

**PLEASE MEET YOUR MP TO LOBBY
AGAINST DIY ABORTION
AND ASSISTED SUICIDE**
**SPUC - THE SOCIETY FOR
THE PROTECTION OF
UNBORN CHILDREN -**
 is holding a **MASS LOBBY OF MPS
ON FRIDAY 16 JULY OR
SATURDAY 17 JULY 2021.**

We are asking pro-life supporters up and down the country to organise a meeting with their MP, at the MP's constituency office, on one of these dates. The DIY abortion policy is still in place, and there is a renewed threat of assisted suicide being legalised.

Please ask your MP to lobby the Health Secretary to **end DIY abortion**. Please ask your MP to **vote against assisted suicide**.

SPUC has produced dedicated briefings to help you lobby your MP.

Please go to

[www.spuc.org.uk/
MassLobby2021](http://www.spuc.org.uk/MassLobby2021)

Thank you.

**JUNE IS THE MONTH OF
THE MOST SACRED
HEART OF JESUS:
Have you consecrated
your Home and Family
to the Sacred Heart
and enthroned Him
in your home?**

**PRAYER FOR BLESSING
AND LAYING ON OF
HANDS**

*From St Christopher's
Hospice Chaplaincy c.1999)*

(NAME...) may the healing love of the Lord Jesus Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit be with you now, filling your whole being with His peace and bringing you His wholeness. May you know the reality (*strength and power*) of His presence, day by day, and His protection from anything that might harm you or hurt you, giving you His peace, in body, mind and spirit. **AMEN**

Prayer to St Joseph:

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

To you God entrusted His only Son; in you Mary placed her trust; with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too, *show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life.* Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage, and defend us from every evil. Amen.

+ JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH +

ST MARY OF THE CRAYS NEWSLETTER SUPPLEMENT
ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (B) - 13th June 2021
In the Year of St Joseph: 8th Dec. 2020 - 8th Dec. 2021

SAINT JOSEPH:

**Comfort of the Afflicted: Pray for us! Patron of the Dying: Pray for us!
Hope of the Sick: Pray for us! Terror of Demons: Pray for us!**

**OUR LORD
JESUS SAYS:**

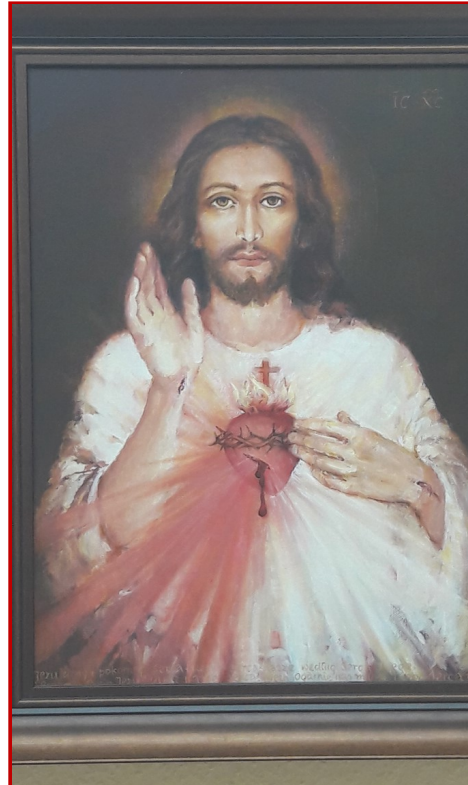
"DO NOT BE AFRAID!"

(This is said 366 times in the Bible!!)

"COME TO ME!"

(Matthew 11: 28)

***"ALL WHO LABOUR AND
ARE HEAVY LADEN,
AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST."***



**My God, I believe, I adore,
I hope and I love You,
and I beg pardon of You
for those who do not believe,
do not adore, do not hope
and do not love You. Amen.**

SECOND PRAYER OF THE ANGEL OF FATIMA (Autumn 1916):

MOST HOLY TRINITY, FATHER, SON AND HOLY SPIRIT,
 I adore You profoundly, and I offer you **THE MOST PRECIOUS BODY,
BLOOD, SOUL AND DIVINITY OF JESUS CHRIST, PRESENT IN ALL
THE TABERNACLES** of the world, in reparation for the outrages,
sacrileges and indifference with which He Himself is offended.
 And through the infinite merits of **HIS MOST SACRED HEART,**
 and **THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY,**
 I beg of You the conversion of the poor sinners. Amen.

This is how St Anthony converted a heretic in a dispute about the Most Blessed Sacrament of the Most Holy Eucharist, which is indeed, really and truly the Real Presence of Jesus Christ

The heretic, named Bonfillo, challenged St Anthony:

“If you can show us, by some miracle, that the Holy Communion of believers is, however veiled, the true Body of Christ, I will renounce all heresy, and will submit to the Catholic faith without delay.”

Convinced by the Lord to do everything for the conversion of the heretic, Anthony accepted the challenge. Bonfillo, said:

“I’ll keep my donkey in doors for three days and deprive it of all food. After three days, I will bring the donkey out to the town square and show him food. Meanwhile, you bring what you claim to be the Body of Christ. If the famished animal refuses the corn and worships your God, I will believe sincerely the Church’s faith.”

Anthony prayed and fasted for those three days.

On the appointed day the square was filled with people all wanting to see what would happen. Anthony celebrated the Holy Mass in front of the large crowd and then with great reverence carried the Lord’s Body before the hungry donkey. At the same time Bonfillo showed the donkey the oats.

Anthony ordered the animal:

“In the Name of God our Creator, Who, unworthy as I am, I hold in my hands, I order you brother donkey immediately, and humbly, to pay due reverence to God here Present, so that the wicked heretics may clearly see and learn from this gesture that every creature is indeed subject to God the Creator.”

The donkey refused the fodder, and bowing its head down to the hocks, genuflected before the Most Holy Sacrament of the Body of Christ in adoration. Seeing this, all present, including the heretic Bonfillo, knelt in adoration.



ST ANTHONY OF PADUA, **St Anthony of Lisbon - 13th June**

Born in Lisbon, Portugal, about the end of the 12th Century, he became a Canon Regular of St Augustine, but after he was ordained priest he joined the Friars Minor (Franciscans) so that he might preach the Gospel among the people of Africa. But it was in France and Italy that he preached with great effect and brought many heretics and doubters back to the Faith. He was the first Theologian of the Franciscans and wrote a number of sermons known for their clear teaching of doctrine and gentleness. He died in the Padua in 1231. He is best known today as the saint who finds “lost things” -

**“St Anthony, St Anthony,
look around,
something that is lost
needs to be found!”**

Why not ask his intercession to help us find our lost confidence, faith and trust in God, and to bring back to the gentle love of Our Lord Jesus those of our families who full of fear, and maybe no longer: follow, trust, know, serve, or love Our Lord Jesus?

St Anthony of Padua: Pray for us!
St Anthony of Padua: Pray for them!

**HUMILITY
IS:
NOT THINKING
LESS OF YOURSELF,
IT'S THINKING OF YOURSELF
LESS.”**

C. S. Lewis

**BEWARE,
BE VERY AWARE, of**

PRIDE:

**it is one of the Seven
“Deadly” Sins,**
and as a ‘Capital’ Sin
it leads to others, as
a ‘Vice’ it is a bad habit .
It was **LUCIFER’S PRIDE**
that led to his “fall from
grace” and he became Satan,
who then **tempted Adam
and Eve through PRIDE,**
which led to their expulsion
from the Garden of Para-
dise. Human **PRIDE** divided
the peoples of the world at
the Tower of Babel.

HUMILITY

**CHRIST’S
HUMBLE DEATH
AND SACRIFICE ON
the Cross
has conquered
Satan’s PRIDE-full reign
on earth.
MARY’S HUMILITY
triumphs, and can lead us
to conquer our
HUMAN PRIDE ...
reminding us that we are
creatures, created by God:
out of love , for love, in love
and to love ...
and **GOD IS LOVE ...**
always willing
the Good of others.**