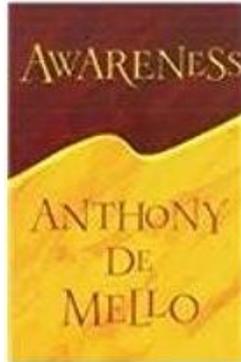


CHURCH LIBRARY

We have been given a selection of books to add to our Church Library. Over the coming months I will be reviewing a number of them and also re-positioning and tidying up those books which we already have.

For the past year, very few people have borrowed books and it would be good to see that more people are interested in this added facility to our Church premises. Please let me know if you have any comments, positive or negative, which can be of help in making the Library work for us.

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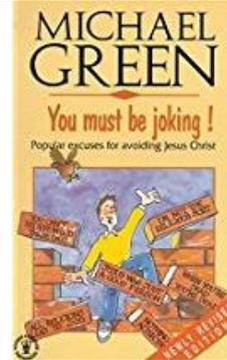
Known as one of the greatest spiritual guides of the twentieth century, Anthony de Mello tells many stories, down to earth stories, in this little book.

De Mello was widely known in English and Spanish speaking countries for his retreats, workshops and seminars on prayer. He talked to all faiths and met the people at their level.

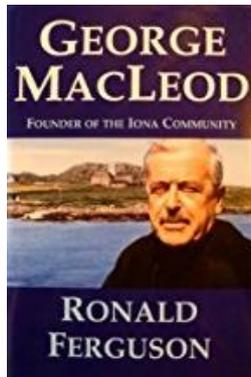
A fascinating, easy to read book and you'll find a story that will move you.

The sub-title for this book is "Popular excuses for avoiding Jesus Christ". With chapters headed, "I'm not the religious sort", "Nothing can alter the past" and "Jesus was just a good man", makes you think and, I hope, read on.

Those of you who have a memory for names, may recognize the name Michael Green as a Canon in the Church of England – one-time Rector of St Aldgate's, Oxford.



I would find it difficult to believe that anyone has never heard of Iona and the Iona Community. Many people have been there and experienced it for themselves. This book by Ronald Ferguson tells of the founder of the Iona Community – George Macleod.



The ecclesiastical dynasty in which he was born is quite amazing on its own. Even before you get to the background of the founding of the Iona Community in 1938 there is much to be learnt. In many ways, it is not just a biography of a man but also of the founding of the Community. Certainly, a journey in faith. I recommend it to you.

When we talk about contemplative life in prayer we think of retreating from the world and so on. However, this little book helps one to understand with questions like, "Can I live a life of prayer?" and "What can I offer?" An interesting read and certainly makes one think

