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A statue of Catherine McAuley, founder of the Sisters of Mercy, is seen in Baggot Street, Dublin. (Wikimedia Commons/Spleodrach)



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Poverty, chastity and obedience — and for Sisters of Mercy, there is one more vow. In this clip from "In Good Faith," Mercy Sr. Barb Giehl describes the fourth vow taken in her order.

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