

**FOR THE LITANY OF  
THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS:**

*The response to each Invocation is:*

**HAVE MERCY ON US.**

**V/: Jesus, gentle and  
humble of heart.**

**R/: TOUCH OUR HEARTS AND  
MAKE THEM LIKE YOUR OWN.**

**Let us pray.**

Father, we honour the heart of your Son broken by man's cruelty, yet symbol of love's triumph, pledge of all that man is called to be. Teach us to see Christ in the lives we touch, to offer him living worship by love-filled service to our brothers and sisters. We ask this in the name of Jesus the Lord Amen.

**LIKE THE BOY SHEPHERD, DAVID, who became the great King of Israel, we can learn from our earliest of years to struggle against the Powers and Principalities who are against like Goliath and the Philistines. We too have FIVE SMOOTH PEBBLES to take from the Stream of the River of Life to combat against our Goliaths:**

- 1: **Daily Pray the Rosary**  
from the Heart, and in the Family;
- 2: **Daily read the Bible**  
within the Family;
- 3: **Daily, take part in the Holy Mass, if you are able, and if not, then as a minimum: at least EVERY SUNDAY (or Saturday evening) EVERY WEEK;**
- 4: **Weekly, do penance by fasting on bread and water on Wednesdays and Fridays - Fridays are "Meat-free" days in England and Wales anyway;**
- 5: **Monthly, Confess your sins in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Pardon and Peace.**

**PARISH REPOSITORY  
- THE PARISH SHOP:**

**- Is your Bible "CATHOLIC"?**  
(Does it have *Baruch, Judith, 1 and 2 Maccabees, Sirach, Tobit and Wisdom*, in it?)

**Do you have:**

**- a CHRISTMAS CRIB (Creche)  
for your home?**

**- a CRUCIFIX in your home?**

**- a "RELIGIOUS"  
ADVENT CALENDAR?**

**- a ROSARY in your pocket or  
bag?**

**- a CATECHISM OF CHRISTIAN  
DOCTRINE to learn and know  
the Faith?**

**- Please have a look inside our  
PARISH SHOP / REPOSITORY**

**- and ...**

**there are "Religious" CHRISTMAS  
CARDS and ADVENT CALENDARS for  
sale in the Reception Area after  
every Holy Mass in the doors of  
THE CHILDREN'S LITURGY ROOM -  
please help buying cards to sup-  
port the Parish.**



**+ JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH +**

**20th November 2022 - OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE (C)  
ST MARY OF THE CRAYS, CRAYFORD:  
SUPPLEMENT TO THE WEEKLY NEWSLETTER**

**PLEASE USE THE PARISH MASS BOOKS, HYMN BOOKS & MASS CARDS**

**THE READINGS, ETC., FOR CHRIST THE KING CAN BE FOUND FROM PAGE: 167ff  
THE ORDINARY OF THE HOLY MASS FROM PAGE: 7 and following  
FOR SUNG PARTS: PAGES 215 and following.**

**PARENTS, here is a help for you and your young people in facing some of the challenges of growing up Catholic, or even simply trying to live a Catholic Life in a society and culture that is, at its best, indifferent to the Gospel of Jesus Christ, and at worst downright hostile:**

**Fr Mike Schmitz, on  
YouTube, asks:**

**"What Constitutes  
a Practicing Catholic?" -  
[https://m.youtube.com/  
watch?r=jrGW5G8QqQ4](https://m.youtube.com/watch?r=jrGW5G8QqQ4)**

**Or simply Google:**

**Fr Mike Schmitz on  
"ASCENSION PRESENTS"  
where he, and others, presents  
the Catholic Faith.**

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Also, please look up  
(Google Wikipedia):

**CARLO ACUTIS**

**- the first "Millennial" "Blessed"  
of the Church: beatified 10th Octo-  
ber 2020. Born in London, raised in  
Milan, and Buried in Assisi, he was  
15 years old when he died of Leu-  
kaemia in 2006 after a very full  
teenaged life of games, internet,  
with a great love of the Most  
Holy Eucharist and praying the  
Rosary daily.**

**FOR ALL PREPARING TO RECEIVE THE  
FULLNESS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT  
IN THE SACRAMENT OF  
CONFIRMATION:**

**A SHORT ROAD TO PERFECTION**

**FROM SAINT JOHN HENRY CARDINAL NEWMAN  
27<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 1856**

[...] He [...] is perfect who does the work of the day perfectly, and we need not go beyond this to seek for perfection. You need not go out of the round of the day.

I insist on this because I think it will simplify our views, and fix our exertions on a definite aim. If you ask me what you are to do in order to be perfect, I say, first –

- Do not lie in bed beyond the due time of rising;**
- give your first thoughts to God;**
- make a good visit to the Blessed Sacrament;**
- say the Angelus devoutly;**
- eat and drink to God's glory;**
- say the Rosary well;**
- be recollected;**
- keep out bad thoughts;**
- make your evening meditation well;**
- examine yourself daily;**
- go to bed in good time,  
and - YOU ARE ALREADY PERFECT.**

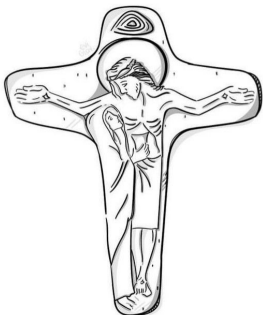
### HERE IS LOVE:

1. Here is love, vast as the ocean,  
loving-kindness as the flood,  
when the Prince of Life,  
our Ransom,  
shed for us His precious blood.  
Who His love will not remember?  
Who can cease to sing His praise?  
He can never be forgotten  
throughout heav'n's eternal days.

2. On the mount of crucifixion  
fountains opened deep and wide;  
through the floodgates of God's  
mercy  
flowed a vast and gracious tide.  
Grace and love, like mighty rivers,  
poured incessant from above,  
and heav'n's peace  
and perfect justice  
kissed a guilty world in love.

3. In Thy truth Thou dost direct me  
by Thy Spirit through Thy Word;  
and Thy grace my need is meeting  
as I trust in Thee, my Lord.  
Of Thy fullness Thou art pouring  
Thy great love and pow'r on me  
without measure,  
full and boundless,  
drawing out my heart to Thee.

Welsh Title: *Dyma gariad fel y moroedd*  
Author: William Rees  
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*The Schoenstatt  
Crucifix,  
The much  
beloved Cross of  
Saint (Mother)  
Teresa of  
Calcutta  
(Kolkata)*

*See: Mary at the  
side of her Son's  
Cross receiving  
His Precious  
Blood*

### PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT:

Come, O Holy Spirit, fill the  
hearts of Your faithful, and  
enkindle in them the fire of  
Your love.

V/: Send forth Your Spirit  
and they shall be created.

R/: And You shall renew the  
face of the earth.

Let us pray:

O God, Who taught the hearts  
of the faithful by the light of  
the Holy Spirit, grant that by  
the gift of the same Spirit we  
may be always truly wise and  
ever rejoice in His consolati-  
on. Through Christ Our  
Lord. Amen.

HOLY MICHAEL, THE ARCHANGEL,  
defend us in battle. Be our  
safeguard against the wicked-  
ness and snares of the devil.  
May God rebuke him, we hum-  
bly pray; and do thou, O  
Prince of the heavenly host, by  
the power of God cast into hell  
Satan and all the evil spirits  
who wander through the  
world seeking the ruin of  
souls. Amen.

### GUARDIAN ANGEL PRAYER:

Angel of God,  
my guardian dear,  
to whom God's love  
commits me here,  
ever this day (or night)  
be at my side,  
to light, to guard,  
to rule and guide.  
Amen.

### ACT OF DEDICATION TO CHRIST THE KING

**LEADER:** Loving Jesus,  
Redeemer of the world, we  
are Yours, and Yours we  
wish to be. To bind our-  
selves to You even more  
closely we kneel before You  
today and offer ourselves  
to Your most Sacred Heart.

**ALL:** PRAISE TO YOU,  
OUR SAVIOUR  
AND OUR KING.

**LEADER:** Have mercy on  
all who have never known  
You and on all who reject  
You and refuse to obey  
You: gentle Lord, draw  
them to Yourself.

**ALL:** PRAISE TO YOU,  
OUR SAVIOUR  
AND OUR KING.

**LEADER:** Reign over the  
faithful who have never left  
You, reign over those who  
have squandered their in-  
heritance, the prodigal  
children who now are  
starving: bring them back  
to their Father's house.

**ALL:** PRAISE TO YOU,  
OUR SAVIOUR  
AND OUR KING.

**LEADER:** Reign over those  
who are misled by error or  
divided by discord. Hasten  
the day when we shall be  
one in faith and truth, one  
flock with you, the one  
Shepherd. Give to Your  
Church freedom and peace,  
and to all nations justice  
and order.

**ALL:** PRAISE TO YOU,  
OUR SAVIOUR  
AND OUR KING.

**LEADER:** Make the earth  
resound from pole to pole  
with a single cry: *Praise to  
the Divine Heart salvation;  
that gained our glory and  
honour be His for ever and  
ever. Amen.*

**ALL:** PRAISE TO YOU,  
OUR SAVIOUR  
AND OUR KING.

*(Source: Handbook of Indulgences,  
Norms and Grants, 8<sup>th</sup> November 1988.*

*A partial indulgence is granted to the  
Christian faithful, who devoutly recite the  
above Act of Dedication to Christ the  
King. A plenary indulgence is granted if it  
is recited publicly on the feast of our Lord  
Jesus Christ King.)*

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**Fr Chris Alar MIC explains  
PLENARY INDULGENCES on  
YouTube at**

**ASK A MARIAN:**

[https://m.youtube.com/  
watch?v=yojYUebeMCI](https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=yojYUebeMCI)