



FROM THE CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

Why am I here at YTU? Certainly to study and to learn, maybe even to get a degree. But deeper than that, why I am here? Could it be something to do with the fact that I am committed to living the values of the Gospel; that I am and want to be a follower of Jesus? Is it about understanding Jesus' mission so that I can better understand the mission that God has entrusted to me?

Some years ago, Tony Kelly CSsR (who used to teach here at YTU) presented what he called "THE WAY OF JESUS: a Meditation", to a gathering of priests. The questions he put to them were, *What was Jesus about? What was the direction his life took, and in what company? Most of all, what was his God like, the God who was his life and breath in every moment and at every turn?* Tony came to this conclusion: *to the devout, Jesus of Nazareth was irreligious; to the learned he was untutored; to the revolutionary he was too idealistic; to the recognised authorities he was a meddling layman; to the aristocratic establishment he was a subversive intruder from out of town; to the Romans he was someone to be watched. It seems that no one could understand him except those whom no one cared about – those whom he call 'the poor', the least, the little ones, the lost sheep of the House of Israel. These are described at different times as sinners, prostitutes, lepers, beggars, as diseased and the crippled, the hungry, the widowed and the orphaned – all those who had no place in a society that used its religion to dehumanise itself.*

So what might it mean to be a follower of Jesus? Why am I here at YTU?

Sue Richardson pbvm

ST PASCHAL LIBRARY

The library is now open until 6pm from Monday to Thursday during the teaching weeks of the semester.

BROTHERHOOD CUP

On the 13th of May, 2017, there is going to be our annual inter-college soccer tournament. In the light of this, we are going to start our preparations very soon. Those in charge of sports in YTU will organise the various training sessions.

SRC DONATIONS AND PHOTOCOPY MONEY

We humbly urge you to separate your donation to the SRC which is **\$15**, from your other money which is meant for the payment for photocopying. Note! The two are not the same. In the same line, kindly indicate if you would like a receipt for the payment made for photocopies.

WEEKLY EUCHARIST

You are warmly welcome to our weekly Eucharist on Tuesday, 28th of March. It is at 12:40pm in the Common Room and Rev Michael Hardie SVD is the celebrant.

CONGRATULATION

We would like to congratulate all those who graduated on Friday, the 24th of March. We say kudos to you all. A list of all the graduates has been posted on the main notice boards of YTU.

QUOTE FOR THE WEEK

“The worst enemy of a fragile faith is fear. Do not be afraid”

-Pope Francis

