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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	10:00am	George Chang RIP
Tuesday	10:00am	Intention of Dan Ho
Wednesday	7.00pm	Prayer for Priests
Thursday	10:00am	Didi Celine RIP
Friday	12:00am	REQUIEM Anthony Konwea RIP
Saturday	6:00pm	Nurturing Our Planet

ALL SAINTS HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

Sunday	8:30am	Peace in the World
	10:00am	Anna RIP
	12:00noon	People of the Parish

SYNOD MEETING (Ways to Be Heard)

1. You would be very welcome to join our parish zoom meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.30.
Join Zoom Meeting Link:
<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/7826524580?pwd=THRReDRXN0hiZXpYNzIFRVhlaURQUT09>

Meeting ID: 782 652 4580

Passcode: 0wK4rr

Please join to encourage others.

2. If you like to go the way of letter writing, please do. Send your thoughts and ideas by letter and pass them on through the collection box at the back of church.

3. You may also present your ideas via:
synod@rcaos.org.uk

4. Or via post to:
Synod Submission,
Archbishops House
150, St Georges Rd,
SE1 6HX

Thinking of Others this Christmas

As the frenzy about Christmas shortages increases, we could respond by embracing a calmer approach and thinking of those who may have nothing at all. Why stress about turkey and pigs in blankets being off the shelves, when there are many alternatives for a wonderful Christmas dinner. Any money saved could go towards buying toys or food for families going without.

Fr Jack

We inhabitants of the earth are a people in exile. We are not at home on the very land we occupy, and so we rape and plunder it. We are not at home with each other, and so we violate each other's dignity and kill. When one of us cries out prophetically to the Lord, as the blind beggar Bartimaeus did, the others "scold him to make him keep quiet." *G Darring.*

The above statement, if you agree with it, is a frightening reality. Are we so blind?

Like Bartimaeus we need to pray not for sight, but to see:

To see the world as it is, to see myself, as I am.
To accept the reality about myself, even if I do not like it.

Turning to the lord and trying to borrow his eyes for a day.

To see the world as he sees it, to understand the world as he created it.

To read the scriptures and have a heart as big as Him.

Now there is a statement:

A heart as big as God's.

A message from CAFOD

Thank you for supporting our Climate Crisis Appeal for our recent Family Fast Day. Every donation helps us in our work and is gratefully received. cafod.org.uk/climatecrisis

Please pray for the success of the upcoming UN climate talks in Glasgow, COP26, from 31 October to 12 November. There are prayer cards at the back of church; please do take one and pray that that world leaders will put the needs of marginalised communities around the world, those most affected by climate change, right at the heart of these climate talks. For more information see cafod.org.uk/COP26

May the Holy Spirit inspire all political leaders at COP26 and instill in them the courage and gentleness to implement fairer solutions for the most vulnerable.

"I urgently appeal then for a new dialogue about how we are shaping the future of our planet. We need a conversation which includes everyone, since the environmental challenge we are undergoing, and its human roots, concern and affect us all". Pope Francis