

CREATURES...

WALL OPPOSITE 5 CASTLE STREET

With his knapsack on his back this gargoyle is leaping the orchard wall and making good his escape with only a backward glance and wave to both us and his fellow gargoyles left forever to gaze down from the ramparts of the Cathedral.

5 VICAR'S HILL

A classic nose for this rather imperious door-knocker gargoyle who has a Volkswagen Beetle bonnet for a snout. Created from a child's rather well-loved and discarded toy found in the gutters of the City and given a new lease of life.

MARKETPLACE THEATRE

Clutching his tickets and trying to get hold of his 'date' for the evening, this 'culture vulture' gargoyle is first in the queue for the opening night. Perhaps also a timely reminder to theatre-goers to 'switch off' before they take their seat.

PUBLIC LIBRARY, 43 ABBEY STREET

Such is the burden of a librarian... What angels! This one guards not only the collection of ancient books at the library, but also an important hoard of Medieval hand-bells.

AMMA CENTRE, MARKETPLACE

Is this the Mouth of Truth for the new digital age? Perhaps this gargoyle is what future generations will evolve into if we spend too long staring into our laptops?

ULURU RESTAURANT, MARKETPLACE

This kangaroo-style gargoyle nursing its infant and shielding its eyes is probably just relieved to have escaped being part of the menu... for the present at least!

MALL SHOPPING CENTRE / O'BRIEN'S

More parking warden than decorative feature those beady eyes gazing out over his VW Beetle bonnet-snout might make you doubly careful to pay-and-display before you leave the car-park.

MCCRUM'S COURT

One too many bottles... but at least this gargoyle stuck to drinking bottled water – or so he says...

CHARLEMONT ARMS HOTEL, 57 ENGLISH STREET

A spirit guarding the spirit. With wings from a modern American fighter plane, this girl means business. So, under the new political order you'd better order politely.

SHAMBLES MARKET, DAWSON STREET

A winged butcher from the olden days of the Shambles slaughterhouse. Not a job for an angel you'd think? But angels like gargoyles have their dark side...

NORTHERN BANK, 78 SCOTCH STREET

This banker gargoyle is keeping an eye on the night safe – just incase you have any funny ideas...

TRIMPRINT, 36 ENGLISH STREET

Proof-reading the latest publication is a serious business even for the editor of the Daily Gargoyle. Or is he just the Printer's Devil enjoying the sun at lunch break?

POST OFFICE, 26-28 BARRACK STREET

A modern Mercury takes to the air with his Airmail letter wings and parcel. There is, of course, an additional charge for angel delivery.

RC CATHEDRAL FENCE

A call to prayer and remembrance for the City as the monk, complete with his First World War tri-plane wings and monocle, strikes the ancient bell from Terryhoogan, Co. Armagh.

6 RUSSELL STREET

An angel calling the ancient sounds of the area with her famous Loughnashade Iron-Age trumpa, originally found in a lake at nearby Navan Fort.

34 SCOTCH STREET

A free-running angel is scaling the City and performing his urban acrobatics. It's all made a bit easier though when you've got fighter plane wings attached.

BUTTER MARKET, DOBBIN STREET

Time to sit and stare. Or is this nonchalant gargoyle waiting for his date to meet him under the clock?

DOBBIN ST. LANE, DVA ENTRANCE

Even angels have to do the shopping. But what's in the bag? Angel Delight of course...

THE GAS LAMP, 55 THOMAS STREET

More a will o' the wisp perhaps than an angel with his gas-lamp lighting pole. It must be serving time.

CHAPEL LANE/OGLE STREET

This old boot gargoyle is in desperate need of repair. Perhaps it should ask one of the City's angels to help mend its sole?

42 SCOTCH STREET/LINENHALL ST.

Oh the vanity of gargoyles... But then have you ever seen a gargoyle in a pair of glasses?

BANK OF IRELAND, 11 ENGLISH STREET

Checking the true value of your money by giving it a good old-fashioned bite. That's how this gargoyle is planning to get through times of recession.