

Living the Mission at St Paul's

Catholic Social Teaching and Gifts We Grow

Human Dignity



All life is unique and should be respected. We are all equal in God's eyes.

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you"
Jeremiah 1:15

THE GIFTS WE GROW: Prophetic and intentional

Solidarity & Peace



We are all one family and are stronger together.

"So far as you did this to the least of the brothers you did it to me"
Matthew 25:40

THE GIFTS WE GROW: Attentive and discerning

"Love one another as I have loved you"
John 13:34

The Common Good



We should be active in our community - we need to know what is right for everyone not just ourselves.

"So we, who are many are one body in Christ"
Romans 12:5

THE GIFTS WE GROW: Loving and compassionate

Option for the Poor



We should give extra help to the poor and vulnerable.

"He has sent me to bring good news to the poor"
Luke 4:18

THE GIFTS WE GROW: Hopeful and faith filled

Care for our Common Home



We are stewards of God's creation and must care for our planet.

"God settled him in the Garden of Eden, to cultivate and care for it"
Genesis 2:15

THE GIFTS WE GROW: Curious and active

Rights & Responsibilities



Everyone has the right to life and the responsibility to respect others.

"You shall love your neighbour as yourself"
Mark 12:31

THE GIFTS WE GROW: Eloquent and truthful

Dignity of Work



All work is valued and provides a sense of purpose and dignity. All workers should be equally respected.

"You are all one in Christ"
Galatians 3:28

THE GIFTS WE GROW: Generous and grateful



Ministerium Tuum Imple Love Serve | Do the best that is possible