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GANG MEMBERS

MONSIGNOR

MUTILATED BODIES

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TODAY'S WEATHER

Today

A chance of showers between noon and 2pm. Cloudy, then gradual clearing during the afternoon, with a high near 62. West wind 10 to 15 mph, with gusts as high as 35 mph. Chance of precipitation is 30%. New precipitation amounts of less than a tenth of an inch possible.

Tonight

Mostly clear, with a low around 27. Southwest wind 10 to 15 mph, with gusts as high as 35 mph.

Police Arrest Gang Members

By Mike Gamgee

Police responded to reports of suspicious activity, that reportedly led to the arrest of several local gang members. The gang in question the so called "Black Serpents" have been involved in the sale and distribution of heroin and other drugs throughout the city.

The authorities were called in on Saturday evening when a local resident spotted several suspicious people lingering behind the 7-11 on Maple St. When police arrived they approached the men loitering, which led to a confrontation, which led to their arrest. The men were in possession of heroin and other narcotics, and charged with intent to sell, as well as resisting arrest and possession of firearms. The weapons found lacked serial numbers and are

believed to have been illegally acquired.

Witnesses say the struggle was brief and the police involved were members of the recently formed task force specifically created to target drug distribution and gang violence.



Mutilated Bodies Found

By John Phillips

A pair of bodies discovered yesterday afternoon continue to baffle law enforcement. The Bodies, identified as James and Michelle Peterson, were found inside a dumpster on South Willow st. They had been reported missing two days earlier by their son Eric who said they had not returned from a shopping trip the previous afternoon.

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New Monsignor Appointed

By Eric Reed

A new Monsignor has been appointed to St. Joseph's Cathedral. Adrian Kinsler, a Bishop coming to Manchester from his home in Berlin. Kinsler has been appointed to St. Joseph's Cathedral to "Oversee the physical and spiritual needs of the people of Manchester." He said in an interview, last weekend after performing a mass for those who gathered in fairly large numbers to meet the new leader of their congregation.

Kinsler though is not without his own interesting history, and has made a reputation for himself as a church appointed exorcist. He claims to have participated in over twenty exorcism rituals and conducted training for young members of the church in how to properly diagnose demonic possession, and tell it apart from simple mental health disorders. Kinsler chose not to comment on his background instead stating that his focus here is not to hunt demons, but to "ensure the fostering of spiritual purity" nevertheless he has been welcomed by his congregation, in a time when greed, drugs, and corruption hold the city in its grip, the Monsignor is seen as "a light in the darkness" According to his followers.

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The bodies were heavily mutilated and needed to be identified by dental records. What has confounded police however is that both of the bodies were is advanced stages of decomposition, a fact that doesn't line up with the time of their supposed disappearance. Police have begun questioning family and friends and several of them reported contact with the deceased within a day of their going missing. Police examiners have not been able to reconcile the data available and the state of the bodies. Despite that police believe foul play in involved.



DEAR SANDY

DEAR SANDY- I feel lost, and empty. I suffer from SAD so maybe that's just it. I can't help feel like world exists only in shades of gray, and some days I'd slit my own wrist just to see color. It all just seems so banal, I don't know what to do.
-Desperately Seeking Sunshine

DEAR SUNSHINE- Please don't take any drastic actions. I promise things will get better. If you are considering injuring yourself then please call a suicide hotline immediately. Life isn't dark and gloomy like you believe, there are myriad colors, and many things to be happy about. Spring is right around the corner so please hang on!

ODD NEWS

(CNN) —A fairy-tale photo shoot turned into an episode of "COPS" when a "unicorn" made a break for it. Wednesday night, Juliette, a white pony adorned with a fake horn, was posing with kids during a children's photo shoot in Madera Ranchos, California, near Fresno. She escaped twice during the festivities, while her owner was busy taking the photos.

The first time the pony escaped it was captured quickly by its handler.

The second time, Juliette didn't mess around. She dashed for the streets of Madera Ranchos. The family hosting the photo shoot alerted the California Highway Patrol, which spent hours trying to find the runaway pony. The search became so desperate that the local police had to use a helicopter and thermal imaging to locate the pony, which was hiding out in an orchard. A neighbor lured Juliette out of her hiding place with her own horse with whom the pony is familiar. Juliette was promptly returned to her stable with her unicorn horn still intact.