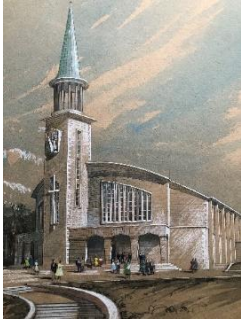


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Upper Mayfield Parish
Cork T23 K377

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Our Lady Crowned Church, St Joseph's
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Parish Newsletter
Sunday 8th October 2023
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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PUBLIC MASS TIMES

LITURGY OF THE WORD & HOLY COMMUNION

Monday to Thursday: 9.30am

WEEKDAY MASSES

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

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Gospel Reflection



What kind of tenant are you?

Have you ever thought of yourself as a tenant in the vineyard of the Lord? Have you ever thought about how well you tend the vines leased to you? Have you ever looked at how plentiful is the harvest of your section of the vineyard?

Today's Gospel puts these questions before us as we read the parable of the wicked tenants – they are jealous, self-seeking people looking to increase their landowning and profits. They are not content to work away with what they have been given.

God has given each of us a share of his vineyard, we are charged by Him to work away where we are, among the people we meet to bring the Gospel message to life in our time and place for all whom we encounter. When forgetfulness creeps into our lives and we see ourselves as independent of God, as owners of all we possess rather than tenants who have a portion of God's vineyard on loan to us then we too become like the wicked tenants.

So today let us remember again – God gives us a share of his vineyard, to plant, to nurture and to harvest for Him and for the growth of his kingdom here on earth.

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

Retreat for Priests of Diocese of Cork & Ross

This will take place from Sunday 8th to Thursday 12th October. During these days there will not be any Masses in the diocesan churches. Instead at Our Lady Crowned Church there will be Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion each morning Monday to Thursday at 9.30am

Second Collection this weekend

The second collection this weekend is the Church Maintenance Fund Collection – We thank you for your generosity.

BusConnects Colmcille Avenue and Iona Pk

Following on a number of meetings with the BusConnects team, the group representing concerned residents in Colmcille Avenue and Iona Park are pleased to advise that proposals for the cycle route in their area have now been redesigned.

The proposed redesign will, if ultimately agreed, involve no interference with the parking, trees and footpaths, while offering a safe route for cyclists. They understand that the redesigned route will form part of the proposals for the third round of consultations which BusConnects have advised will take place later this year.

Unfortunately, there has been no progress in the group's efforts to have the proposals for the revised bus route and bus gates revisited however they are continuing their efforts on these fronts.

We will let you know once a date has been set for the third round of consultations so that everybody who wants to can have their say.

Sacraments 2024 - Dates

Confirmation

Gaelscoil an Ghoirt Alainn: 20/02/2023

Scoil Mhuire agus Eoin: 11/04/2023

First Holy Communion

Scoil Mhuire agus Eoin: 11/05/2023

Gaelscoil an Ghoirt Alainn: 25/05/2023

"Society of St Vincent de Paul are holding a Membership Recruitment Information Evening this coming Tuesday evening Oct 10 at 7.30 at the Metropole Hotel MacCurtain St. See notice also on Church Board. We need you and your talent. Looking forward to seeing you".

"I Want People to Come Here"

The Story of Lourdes and St Bernadette

Written by Fr Charles Kiely

Copies available from the Parish Office ~ €5.00

Recent Deaths

We extend our prayers and sympathies to the families of those who died during the past week:

Sheila McCarthy – Montenotte

Mary Kelly – Tivoli

Monica O'Dwyer – Lotabeg Tce

Paddy McCarthy – Montenotte

Grace Salmon (nee Nodwell)

Maureen Myles - Tivoli

Esther Kirwin – St Lukes

Michael Geary – Tivoli

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

Vocations to the Priesthood in Cork and Ross

For details contact: Fr Cian O'Sullivan

Email: vocations@corkandross.org

Christian Meditation Group

Every Tuesday after the 9.30am Mass.

All are welcome.

Our Lady Crowned Church Choir

The 12.00 noon Sunday Mass Parish Choir are inviting new members and musicians to join. Practice every Sunday at 11.00am. For details contact Michael Joyce (Choir Director)

Ministers of the Word and Eucharist (INVITATION)

We are inviting new members to join our existing teams here at Our Lady Crowned Church – Please hand your name into the Parish Office – Training will take place on Thursday 12th October at 7.30pm. Your involvement will be greatly appreciated.

Altar Servers

We are inviting all who have made their First Holy Communion to consider being an Altar Server here at Our Lady Crowned Church.

Mayfield East Community Association

AGM will be held on Monday 9th October 2023 at 7.30pm in Kerrigan Tryell Community Hall, Mayfield.

Diocese of Cork and Ross ~ CONNECT 3

Faith Gathering for Young People 18-35

Sunday 15th October 9.30am to 4.15pm

at the Student Centre, UCC.

Register at corkandross.org

PLEASE NOTE - In the event of an Emergency and someone needing an Ambulance ~ it is very important that the entrance and area in front of the Church is kept clear at all times.

THANK YOU