printing and postage of the Newsletters plus maintenance, quickly adds to the bills within the Houses.

We say again, the Patricks and the servants of the Houses, are volunteers. We do not receive a wage. All your donations go to Jesus' Work. Thank you for your help. We are struggling greatly at this time.

We can feel great things happening in this world. Yes, it looks dark. There are wars and rumours of wars, famines and natural disasters. Scripture is being fulfilled. Jesus has told us the Father of All is about to do something in this world. Jesus has not told us what it is but it is something good for all Christianity.

He is about to release His Messages into this world for He says thus far, He has only released them to you, His chosen, those whom He has chosen to build the foundations of the Messages of Love through prayer, sacrifice and giving.

We can feel the power of the prayers that He has given. We are hearing from many that already the Chaplet of Life, which they have been praying for family members and others, is producing miracles of conversion.

Thank You, Heavenly Father, that You have given these Words through Your Son, Jesus, to give us all in this world a chance to return.

The Two Patricks



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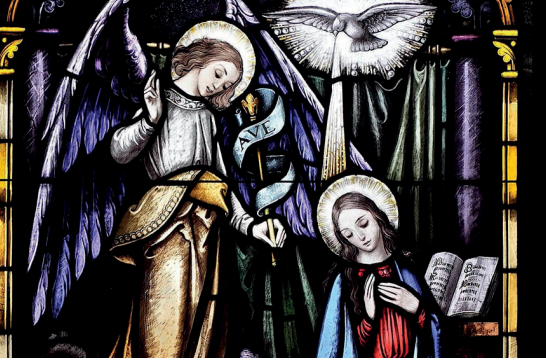
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Feast of the Annunciation

International twenty-four hour Day of Prayer and Fasting

Every year, on the Feast of the Annunciation, we hold our International Twenty-Four Hour Day of Prayer and Fasting Against Abortion. The Annunciation is a very poignant Feast Day for this cause as it is traditionally the day when Mary conceived Jesus.

Prayer and fasting

As well as the prayer and fasting, we hold a silent anti-abortion march around Cookstown, displaying images of the real truth of abortion. This year, our Walk was on Saturday 21 March. We walked around the town silently, as always, displaying the images of what abortion actually is. We could see some people who drove past and seemed annoyed by our presence, while others smiled and waved out at us in support.

The children

The thing that touched me this time was the children. It was a really good day and there were a lot of children out playing. Many of them stopped what they were

doing and came over to the side of the road to see what the March was about. As I have said, we display graphic images of aborted babies and I remember thinking to myself, some parents will be really annoyed by this. But then I thought to myself, this is the generation that the world hides the Truth from. God, religion, morality is not a part of school education anymore and these little ones are bombarded from every side with things that are not of God: social media, internet etc. But these, I thought, are the generation that will turn abortion around.

We sang the song given by Jesus, 'Never Felt the Wind' twice on



our walk and many of us prayed silently on the way round. We hope and pray that the Truth of abortion was seen on this Day.

Prayer Room

On the 25 March, we kept the Prayer Room manned for the twenty four hours. We had times of Community Prayer also, in which we prayed the Baptism of the Unborn. The Prayer Meeting that evening was beautiful and during the praying of the Chaplet of Life, I was asking Jesus to touch all the hearts that are involved in the abortion industry, from the medical staff to the mothers themselves. I believe that this Chaplet is very powerful and, through it, I was reminded to offer the prayer and fasting that day to the Father, through the Sacrifice of His Son, thereby making our tiny little offerings much more powerful. We must always remember that it is a spiritual battle that we fight and it needs fought with spiritual weapons. Thank You, Jesus, for a great Day.



PRAYING THE CHAPLET OF LIFE

A powerful prayer

I have found the Chaplet of Life to be a powerful prayer.

One Friday night, my daughter hadn't come home from school. She phoned me to tell me she was going to hang out with her friend and had to turn off her phone to save the battery as it was low. I wasn't happy about that and told her to be home before it was dark. It was dark at 6pm and my husband and I were getting worried and annoyed because she still wasn't home and she wouldn't reply to our texts. My husband had to go to football with our son and decided to drive around the town in the car looking for her. He didn't see her and they went on to football.

Pray with all my heart

It was the first time she had done this. She is a twelve year old girl. As soon as my husband and son left the house, I decided to pray the Chaplet of Life for the whole situation. I was very distracted, imagining the worst. But, in the last decade, I put my thoughts to the side and really focused on the words and tried to pray with all my heart, pleading for Gods help. As soon as I did that, my daughter phoned and I arranged to meet her on foot and she was



home safe soon after. I was so glad and grateful to God for such an immediate response.

All hell broke loose

On another day, another situation arose. I don't want to get into it but it was like all hell broke loose and I had no idea how to deal with it, how to get around it, or over it or what. It occurred to me to pray the Chaplet of Life. After praying it, I stood up and it just popped into my head that there was a wound within me and the name of it. I immediately burst into tears and it was like a boil had been lanced, the melting pot eased, the physio-therapist found the spot. I took baby steps along the path forward and could see that Jesus had flattened it for me. All was well! This probably doesn't make sense to anyone but I believe these two favours have been granted by this powerful Chaplet. I pray it daily and hope that Jesus can Save millions of souls with it.

Thank You, Holy Trinity, for everything.



RISE FROM DEATH TO LIFE

We saw this in the God Calling book and wanted to share it with you to help lift our hearts to the mystery of Easter and our Risen Lord.

April 9 – Risen Life

“Arise, shine; for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee.” Isaiah 60:1

The Call comes on this My Day for all who love Me, to arise from earthbands, from sin, and sloth and depression, distrust, fear, all that hinders the Risen Life. To arise to Beauty, to Holiness, to Joy, to Peace, to work inspired by Love and Joy, to rise from death to Life.

Remember that death was the last enemy I destroyed. So with death My Victory was complete. You have nothing then to fear. Sin, too, is conquered and forgiven, as you live and move and work with Me. All that depresses you, all that you fear, are powerless to harm you. They

are but phantoms. The real forces I conquered in the wilderness, the Garden of Gethsemane, on the Cross, in the Tomb.

Let nothing hinder your Risen Life. “Risen with Christ,” said My servant Paul. Seek to know more and more of that Risen Life. That is the Life of Conquest. Of that Risen Life was it truly said: “I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me.” Fear and despair and tears come as you stand by the empty Tomb. “They have taken away my Lord, and I know not where they have laid him.”

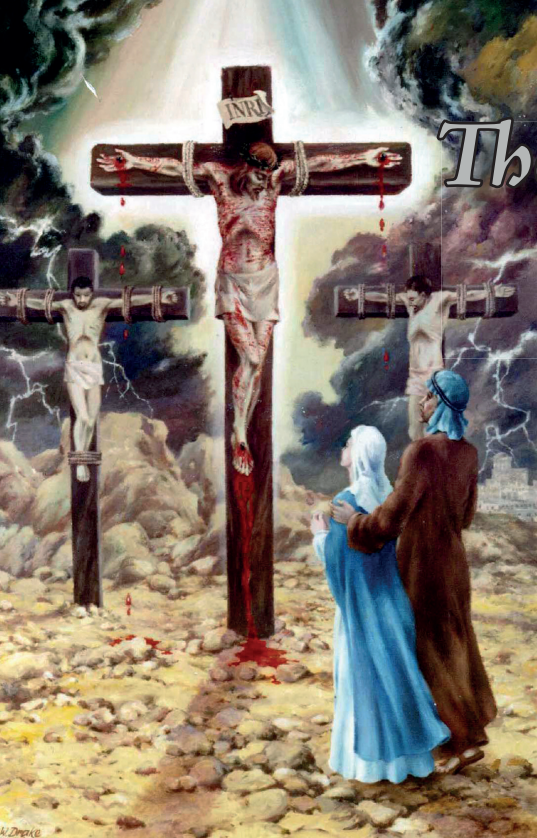
Rise from your fears and go out into the sunlight to meet Me, your Risen Lord.

“That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death.”

Philippians 3:10

... the weaknesses of all human sufferings are capable of being infused with the same power of God manifested in Christ's Cross. ...In him God has confirmed his desire to act especially through suffering ... Christ achieved the Redemption completely and to the very limits but at the same time he did not bring it to a close... every form of suffering, given fresh life by the power of this Cross, should become no longer the weakness of man but the power of God.”~Saint Pope John Paul, *Salvifici Doloris*





The dying to self He did for us

Son in the Eyes of Mary. Jesus' Passion and Death on the Cross far exceeds any tragedy today and yet, do we ever truly ponder what this young Man did for us?

Do we ever stop to think

Do we ever reflect on the dying to self He had done for us growing up, before His ministry began?

Do we ever meditate on His Pain or think of what He bore; He took on the past, present and future sins of each and every one of us?

Do we ever ponder how the devil's temptations in the desert may have truly tempted Him as we are tempted today?

Do we ever stop to think just how afraid He was in the Garden of Gethsemane, just before His Passion?

Maybe this Easter is a good time to think on these things about the young Man, our God and Saviour who gave His entire Life for us so that we could obtain

Forgiveness and gain

Our Father's Kingdom.

Jesus is the Gate. Jesus is the Word of God made Flesh.

Jesus, help me understand Your Great Sacrifice.



How young they were

We often hear of tragedies of young men and women dying; be it from terminal illness, mental health, an unfortunate traffic accident or sudden death. Our mind often rushes to how young they were, how they had their whole life ahead of them and their poor families left behind. It never occurred to me until recently how young Jesus was when He Died on the Cross for us. He was only thirty three.

He was a young Man

Youth 2000 is for the youth aged between 18-35 years of age and Jesus would have fallen into this age category when He Died. He was a young Man and a young



Pro-Life Vigils

The following article was taken from the internet. We thought it portrayed hope in all the work that Christians undertake today in a world where it is made increasingly difficult to stand up for what is right. Our prayers and sacrifices are always heard by God and answered, though we may never see it in this life.

MY LIFE WAS CHANGED FOREVER BY PRO-LIFE VIGILS

What effect does a 40 Days for Life Campaign have?

My answer is a rather roundabout one, and it is threefold; a bus ride, two pairs of skates, and a notebook!

Isaac

I think we were going home from a party – but I’m not sure, it was when I was such a young child that it merges with other memories from around the same time. All I know is that myself and Isaac ended up on the longest bus ride of our lives, going to my house. It was one of those charming single-decker buses that are going out of fashion now. It took a very peculiar route, because it should have been a journey that took at most half an hour, if one went in a fairly straight line from there to

our home, but this bus route had clearly not been designed with a ruler in mind, or direct connection of locations as a priority. It meandered down back streets, the little nowhere neighbourhoods that fill the gaps between the major places-to-be in London, and did not appear to care when it finished its journey. Another thing that may have made it feel so long was that we were sitting down together, but were unable to play. At the age of four or five, vocabulary is thin and there is not enough of it to fill an hour or two with conversation.

What I do know is the freedom that we received upon getting off the bus filled us with a joy that arriving at home does not normally cause, and at last our inability to play much on the bus and the silence that had resulted was replaced by wildly energetic rampaging in our back garden. The longer the wait, the more the light at the end of the tunnel is appreciated.

Ben

Slicing through the thick, glassy mass of frozen water, also known as a skating rink, I proudly surveyed my success in my newly discovered hobby. There were

definitely skaters on the rink who were worse than me. I had barely fallen over once. Well, maybe once. Not more than that, anyway. Another friend had joined me – let’s call him Ben – and he had fallen over a lot more than me. That may have possibly been because I stayed very close to the edge and had my hand out, ready to grab the handrails if a tumble seemed likely. Ben, on the other hand, went for a bolder style of skating, impetuously going out into the middle and falling over a lot, of course, but learning from his mistakes. I’m not sure who was the better skater in the end. Perhaps there is something to be said for both points of view. My mother still laughs at the video of me falling over that one time.

Colette

When you are around the age of seven, there are few gifts more exciting (in my opinion) than a notebook that has never been used. There is endless potential for filling the notebook, and even the thought of it, and the plans you can make of what to put on the pages, are enough to fill many happy hours. This was what happened to Colette, a friend of mine, when we were both staying in the same house. We created worlds together. Colette – being the younger by some years -would dictate her stories to me, and I would write them down on the left-hand pages of her notebook. The right-hand side was kept for all of the brightly coloured



pictures of the characters that the pair of us would draw, long before the page of writing that was meant to accompany each one was finished. Our story’s plot may not have been the most logical, nor the deepest, but it had its good points: A pleasant enough family came into difficulties when discovering a poorer family, and one of the older girls made up her mind to help them. Perhaps it was a stereotypical plot, but to us it felt like the most original story written since the early days of literature. It provided more than enough entertainment for many a rainy afternoon (and one particular occasion when Colette had a minor accident and couldn’t run around too much) and deepened our friendship through our shared creative experience.

What difference would it make

What does all this have to do with a 40 Days for Life vigil? Well, quite simply, it was prayer vigils like 40 Days coupled with the work of the GoodCounselNetwork.com that

caused these events to happen. If history was re-written, if no-one had ever gone and prayed outside an abortion centre, what difference would it make? Now this is a question that is very easy to answer:

There would have been no little boy named Isaac on the bus that day ten or twelve years ago; that pair of skates Ben was wearing as he fell over so many times would have been empty; and the pages in Colette's notebook would all be blank, untouched, devoid of the colourful lives of the characters she invented to fill them with, – because none of them would have lived to do any of those things.

All three of those friends – Isaac, Ben, and Colette – were the children of women who turned around at the gates of the abortion centre thanks to vigils just like 40 Days for Life and received help and support from Good Counsel. They chose life for their baby, some of them in very difficult situations, which took a lot of courage. They were, however, provided with genuine help and support (Have a look at Good Counsel's blue leaflets at the vigils for just a small example of the help we give!) that made a reality of what had seemed impossible – motherhood.

The best we can

Maybe you've never been to a 40 Days for Life before, maybe you're a regular volunteer, maybe you used to come but times have changed and something's holding you back from returning. Whoever you are, it can be very easy to wonder why we should bother to keep on running 40 Days for Life every year no matter what, especially with the news for pro-lifers so decidedly disheartening right now. Is praying on a street corner, 150 metres away from an abortion centre any use? Of course it is! We have to do the best we can do to save lives, and if 150 metres away is the closest we can get, that is the best we can do. If Ben, Isaac, and Colette were the only children to be saved by all these years of pro-life vigils in England, Wales, and elsewhere, wouldn't it still be worth it? Isn't that hour of public prayer, as little as once a week or as often as thrice a day, worth it once you think about every little moment, like the three I've recorded here, that will make up a tiny part of a whole life, thanks to your witness? Isn't every little snapshot of life, every little scene that make up the drama of human life, infinitely precious? It is for me.

That is the effect of a 40 Days Vigil; a bus ride, two pairs of skates, and a notebook.

Nathanael

<https://mariastopsabortion.blogspot.com/2026/02/my-life-was-changed-forever-by-pro-life.html?m=1>



The Plight of Others

THE PLIGHT OF THE YOUNG

Unlawful

In November 2025, we read the BBC headline that the UK Supreme Court ruled that Christian Religious Education taught in schools in Northern Ireland is unlawful. It shocked us, but it is just a symptom of what happens when we lose our love of God and fail to teach the next generation about Him.

As Our Lady Warned us in Fatima, Russia would spread her errors, communism would takeover the world. This is happening blatantly before our eyes.

No longer need God

Gone are the days when all Irish families gathered together in front of the Sacred Heart picture to pray the Rosary and walk miles to get to Sunday Mass, in a Church or at a Mass Rock. We've come so far in our wealth and comfort that we don't need to trouble Jesus for necessary good weather to produce enough food to feed our big families. Convenience stores have ended our toil and labour for food. We want for nothing. The Irish no longer need God it would seem. But, this has been to the detriment of our mental health and physical wellbeing. Suicide rates have sky-rocketed. Ditching

God has been the biggest mistake ever and our youth are paying the price.

A crime not to teach

As it says at the beginning of the Catechism, desire for God is written in our very hearts! "...Man is created by God and for God; and God never ceases to draw man to himself. Only in God will he find the truth and happiness he never stops searching for..." (27) Saint Augustine said: "...you have made us for yourself, and our heart is restless until it rests in you."

Our courts say it is a crime to teach our children about God but it is actually a crime not to teach them about Him. With what will they fill that God-hole with? Only with the cares and riches of this world, sensual pleasures, sin, addiction and the likes. Without God in our lives we create a lose-lose situation, deadly harmful to our souls, detrimental to the family, the community, society and the world.

This Message comes to mind:

Wednesday 25 February 2004

My children of this world, I speak to you the Truth. I speak to you of how the world has encroached My Church. A child, My people, who is at the age when much can be

learned of Me is a sweet innocent. In these days, many of these children are abused in many ways but, I tell you, the greatest sin that you commit, My people, is not to teach them of Me and My Ways. It has been decided to teach My children less of Me and more of atheism. The people who decided this are clearly not of Me for I did not Teach atheism; I spoke only of My Father and believing in Him. ...How, I ask you, can these people, who purport to be so intelligent and sit in high seats of religion, come to this conclusion? ...Have I not said that it would be better if a millstone were tied around the necks of those who made these little ones stumble?...

Children observe and learn

I sometimes attend weekday Mass at a neighbouring parish in the countryside. The primary school is across the road from the chapel and it seems that the school goes to Mass each month on a Monday. The older children do the readings, prayers of the faithful and carrying up of the gifts and the younger children observe and learn what they will be doing when it's their turn in a few years time. They all sing the hymns together and I remember one song in particular they sang after communion one day, it touched my heart so much I was moved to tears. I said to Jesus, look how Your children praise You and I could only imagine how His own Sacred Heart was affected by their love, sweetness and innocence. That particular parish is full of good people. Anyone could go

up to any of them and chat away and they would take you to their house for tea and make you a batch of scones. And I believe it is the Graces that comes out of the Mass there.

Jesus is the new Temple

They are all a God fearing people who have been taught to love God and have faith in Him from their earliest years, there in that school. Seeds have been planted, nourished by Holy Mass and fertilised by the Word of God. Like the stream flowing from the Temple (*in Ezekiel 17:1-9, 12*) teeming with Life-Giving Water, creating fruit trees, with medicinal leaves, that never wither or fail to produce fruit each month. Jesus is the new Temple and from His pierced Side these Streams of Living Water flow through the Mass. Wouldn't it be a perfect world if all our Catholic parishes were immersed in this Grace, alive and vibrant in their communities! No one would ever hunger or thirst.

A greater responsibility

With the loss of vocations, priests and religious teaching in our schools, and the laity becoming more wealthy, comfortable and worldly, we parents have a greater responsibility to teach the true faith to our children. Jesus is still pouring out as much Grace but there are fewer vessels to collect and transport it.

I believe that, as the darkness increases, so does the Grace of God. He always provides the counterbalance. I believe there is an abundance of Heavenly Help that is just waiting to be

utilized, especially through the very powerful Chaplet of Life. I believe we are all called to help in telling the youth about Jesus, with our love of them, our prayers, our kindness, our example.

They were hungry for Jesus

I am also thinking of the wonderful testimonies of the women who started the Children's Rosary Group and the Children of the Eucharist Group. I think of what I read in Sr Clare Crocket's Biography of how she taught the children about Jesus in the Eucharist, those children never forgot that teaching. A married couple, who are also servants in the Way of the Sacred Heart, held a 'Praise and Pizza' evening in their parish for young people. SonLight were invited to lead them in worshipping Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. The young people loved it and many of them got to Confession there. Then they could chat, socialise and meet other young Catholics. They have been asking when the next event

is on! They were hungry for Jesus! I thought 'Praise and Pizza' was a great idea!

Spiritually starved

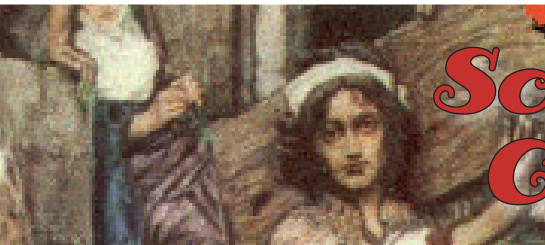
So let's at least pray for our young people and, if the Holy Spirit prompts us to do something radical, like start a Rosary Group for them in our parish, let's not dismiss it but really endeavour to respond because we might just be the one hundredth person He has asked. If we are the one hundredth person and still didn't answer His call, wouldn't that be sad!

We are called to feed the hungry, our youth are spiritually starved to death.

6 'And these words which I command you this day shall be upon your heart;

7 and you shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise.

Deuteronomy 6:6-7



Song of the Carpenter

The following is a serialisation of the 'Song of the Carpenter,' a novel inspired by Jesus and written down by the two Patricks. It is about the Life of Jesus and is full of spiritual teachings as well as a simply fantastic read.

If you cannot wait to read it all, then you can order it from the Sacred Heart House of Prayer. It costs £6.99.

"Praise and thanks to the Lord.

You have little to worry about here, Joseph. Antipas is somewhat quieter than his father or his brother, Archelaus. Then he is the son of Malthrace, who is a Samaritan and maybe the mix of Samaritan blood and his father's blood, he was from Idumea I believe, may hold some surprises for all of us. But we will leave that to the Lord, our God. But Antipas is quiet, it seems, and you should have no trouble here. The Bethlehem affair is even becoming a disgrace for the Romans and they will want to forget Herod's misdemeanour. Mark my words, they will cover it up so cleverly that people in times to come will think it was a made up story. Most truths seem quite unbelievable."

"It was abominable," said Joseph, "of that there is no doubt and we have God to thank for our safety. I dread to think what could have happened had I not believed the dream when Gabriel came to me in the cave in Bethlehem. But, Rabbi, I do not believe it was a dream. None of them were dreams. They were as real as this conversation that we are having now. That is what seems so strange to me; they are more real than life itself. Is that possible?"

"Joseph, the ways of God are not our ways. God has his own way of doing things. The reality that we live in now is only man's reality and not a true reality. The only true reality is with God. I think that man is given a proportion of that understanding of God's reality but until man has the faith



to believe in what God wants of him, then he can never understand it. Dreams and visions can and do become part of God's reality when he chooses to use them in a way that will get his message across. You believed you were in a dream but God can, if he wishes, use what you believe to take you into his reality and so warned you of the danger.

Time and space do not exist, only in man's mind. It helps man to know that the day is ended and another is begun. In God's reality, time does not exist and all is one in a present time. Nothing passes and nothing comes, it simply is.

God needed you to know his plans so he brought you into his time to tell you what he wanted. He used your belief in him to bring you to where he needed you to be. It is only those who do not believe fully that will try to find reasons to explain it away. I believe that a vision is God's reality put into man's for God's own purposes."

"I think I see what you mean. I believed that God would take me out of danger so he was able to

use my faith to tell me what to do.”
“Yes, it is faith in God that brings us close to him, not man’s striving to find him. All the answers man can find out about God in his creation will not bring him face to face with God, but simply believing in him, even against the odds.”

“When I believe that he can do it, then he will,” Joseph said thoughtfully, “even though I was worried about taking Mary for my wife at the beginning of all of this, I still believed in him. It was my disappointment of things not turning out my way, the way that I had planned, that made me doubt. But now that I have seen the result of what believing in him can do then it is easier to believe. I think.”

“Our God is wonderful, Joseph. We cannot fully see what he is doing until after he has done it. You and Mary and Jesus are safe now because you believed in what he revealed to you. Had man told you that Herod would send orders to kill all those children, you would have believed it too fantastical to be true. You would have stayed there and, well...we know what would have happened. You decided to believe and you are here now, safe. God will work in our lives if we let him. I take it that you had many of these visions along the way?”

“Yes, we had a few. They came at times when we needed them most. When we arrived at Beersheba, the news that we were hearing was far from good. A woman at the well told Mary about the happenings

in the city and I did not want to take her and Jesus through that territory. I felt danger all about me. Like you I did not doubt but I was very concerned. Mary and I talked about the situation and decided that we would let the caravan that we were travelling with go on and we would simply wait on the Lord. Rabbi, I was prepared to settle down there.” The Rabbi nodded understanding. “On the third night after the caravan left, Mary and I were talking late at night and there, before us, was Gabriel, as bright as the sun. He told us to take the route through Jericho and along the banks of the Jordan River. And that is how we came to be here.” Joseph finished.

“You are so blessed, Joseph, to have an Angel of the Lord to look after you in this way. I almost envy you. Did you know that it was Gabriel who came to the prophet, Daniel? So you are in good company Joseph,” the Rabbi chuckled.

Joseph stood and said “Rabbi, I thank you for your time. I am glad that I have spoken with you. It has allowed me to see clearer into what is happening here. I cannot say that I will believe the next time God calls on me but I will try. I must go now and begin the work of the day and I will ponder these things. Thank you, you have been most helpful. It is good to be back.” He embraced the old man and took his leave.

Continued next month

Wisdom

John Paul II

THE REDEMPTION OF THE BODY AND SACRAMENTALITY OF MARRIAGE (THEOLOGY OF THE BODY)

From the Weekly Audiences of His Holiness John Paul II
from 5 September 1974 - 28 November 1984

continued from last month

The Original Unity of Man and Woman

November 7, 1979

The words of Genesis, "It is not good that the man should be alone" (2:18) are a prelude to the narrative of the creation of woman. Together with this narrative, the sense of original solitude becomes part of the meaning of original unity, the key point of which seems to be precisely the words of Genesis 2:24. Christ referred to them in his talk with the Pharisees: "A man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh" (Mt 19:5). If Christ quoted these words referring to the "beginning," it is opportune for us to clarify the meaning of that original unity, which has its roots in the fact of the creation of man as male and female.

The narrative of the first chapter of Genesis does not know the problem of man's original solitude. Man is "male and female" right from the beginning. On the

contrary, the Yahwist text of the second chapter authorizes us, in a way, to think first only of the man since, by means of the body, he belongs to the visible world but goes beyond it. Then, it makes us think of the same man, but through the dualism of sex.

Corporality and sexuality are not completely identified. In its normal constitution, the human body bears within it the signs of sex and is male or female by its nature. However, the fact that man is a "body" belongs to the structure of the personal subject more deeply than the fact that in his somatic constitution he is also male or female. Therefore, the meaning of "original solitude," which can be referred simply to "man," is substantially prior to the meaning of original unity. The latter is based on masculinity and femininity, as if on two different "incarnations," that is, on two ways of "being a body" of the same human being created "in the image of God" (Gn 1:27).

Following the Yahwist text, in which the creation of woman was

described separately (*Gn 2:21-22*), we must have before our eyes, at the same time, that "image of God" of the first narrative of creation. In language and in style, the second narrative keeps all the characteristics of the Yahwist text. The way of narrating agrees with the way of thinking and expressing oneself of the period to which the text belongs.

Following the contemporary philosophy of religion and that of language, it can be said that the language in question is a mythical one. In this case, the term "myth" does not designate a fabulous content, but merely an archaic way of expressing a deeper content. Without any difficulty we discover that content, under the layer of the ancient narrative. It is really marvellous as regards the qualities and the condensation of the truths contained in it.

Let us add that up to a certain point, the second narrative of the creation of man keeps the form of a dialogue between man and God-Creator. That is manifested above all in that stage in which man (*'adam*) is definitively created as male and female (*'is-'issah*). The creation takes place almost simultaneously in two dimensions: the action of God-Yahweh who creates occurs in correlation with the process of human consciousness.

So, God-Yahweh says: "It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper fit for him" (*Gn 2:18*). At the same time the man confirms his own solitude

(*cf. Gn 2:20*). Next we read: "So the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and while he slept took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. The rib which the Lord God had taken from the man he made into a woman" (*Gn 2:21-22*). Considering the specific language, first it must be recognized that in the Genesis account, that sleep in which the man is immersed - thanks to God-Yahweh - in preparation for the new creative act, gives us food for thought.

Against the background of contemporary mentality, accustomed - through analysis of the subconscious - to connecting sexual contents with the world of dreams, that sleep may bring forth a particular association. However, the Bible narrative seems to go beyond the dimension of man's subconscious. If we admit, moreover, a significant difference of vocabulary, we can conclude that the man (*'adam*) falls into that "sleep" in order to wake up "male" and "female." In Genesis 2:23, we come across the distinction 'is-'issah for the first time. Perhaps, therefore, the analogy of sleep indicates here not so much a passing from consciousness to subconsciousness, as a specific return to non-being (sleep contains an element of annihilation of man's conscious existence). That is, it indicates a return to the moment preceding the creation, that through God's creative initiative, solitary "man" may emerge from it again in his

double unity as male and female. In any case, in the light of the context of Genesis 2:18-20, there is no doubt that man falls into that "sleep" with the desire of finding a being like himself. If, by analogy with sleep, we can speak here also of a dream, we must say that the biblical archetype allows us to admit as the content of that dream a "second self." It is also personal and equally referred to the situation of original solitude, that is, to the whole process of the stabilization of human identity in relation to living beings (*animalia*) as a whole, since it is the process of man's "differentiation" from this environment. In this way, the circle of the solitude of the man-person is broken, because the first "man" awakens from his sleep as "male and female."

The woman is made "with the rib" that God-Yahweh had taken from the man. Considering the archaic, metaphorical and figurative way of expressing the thought, we can establish that it is a question here of homogeneity of the whole being of both. This homogeneity concerns above all the body, the somatic structure. It is also confirmed by the man's first words to the woman who has been created: "This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh" (*Gn 2:23*). Yet the words quoted refer also to the humanity of the male. They must be read in the context of the affirmations made before the creation of the woman, in which, although the "incarnation" of the man does not yet exist, she

is defined as "a helper fit for him" (*cf. Gn 2:18 and 2:20*). In this way, therefore, the woman is created, in a sense, on the basis of the same humanity.

Somatic homogeneity, in spite of the difference in constitution bound up with the sexual difference, is so evident that the man, on waking up from the genetic sleep, expresses it at once, when he says: "This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh - she shall be called woman, because she was taken out of man" (*Gn 2:23*). In this way the man manifests for the first time joy and even exaltation, for which he had no reason before, owing to the lack of a being like himself. Joy in the other human being, in the second "self," dominates the words spoken by the man on seeing the woman. All this helps to establish the full meaning of original unity. The words here are few, but each one is of great weight. We must take into account - and we will do so also later - the fact that the first woman, "made with the rib...taken from the man," is at once accepted as a fit helper for him.

We shall return to this same subject, that is, the meaning of the original unity of man and of woman in humanity, in the next meditation.

continued next month



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DECLIMINALISE ABORTION UP TO BIRTH

A long, dark shadow

On 18 March it was a very dark day for Britain! I was very shocked and saddened by the news from the House of Lords. My first thought was 'come, Lord Jesus, come!'

Citizen Go reported:

By midnight on 18 March, Peers voted for unprecedented changes that devalue life at its most vulnerable. They voted to:

- Decriminalise abortion up to birth for mothers (185 to 148)

Reject the requirement for in-person consultations (191 to 119), including for girls under eighteen (163 to 68)

Pardon women who have illegally obtained late-term abortions and expunge their criminal records (180 to 58)

- Continue to allow people to obtain abortion pills anonymously or using a false identity (166 to 70)

This seismic change in law casts a long, dark shadow over our generation. YET it is not over as this Bill returns to the House of Commons.

Increase late-term abortions

Right to Life also reported:

If this Bill becomes law, it will now likely lead to a significant increase in the number of women performing late-term abortions at

home, endangering the lives of many more women.

Polling shows that 89% of the general population and 91% of women agree that gender-selective abortion should be explicitly banned by the law – and only 1% of women support introducing abortion up to birth.

Another poll shows that more than half of the general public agrees that it should remain the case that a woman is breaking the law if she has an abortion of a healthy baby after the current 24-week legal time limit up until birth. Only 16% disagree.

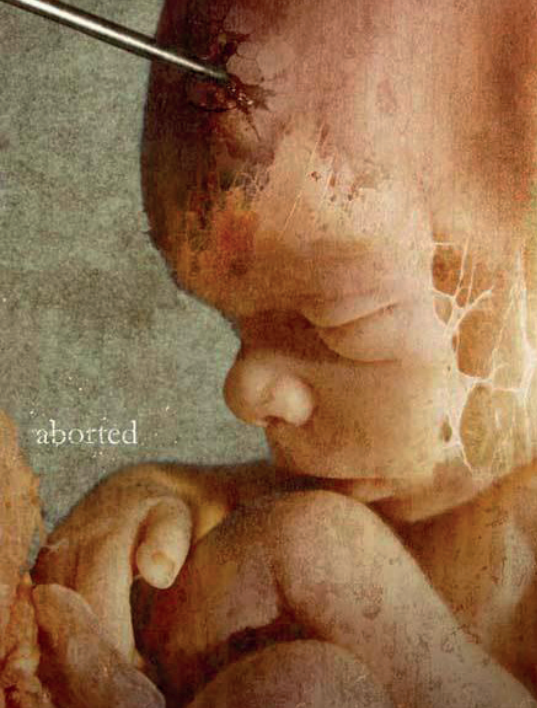
Self-administer the abortion

Speaking during the debate on Wednesday evening, Baroness Monckton said clause 208 “would allow mothers to self-administer the abortion of their unborn child for any reason, at any stage of pregnancy, right up to full term”.

She argued that these proposals would have dangerous repercussions for the mental and physical health of women, and fatal consequences for innocent unborn children.

It's horrific

It's really sickening news. The unborn child has been completely dehumanised. The father of lies



a fully formed baby? There are so many stories like this arising now. It's horrific.

Support the Pro-Life movement

But we must not lose hope. Jesus has given many Messages recently about bringing His children back through our prayers and the Chaplet of Life, through the Holy and Eternal Sacrifice of the Mass. His Truth will be seen and many will come back to Him. We have to continue to support the Pro-Life movement and keep praying for all those involved in the abortion industry that they, too, may see.

Let us also pray and sacrifice to appease Jesus in His Pain at this time.

"...I have undergone terrible Suffering in your name, children. Aborted children grieve Me and Pain Me. Their lot drives the Thorns deeper into My Head. Thousands of these innocents are killed every day. Come, My loyal children, pray that they will stop the killings..." Wednesday 22 April 1992

has blinded so many. Many more women and children could be pressurised and coerced to take the pills by an abusive partner or relatives to abort their child. Again, leaving no choice for the woman. Or what about the women who are told it's just a clump of cells, then take the pills and abort

My children, how could I not fall under this great Burden? The sins of mankind tore at Me; the weight became greater and greater as I watched the little bodies of My children being torn from their mothers' wombs. Their screams pierced Me like a lance and drove Me to the ground. I was blinded in the Agony of Sorrow when I looked at what mankind would become; at how many would reject My Sacrifice and fall headlong into the abyss of eternal fire. Oh, children, how I longed that all My children would accept but, this was not to be. But for Love of those who would listen, I rose to My Feet and carried My Burden into this great darkness man had placed Me in.

Seventh Station, Friday 11 June 1999



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Events to Come

Thursday 14 May
TRUE ASCENSION
DAY OF THE LORD
Prayers begin at 12pm

Sunday 17 May
House of Prayer
CLOSED for a
private retreat

Sunday 19 May
PENTECOST

*Prayers begin
at 3pm*

Sunday 7 June
**BODY AND
BLOOD OF JESUS**
DAY OF PRAYER
*Prayers begin
at 3pm*



Thursday 11 June
to Sunday 14 June
**WEEKEND
RETREAT**
celebrating
the Feasts of
the Sacred
Heart and
Immaculate
Heart



Sunday 15 June
**OUR LADY OF THE
SACRED HEART**
Prayers begin at 3pm



WORSHIP

BEYOND THE SONG

28 June 2026
At Saint Joseph
Equestrian Centre
Starting at 2pm

Monday
29 June 2026
**FEAST OF SAINTS
PETER AND PAUL**
*Prayers begin
at 12 noon*

FIRST FRIDAY VIGILS
from 10pm - 2am:
1 May and
5 June 2026





Letters to the HoP



Wonderful booklet

Dear Patricks,
Thank you for all your hard work and prayer and for sending your wonderful booklet every month. Please find enclosed ... towards Houses.
God Bless,
Mary

Thank you

Dear two Patricks,
Thank you for labouring for Jesus to bring many souls to Him, including mine.
Enclosed ... to help spread Jesus' Messages and maintenance of the ministry.
Please send me ten of each size of the Chaplet of Life to share with others so many may pray it too for the benefit of all.
I love and pray for you as you do for me.
God Bless us all.
Love and prayers,
Aurora

Chaplet of Life

Enclosed please find cheque for ...
My husband was sick for some time and died last March. I cannot remember if I sent a subscription for the Newsletter but I think probably not.
Whatever is over after paying the subscriptions, I would like to go towards your bills.

God Bless you all and also the work. I'm praying the Chaplet of Life daily since I received it.
Many thanks,
Phil

Happy Easter

The servants of the House,
Enclosed cheque for ... for the repair of the Houses and ... for some of your Chaplet of Life leaflets and some copies of the small prayers you sent. I hope this will help with your debts and may God grant you will be able to ease your debt.
A very happy Easter to you all and I'm so glad to have known you all. May God Bless you and the work you are doing. I will pray that everything goes well for you all.
Love and best wishes,
From Philomena

*We thank you all for your continued support and communication with us here at the House of Prayer.
It is really nice to hear what Jesus' words mean to you and the many testimonies of what is happening in your lives.
We take this opportunity to wish you all a very joyful Easter.
May our Risen Lord Bless you all!*

AN ACT OF CONTRITION

Heavenly Father, I ask that You Forgive me my sins,
through the Blood that Your Son, Jesus, spilt for me
on the Cross of His Love.

I acknowledge that Your Son, Jesus,
paid the ultimate Price for the Forgiveness of my sins
through His Passion and Death upon the Cross of His Love.
Father, through the Teachings of Your Son, Jesus,

I will try to change my life.

From this day forward I will try my best to fight against
the desires of self that lead to the path of sin,
so that my Friend and my God, Jesus,
does not have to Suffer for any more of my sins.

Father, through the Power of the Holy Spirit,
please inspire me to always walk away
from all occasions of sin

so that I can appease the Pain of Your Son, Jesus.

Be with me, Heavenly Father, in my daily life.

Protect me and guide me away from the snares of the devil
so that I can remain true to the Teachings of my God
and Saviour, Jesus, the Christ. Amen.

