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Formerly, Senior Adviser, Club of Madrid. 2000-03, Visiting Fellow, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University. May 2002, initiated and participated in the first official high-level post conflict talks between NATO and the government in Belgrade; 25 years as Executive Committee Member, Pax Christi International, responsible for the movement's East-West Dialogue programme during the Soviet period. Director and Co-Founder, Forward Thinking. Author, Violence in God's Name, exploring the roots of violence within each of the major faith traditions. Broadcasts on radio and TV and contributes articles to the UK and international press. Recipient, International Gold Medallion (1998) for outstanding contribution to interfaith understanding.

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Oliver McTernan, has an established background in conflict resolution and interfaith relationships. He was a Visiting Fellow of the Weatherhead Centre for International Affairs at Harvard University 2000 -2003. He was responsible for initiating the first post- Kosovo conflict talks between NATO and the Belgrade government. His book Violence in God's Name explores the role of religion in an age of conflict. He broadcasts regularly on radio and television.

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Oliver James McTernan, Irish, British Priest. Ordained priest, 1972. Member Catholic Institute International Relationships, Association Christian Broadcasters.

Background

McTernan, Oliver James was born on July 10, 1947 in Manor Hamilton, Leitrim, Ireland. Arrived in England, 1957. Son of James and Catherine McTernan.

Education

Diploma philosophy, English College, Lisbon, Portugal, 1968. Diploma theology, St. Edmund's College, 1971.

Career

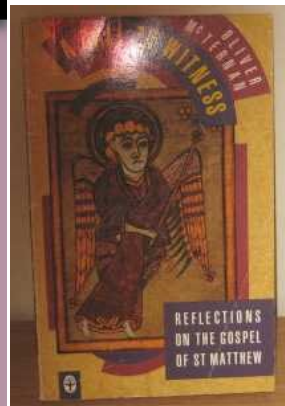
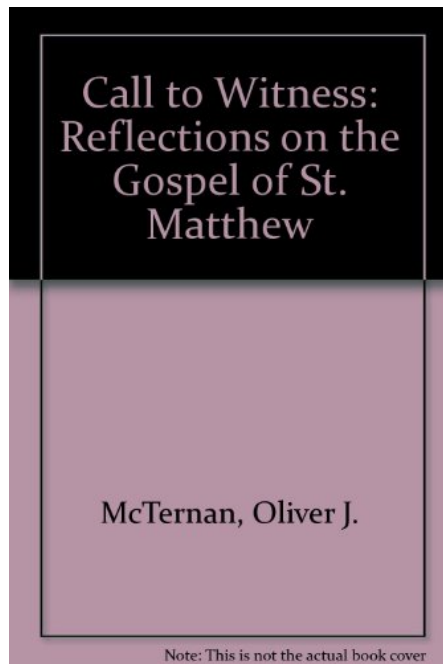
Assistant parish priest, St. John's Church Islington, London, 1972-1981; parish priest, St. Francis of Assisi Pottery Lane, London, since 1981. Member Executive Committee Pax Christi International, Brussels, since 1983. Trustee, dir.CHAS Housing Aid Society, London, 1985-1995.

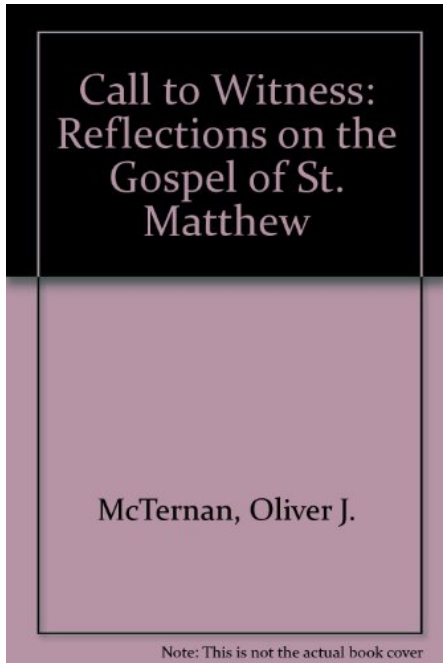
Founder, director St. Francis and St. Sergius Trust Fund, London, Moscow, since 1993.

Achievements

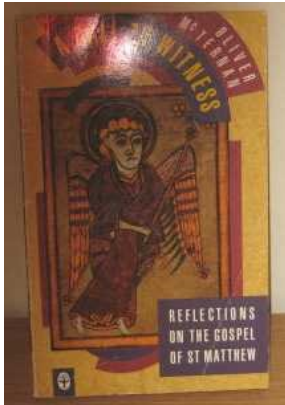
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Works





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Works Gallery

- **book**
 - [Call to Witness: Reflections on the Gospel of St. Matthew](#) (Book by McTernan, Oliver J.)
 - [A Call to Witness](#)

Membership

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Interests

- **Other Interests**
Avocations: squash, rugby football, mountain walking.

Connections

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James McTernan

mother:
Catherine McTernan