

Thursday digest

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- [N.Y. Catholic church raising funds for statue of gay '9/11 saint'](#)
- [Bats in belfry plague British church](#)

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- The Colbert Super PAC ad is [confusing](#).