

Family of Parishes Newsletter

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



**Palm Sunday - Year B
Sunday 24th March 2024**

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Public Mass Times This Week

Our Lady Crowned Church

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil for Sunday: 5.00pm

Sunday: 9.30am & 12.00 noon

Daily Mass

Monday to Wednesday

9.30am each morning

St Joseph's Church

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil for Sunday: 6.00pm

Sunday: 11.00am

Daily Mass

Monday & Tuesday

10.15am each morning

Holy Family Church

Sunday Mass: 10.30am

Daily Mass: Wednesday: 10.15am

Palm Sunday Gospel Reflection

From joy to sorrow...

Have you ever experienced immense joy for a few days and then been faced with devastating sorrow or loss? Our lives are made up of days of joy and days of sorrow – you may well say – “that’s life!”

In today’s Gospel we meet with both joy and sorrow as we spend these days of Holy Week with Jesus. Our liturgy invites us to share in the joy and celebration of the people who cry out in praise of their Lord; a joy that will fade and leave a bitter and sorrowful taste by the end of the account of the Passion. The cries of “Hosanna” as Jesus enters Jerusalem will become shouts of “crucify him” in a very short time.

If we look closely at today’s readings they combine stories of joy and suffering, mistakes and successes, which are all part of our daily lives as disciples. These stories mirror our own lives as we too, just like the people around Jesus we have the capacity for great love... but also for great hatred; the capacity for courageous self-sacrifice, but also the ability to “wash our hands” at the right moment; the capacity for loyalty, but also for great abandonment and betrayal.

As you listen to the readings today – ask yourself – where am I in this story?

TRÓCAIRE LENTEN BOXES 2024

Please return your Lenten Trócaire Boxes this week. Thank you ...

Family of Parishes Holy Week & Easter Ceremonies 2024

Holy Thursday Day (28th March)

Chrism Mass: The Cathedral 10.00am

Our Lady Crowned Church - Mayfield

5.00pm: Celebration of the Last Supper Mass with time at the Altar of Repose until 10.00pm

St Joseph's Church - Mayfield

6.00pm: Celebration of the Last Supper Mass with time at the Altar of Repose until 8.00pm

Good Friday (29th March)

Our Lady Crowned Church – Mayfield

12.00 noon: Stations of the Cross

3.00pm: Liturgy of the Passion of Our Lord & Veneration of the Cross

8.00pm: Prayer around the Cross and time before the Tomb of the Lord

St Joseph's Church – Mayfield

12.00 noon: Stations of the Cross

3.00pm: Liturgy of the Passion of Our Lord & Veneration of the Cross

Holy Family Church – Military Hill

12.00 noon: Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday (30th March)

Our Lady Crowned Church – Mayfield

Visit our church during the day to pray at the Tomb of the Lord

5.00pm: Solemn Easter Vigil & Mass of The Resurrection

St Joseph's Church – Mayfield

6.00pm: Solemn Easter Vigil & Mass of The Resurrection

Easter Sunday (31st March)

Our Lady Crowned Church - Mayfield

9.30am & 12.00noon Easter Sunday Mass

Holy Family Church – Military Hill

10.30am: Easter Sunday Mass

St Joseph's Church – Mayfield

11.00: Easter Sunday Mass

Confessions for Easter: Monday to Wednesday after the Morning Masses in our churches.

Recent Deaths

We extend our sympathies and prayers to the families of:

Jerry Healy – Barnavarra Hill

Majella Deasy – Dillon's Cross

Bobbie Kinsella – Montenotte

Catherine O'Sullivan – Ballinlough (late Mayfield)

Bernadette Keohane - La Chéile Mayfield

May they rest in Eternal Peace – Amen

Parish Accounts Our Lady Crowned Church

Certified Copies of the Income & Expenditure Accounts for the Parish for 2023 are available on the Pink Sheets at the entrance to the church this weekend.

Adoration at St. Joseph's Church

Weekly Adoration at St. Joseph's Church on Monday & Tuesday at 10.45 am to 5.00 pm.

Easter Mass Bouquet Cards

Easter Mass Bouquet Cards are available from the Sacristy at Our Lady Crowned Church and St Joseph's Church.

Easter Dues Offering 2024

The Easter Offering Envelopes are now available in our churches ...

Diocese of Cork and Ross

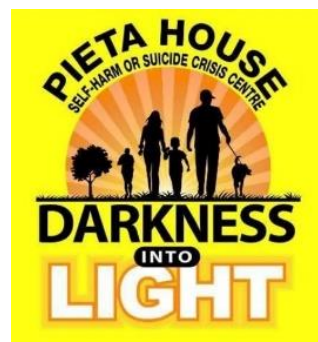
Pilgrimage to Lourdes

20th to 25th September 2024

Bookings are now open

Contact Joe Walsh Tours on 01-2410800

General Enquiries 085-25 25 040



Darkness in Light NORTHSIDE Saturday 11th May 2024

This event will take place on Saturday May 11th on the Northside in our area - more details and route will be given in the coming weeks. Please support this event and all proceeds go directly to Pieta House. Mark the date in your diary...