

**Our Lady Crowned Church**  
Upper Mayfield Parish  
Cork T23 K377

## Parish Newsletter

**Sunday 29th October 2023**

**30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

### Family of Parishes

Our Lady Crowned Church  
St Joseph's Church & Holy Family Church



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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**

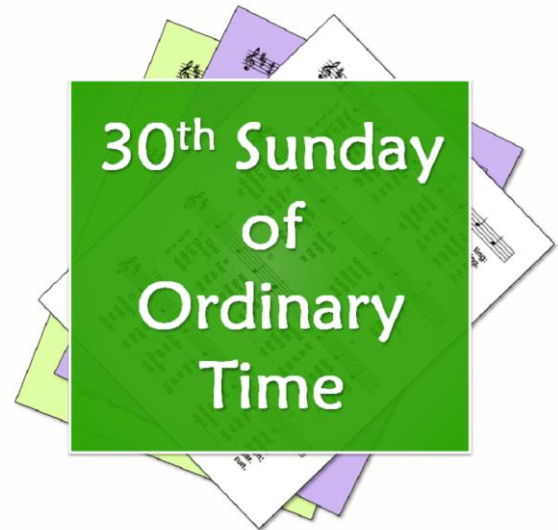
#### **DAILY ROSARY**

**9.00am Monday to Friday**

**ALL MASSES ARE LIVESTREAMED**

[olcmayfield.ie/livestream](http://olcmayfield.ie/livestream)

## Gospel Reflection



### **Back to basics...**

Have you noticed when doing the weekly shop that most supermarkets offer their own brand range of goods often with names like simply or essentials or basics... They come without the fancy packaging, colourful advertising or layers of wrapping so as to make them more affordable while still offering a full week's menu for a family.

In our Gospel today Jesus is questioned and offers his simple or basic or essential range in reply – it consists of just two commandments, that are inseparable: **to love God and to love your neighbour** – on these two hang everything we need in life. It is a mirror of Jesus on the cross - through him we reach up (vertically) towards God offering all our love and with Jesus we reach out (horizontally) to all people around us in love.

These are the two essentials in living our lives as disciples of Christ. Take a moment this week to reflect on these movements – vertically and horizontally – **how in your life do you show your love for God and your love for all people?**

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

**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**

**HAPPY BANK HOLIDAY WEEKEND**

## Recent Deaths

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

**Fr. Criostóir MacDonal** – St Joseph's Church

**Mona Carroll** - Glenamoy Lawn

**Daniel Curtin** - Springfield Estate

**Ted Law** - Murmont

**Sheila Cusack** - Brian Dillon Park

**Roy O'Sullivan** - USA

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

## Cemetery Prayers & Blessing of Graves

### Saturday 4th November 2023

St Oliver's: 2.00pm with Mass

### Sunday 5th November 2023

St Finbarr's: 2.30pm

St Joseph's: 2.30pm

Curraghkippane: 3.00pm

Rathcooney 3.00pm

St Michael's Blackrock 3.00pm

Little Island after 10.30am Mass

St Jame's Chetwynd 3.00pm

Kilquane after 9.00am Mass in Knockraha

Little Island after 10.30am Mass

Caherlag after 12.00 noon Mass

### Sunday 12th November 2023

St Catherine's, Kilcully 3.00pm

Ballylucra: 1.00pm

All other cemeteries times are listed on the Cork & Ross Diocesan Website

## Mass on All Saint's Day Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November

9.30am: Our Lady Crowned Church

10.15am: St Joseph's Church

10.15am: Holy Family Church

## Holy Souls Novena 2023



The Annual Novena for the Holy Souls begins on November 2<sup>nd</sup> to the 10<sup>th</sup> November. Novena Envelopes are now available at the entrance to the church. When compiling the names of your deceased loved ones please do not forget to include those who have no one to remember them.

## Visits to the Sick and Housebound

Due to circumstances beyond our control Fr Charlie and Fr Pontianus will NOT be able to visit the Sick and Housebound this coming week. Instead the visits will take place in December.

## November Remembrance Masses



On the weekend of the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> November all the churches in our Family of Parishes will remember all those who died during the past year in the weekend Masses.



**Let the children come to me and do not stop them.** At every Sunday Mass the blessing of children who have not yet received Holy Communion takes place immediately after Holy Communion. All children are invited to come forward for the blessing.

## Sunday Mass Leaflets

We have re-introduced the Sunday Mass Leaflets with the Sunday Readings, Gospel and responses.

## "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

## Vocations to the Priesthood in Cork and Ross

For details contact: Fr Cian O'Sullivan

Email: [vocations@corkandross.org](mailto: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)

## The Sacrament of the Sick

If anyone wishes to receive the Sacrament of the Sick please contact Fr Charlie or the Parish Office.