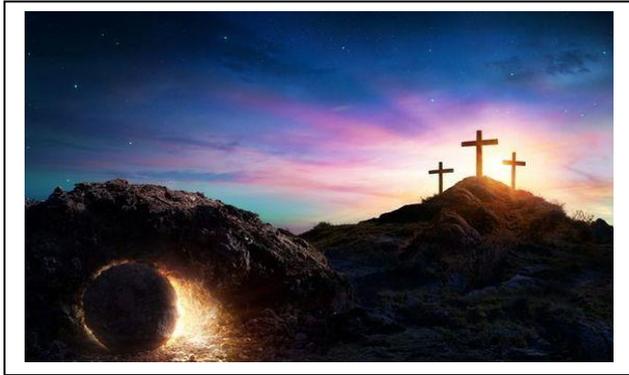


**Our Lady Crowned Church – Mayfield
Parish Newsletter
Easter Sunday 2021
Sunday 4th April 2021**



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Mass Times

No Public Masses under Level 5 Restrictions

Livestreamed Daily Mass

Monday to Friday: 9.30am

Livestreamed Sunday Mass

Sunday Vigil: 5.00pm

Church Opening Times:

Open Daily including Sunday
8.30am to 5.00pm

Recent deaths in our parish

We extend our prayers and sympathies to the families of:

Dylan Kelleher – Dunard
Eileen Mulrey – St Joseph’s Park
Thomas Walsh - Farranree

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May the souls of the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

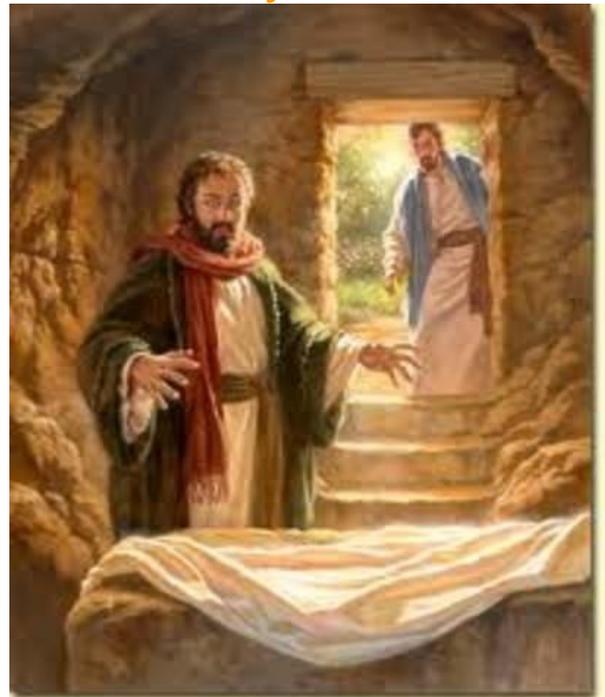
Evening Prayer

We thank Rev Deacon David Lane and his family for Evening Prayer during Lent – tonight Easter Sunday Evening Prayer will be available and David invites you to join with him at 8.00pm. This will be available on Our Lady Crowned Church Facebook and Website.

Easter Holy Water

Easter Holy Water now available in our church

Easter Sunday Reflection 2021



The reason for the joy of Easter is that Christ is risen - the women who came to the tomb found their joy in this. They may have found joy also in a beautiful dawn in the garden, or in their friendships, but the joy of Easter is a joy of faith, which nothing need take away.

The joy of the resurrection is a joy in giving the life we have received from God: 'Life grows by being given away, and it weakens in isolation and comfort. Indeed, those who enjoy life most are those who leave security on the shore and become excited by the mission of communicating life to others' (Pope Francis).

We often see great joy in the middle of huge poverty: often the poor can live for the present moment and enjoy it to the full. Sometimes in the middle of illness we find a peace we don't know from where it comes. The grace of the risen Jesus can touch our lives at any time. Let's not be like Christians 'whose lives seem like Lent without Easter' (Pope Francis).

Having lived through the joyful season of Lent, our hearts are wholly lifted now in joy received and joy given.

Breathe in and out: on the inbreath echo the word 'joy'; on the outbreath echo the word 'thanks'. Risen Christ, raise our lives in joy.

A Spiritual Journey through Easter Week

We invite you to join with us on a Spiritual Journey through this Easter Week from Our Lady Crowned Church each morning at 9.30am

online: olcmayfield.ie/livestream

with Fr Ben Hegarty OP and Fr Joe Kavanagh OP.

Monday 5th April to Friday 9th April



If you wish to help please contact
St Vincent de Paul Office
Tuckey Street, Cork.
Telephone 021-4270444

Trócaire Lent Appeal 2021

Trócaire's Lenten Campaign this year is for people who lost everything in South Sudan. Trócaire Lenten Appeal 2021 Your help will go a long way in being a lifeline in helping families who have lost everything. You can return your Boxes to the Parish Office and we will send your money to Trócaire. Many thanks for your help.

Parish Donate Button & QR Code

Full details about our methods of supporting our parish financially are on our parish website under the Parish News Section: olcmayfield.ie

The following are the Unique QR Codes for Our Lady Crowned Church – Upper Mayfield:



Our Lady Crowned Church – Church Collections Main Page.



Our Lady Crowned Church - Offertory Collection



Our Lady Crowned Church – Priest's Income

Easter Dues Envelopes

Easter Dues Envelopes are available on the tables as you enter the church. We thank you for your generous support and your ongoing encouragement.

Easter Sunday Collection

Easter Sunday Collection is for the income of the priests in the parish – many thanks for your support.

Shrine to St Joseph

Every Friday here in Our Lady Crowned Church the notes that you place at our new shrine dedicated to St Joseph and the Sleeping St Joseph will be included in our 9.30am Mass. Come and visit our new shrine in this special Year of St Joseph. St Joseph Prayer Cards now available at the shrine in our church.

Message from Fr Charlie.

Firstly I would like to wish all our parishioners a very Happy and Joy-filled Easter. Despite Restriction Level 5 since Christmas our Parish Community here in Our Lady Crowned Church has been very active. Every day I feel that the community spirit is very much alive and well. However, it is sad to see our church closed for our Masses, but, hopefully by the beginning of May we will be open again if and when restrictions are eased and the number of cases drop to an acceptable level by the health authorities and the Government.

It is great to be able to celebrate Mass here each day for you the parishioners and the wider area who attend online. On an average we have 20,000 people joining us every week online and this number continues to rise.

The support of so many people means a lot to me. On a daily and weekend basis I would like to thank Pat and Mary for their dedicated help in the church always ensuring that everything is ready and prepared for me.

I would like to thank Iris, Aidan and Frank for delivering the Word of God at our Masses. To William, Anne and Nial for their care to the grounds and church. To the Rev Deacon David Lane and his family for their support and help and inviting us into their home every evening during Lent for Evening Prayer. To Fr Dwayne Gavin for his help at the weekends. I would like to thank the Dominican Community in Ennismore especially Fr Ben, Fr Joe and Fr Stephen for their help and support.

Finally, I wish to thank you the parish community of Our Lady Crowned for your kindness, support and encouragement during these difficult times and helping me call Mayfield my home.

May the joy and the blessings of Easter be yours and with your family on this Easter Sunday 2021.

Happy Easter 2021