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[Familias event - The Joy of Love: the challenge of Amoris Laetitia in the Home, Parish & School, with Fr Chris Thomas on 26 April 10am-3pm at LACE with lunch £20 or £10 for Familias members. Booking is essential 0151 522 1040 or \[formation@rcaol.co.uk\]\(mailto:formation@rcaol.co.uk\).](#)



Save the Date! *Professor of New Testament studies Ian Boxall* visiting **Sat 10 June** for Word of the Lord Day. For more info: **0151 522 1040** or [formation@rcaol.co.uk](mailto:formation@rcaol.co.uk).



Marriage Preparation **course dates for 2017 are now available at [this link](#). For other assistance please contact [m.obrien@rcaol.co.uk](mailto:m.obrien@rcaol.co.uk).**



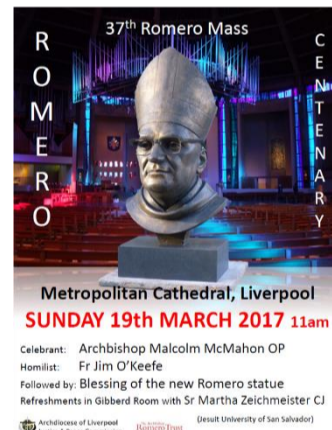
[Catechumens, Candidates, Catechists, Sponsors and Godparents invited to a Retreat Day on Sat 1st April](#) at St Joseph's Prayer Centre, **Blundell Ave Formby L37 1PH from 9:45am-3pm. With talks by Archbishop McMahon, prayer opportunities & a celebration of The Presentation of the Our Father. If you wish to attend please book in 0151 522 1040 or [formation@rcaol.co.uk](mailto:formation@rcaol.co.uk) or speak with your parish RCIA team.**



[Effective Proclamation of the Word - A Skills Workshop led by Sr Catherine Darby for Readers, catechists & schools at St. Margaret Mary's Parish House, Pilch Lane, Knotty Ash, L14 0JG on Tues 28 March 6.30-9.00pm. Cost £10 includes refreshments & handouts. Please book by contacting Pastoral Formation Dept 0151 522 1040 or \[formation@rcaol.co.uk\]\(mailto:formation@rcaol.co.uk\).](#)



The next series of support meetings for Divorced and Separated Catholics **start in mid-Feb 2017. We welcome Catholics & other Christians who are divorced or separated (recently or in the past) or who are experiencing the breakdown of a marriage or long term relationship. The small groups are informative, affirming, free & confidential.** To book a place on the *South Liverpool course: Frances Trotman 0151 727 2195* To book a place on the *Ormskirk course: Maureen O'Brien 07967 753 371 or [m.obrien@rcaol.co.uk](mailto:m.obrien@rcaol.co.uk).*



A joyous occasion: Blessed [Oscar Romero](#) Centenary [Celebration, 19 Mar, 11am at the Cathedral](#) with a homily by Fr Jim O'Keefe. Refreshments & talk after in the Gibberd Room with Sr Martha Zeichmeister CJ.



[Dementia-friendly](#) sing along fortnightly from Wed 25 Jan 11am-12:30pm followed by free soup and roll & [Oasis cafe - for those who need a listening ear](#) - first Thurs every month 2-4pm. St Thomas of Canterbury Parish



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0151 522 1047.



Dementia Prayer Week **from 12-19 March. For prayers or resources:**  
[www.pastoralcareproject.org.uk](http://www.pastoralcareproject.org.uk)  
Dementia Awareness Week  
**takes place from 14-21 May with Professor June Andrews coming on Friday, 19 May.**  
*Anyone wishing to become a Dementia Champion organise a Dementia Information Session in their parish or group please contact Maureen Knight*  
[m.knight@rcaol.co.uk](mailto:m.knight@rcaol.co.uk) or **0151 522 1046.**

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