

Come and learn about the Church's social teaching with other young adults in a stimulating and friendly atmosphere.

You are invited to the third in a series of four forums for **YOUNG ADULTS** (Y12 to 30 yrs) exploring the principles at the heart of Catholic social teaching.

Human Dignity (Winter 2006)

Subsidiarity (Summer 2006)

Common Good (Winter 2007)

Solidarity (Summer 2007).

Each forum will include talks, lunch, time for prayer, discussion and the chance to enjoy great company.

...the Church's social teaching is itself a valid instrument of evangelisation. As such, it proclaims God and his mystery of salvation in Christ to every human being, and for that very reason reveals man to himself. In this light, and only in this light, does it concern itself with everything else: the human rights of the individual, and in particular of the "working class", the family and education, the duties of the State, the ordering of national and international society, economic life, culture, war and peace, and respect for life from the moment of conception until death.

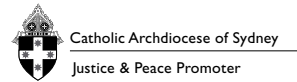
John Paul II, Centesimus Annus, 54

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Saturday June 9 2007
11.30AM - 4.30PM
St Mary's Cathedral College Hall

Catholic Social Teaching:
a dialogue with young adults
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COMMON GOOD

...the Church's social doctrine has become a set of fundamental guidelines offering approaches that are valid even beyond the confines of the Church: in the face of ongoing development these guidelines need to be addressed in the context of dialogue with all those seriously concerned for humanity and for the world in which we live.

Benedict XVI, Deus Caritas Est, n. 27.

Are you concerned for humanity and for the world in which we live?

The focus of the Winter Catholic Social Teaching 2007 forum is

THE COMMON GOOD

...seeking the good of others as though it were our own.

Speakers at the Winter 2007 Forum will be:



Ms Sandie Cornish

What is the "Common Good" in Catholic Social Teaching?

Sandie Cornish works for the Loyola Institute, a centre committed to sharing the spirituality of St Ignatius and building up a faith that does justice.



Hon Tony Abbott MP

The Common Good and the Workplace

Tony Abbott is the Federal Member for Warringah and Minister for Health and Ageing.



Bishop Christopher Toohey

The Common Good and the Environment

Bishop Toohey is the shepherd of the Diocese of Wilcannia-Forbes and chair of the Bishops' Commission for Justice and Service.

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**For catering purposes
please register by
Wednesday 6th June**

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**You are invited to make a
\$10 dollar donation
to assist in covering costs.**

"The Church offers its social teaching to all Christians and people of goodwill as a series of reflections on the best way to advance the common good and defend important human values. I encourage the young people of Sydney to hear the call and accept the challenge of the Church's social teaching."

Cardinal George Pell

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