



Pastoral Development Bulletin

for the sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Sunday 13th February 2022

PASSION PLAYS

The Liverpool Passion Plays – This is Our Story

11th April 2022, Liverpool Cathedral, 6:30pm - 8:30pm

The Liverpool Passion Plays tells the story of the last supper, as well as Jesus' arrest, trial and crucifixion.

Using the Cathedral's architecture and artwork as a backdrop, the audience will 'walk with Jesus' through his story, starting as a young boy, and witnessing his entry into Jerusalem, his betrayal by Judas, and his trial and crucifixion.

The performance will move West to East in the Cathedral, stopping at different locations as each scene unfolds. All will travel back to the Central space to witness the crucifixion that will take place on the Nave Bridge.

The performance combines music, script and liturgy to demonstrate what Christ's suffering and resurrection means for us today. The five acts have been put together by the cast, crew and musicians who are volunteers from the congregation, cathedral choirs and the public.

Entry is free but we welcome your donations to support our choir tour fund.

<https://www.liverpoolcathedral.org.uk/events-calendar/the-liverpool-passion-plays-this-is-our-story/>

Divine Renovation and Alpha invite you to a live online event with Fr James Mallon, Bishop Robert Barron, and Revd Nicky Gumbel where they'll discuss: *what is God saying to the Church?*

This is a FREE event for parish leaders – clergy and laypeople alike – on the topic of mission, evangelization, and parish renewal. To learn more about this event and to register, visit: divinerenovation.org/events.



WHATSAPP

KEEPING IN TOUCH

Would you like to get the PD Bulletin directly? Or keep up with Archdiocesan Pastoral Department Events? Be amongst the first to hear by joining the **PD News WhatsApp Group**. This will be for sending information and keeping in touch.

To join please send a WhatsApp message **JOIN PD NEWS** with your **name** and **parish** to **07449 633 977**. Please note that your number may be visible to others in the group. *N.B. Only Admins will be able to post.*



RCIA: Rite of Election

The Department, together with the RCIA Core Group, is pleased to announce that the **Rite of Election and Call to Continuous Conversion** will be celebrated by Archbishop Malcolm in the Cathedral on the First Sunday of Lent (6th March) at 3pm. An information pack will be sent out to all parishes – if you have not received one by **7th February**, please email rcia@rcaol.org.uk or contact the PD department.

The **Retreat Day** will be on **9 April** in Formby with an outdoor **Mass of Thanksgiving** to be celebrated in Lydiate on **9 June 2022**. Full details are in the information pack sent to parishes this week.

**We keep all those on their faith journey in our prayers
as we joyfully accompany them.**

For information about The Irenaeus Project, see their [newsletter](#).

PD Department



Website

www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/pastoral-development



Phone

0151 522 1040



Email

pd@rcaol.org.uk



Calendar

www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/pd-resources

Team

MC Benitan

Director

m.benitan@rcaol.org.uk

0151 522 1044 | 07769 746 017

Helen Jones

PD Adviser

h.jones@rcaol.org.uk

0151 522 1048 | 07449 633 977

Fr Philip Inch

Episcopal Vicar

philipinch@rcaol.org.uk

0151 526 8468