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| **Reference**  Galatians 3:28  Dignity | **What it says** | **What it means** |
| CCC – 1705  Dignity | By virtue of his/her soul and his/her spiritual powers of intellect and will, man and woman is endowed with freedom, an "outstanding manifestation of the divine image.” |  |
| John 15:12  Love | “This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you.” | Loving one another as Jesus loved us means that we don’t ignore the cry of the poor and we stand in solidarity with those who are marginalised |
| 1 Corinthians 13:4-7  Love |  |  |
| Acts 2:44-45  Love/Charity |  |  |
| Genesis 2:15  Environmental care |  |  |
| [***Mater et Magistra***](http://www.vatican.va/holy_father/john_xxiii/encyclicals/documents/hf_j-xxiii_enc_15051961_mater_en.html) **–** “Mother and Teacher” (1961  )  196-197 | (196) Genesis relates how God gave two commandments to our first parents: to transmit human life—”Increase and mutliply” (44)—and to bring nature into their service—”Fill the earth, and subdue it.” (45) These two commandments are complementary.  (197) Nothing is said in the second of these commandments about destroying nature. On the contrary, it must be brought into the service of human life |  |