

Our Lady Crowned Church
Upper Mayfield Parish
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Parish Newsletter
Third Sunday of Easter 2022
May Bank Holiday Weekend
Sunday 1st May 2022



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PUBLIC MASS TIMES

WEEKDAY MASSES

MONDAY TO FRIDAY – 9.30AM

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil for Sunday: 5.00pm

Sunday: 9.30am & 12 noon

CHURCH OPENING TIMES

Open Daily 8.30am to 5.00pm

Sunday: 8.30am to 1.00pm

DAILY ROSARY

9.00am Monday to Friday

ALL MASSES ARE LIVESTREAMED

olcmayfield.ie/livestream

PLEASE NOTE: That all our Masses are livestreamed and that our church and grounds are monitored with 24 hour CCTV

Gospel Reflection
3rd Sunday of Easter 2022



Recognition...

I am sure you have all been there...seen someone in front of you and not recognised them even though they know who you are. It can in fact be quite embarrassing when realisation dawns on us.

Today this is the same for the disciples...They have returned to their usual way of life and are out fishing one night in the darkness when Jesus comes along and speaks to them. He directs them to go out again and this time they have a huge catch of fish to bring home. It is coming towards dawn and the night of the apostles, their darkness, is swept away by the light of the Risen Christ recognised by John and announced by him to the others.

In this Gospel scene their tiredness is overcome by joy, their darkness is overcome by light and they come ashore to share in breakfast with the Risen Lord who reminds them again of his actions at the Last Supper by taking bread and sharing it with them. This is confirmation for them that Jesus is among them once again.

What does it say to us? We all crave recognition and it is the same for Jesus. He wants us to take to heart what he asks of us...to bring light to dark places, to share his love with others, to tell others about him...to come to the table of Eucharist and invite others to come with us to share in the Body of Christ. Do you have the courage to invite...to share...to reach out?

Visits to the Sick and Housebound

Fr Charlie will visit the Sick and Housebound of the Parish starting on Tuesday – Times and days may vary this coming week.

Recent Deaths

We extend our prayers and sympathies to the families of:

Thomas Mannion – Ballyholly Road

Peggy Murphy – Avonmore Park

May all our deceased loved ones
rest in eternal peace Amen.

Recent Baptisms

We welcome to the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism

Liam Colm Bond

Luke Christopher Mulcahy

George Harvey Lally

Ollie John Dwyer

12.00 Noon Parish Choir

The Parish Choir has returned to sing at the 12.00 noon Mass every Sunday

The Choir invites new members of all ages to join the Choir. Rehearsal takes place on a Sunday at 11am followed by Mass at 12 noon.

Recent Ukrainian Church Collection

The Special Collection for Ukraine in the Diocese of Cork and Ross on 26th/27th March has now reached **€237,729**. The proceeds of this Special Collection are directed to Caritas Internationalis, which is the helping hand of the Church on the ground in the Ukraine and the surrounding region.

Nationally, this collection has raised to date over **€3.25 million**. The funds raised will be used by the international Catholic Church agency, Caritas Internationalis, which is currently operating on the ground in Ukraine and its surrounding areas. We continue to keep the people of Ukraine in our thoughts, praying for peace and an end to this appalling humanitarian crisis.

Vocations Sunday

Next Sunday 8th May is Vocations Sunday and will be an appropriate opportunity to for us to continue to pray for and encourage vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Bishop Fintan Gavin will launch a new prayer card/bookmark on Saturday 7th May at 6pm Vigil Mass in St. Joseph's Church, Springhill Glanmire.

May Procession ~ Glanmire Parish
Sunday May 1st

Leaving St Joseph's Church, Springhill, Glanmire
at 3.00pm in procession to the Grotto in Glanmire.

Easter Holy Water

Easter Holy Water now available in our church



Monthly Collection This Weekend

If you wish to help please contact

St Vincent de Paul Office

Tuckey Street, Cork.

Telephone 021-4270444

Trócaire Lent Appeal 2022

Trócaire's Lenten Campaign with 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. **This is the final week for the Return of Trócaire Boxes.**

Easter Dues Envelopes 2022

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

The Synodal Pathway – Diocese of Cork and Ross



The Holy Father asks every Catholic in the world to have a say in the life of the Catholic Church! During this month of May, our diocese will be opening up ways for people to have a say and to listen and have an input into next year's Synod meeting in Rome which is called by Pope Francis.

The easiest way to find out more and to have your say is to go to <http://synod.corkandross.org> where an online confidential questionnaire is available to be filled in. (It'll take about 15 minutes.)

It's open until May 24th. All the responses will be collated and added to the feedback from meetings being held across the diocese with randomly selected groups during May.

A summary document will be forwarded from our diocese at the end of May.

So, it's time to have your say at:
<http://synod.corkandross.org>.