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MARRIAGES: Minimum 3 months notice required by Church and State. Pre-marriage course required.

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WEEKLY MASS LEAFLET UPDATES:
Email to : info@stmichaelsblackrock.ie

Mass Times

Sundays: 9 am & 11 am
Working Holy Days: 10 am
Monday to Friday: 10 am
Saturday Vigil: 6.00 pm
Fr Colin Doocey Adm. Pro Tem



Baptisms

Sebastian Chowanec.
Logan Patrick Costelloe.
Pearl Jade Hayes-Callis.
Neyo Mohamed Ndoye.



We welcome them into the Christian Family

Recently Deceased

Mairtín Fahy. Beaumont.
May the light of heaven surround him always.



BLACKROCK ST VINCENT DE PAUL

The Collection last Sunday raised €1585
A great response and support from parishioners.
Thanks to all collectors.



Summer 2022

Spirituality Opportunities at
Nano Nagle Place, Cork

- 1. A Summer Solstice Reflection**
When: Tuesday 21st June 2022 at 3.00 to 3.45 pm
Where: Nano Nagle Place Contemplative Garden
What: **An Outdoor Reflection**
- 2. Lectio Divina**
Fridays 11.00 am -12 noon
Where: Nano Nagle Place Prayer Room
- 3. Ritual at Nano's Tomb**
When: 4th Thursday of June: 11.0 -11.30 am
What: Reflection on Sacred Heart
All the above will be facilitated by Resident Sisters at Nano Nagle Place.
All are welcome.
July/ August break for summer.

Totus Tuus Pilgrimage to Fatima

September 5th -12th 2022
Seven nights in Hotel Steyler. Price: €735 pp
Spiritual Director: Fr. Marius O Reilly
Phone Damien 087-2049048 for more details

PARISH DEFIBRILLATORS

There are now 2 Defibrillators located in the Parish, one in the village & one outside Murphy's Circle K Petrol Station. The code to operate both is **2017**

PRAYER FOR THE SYNOD

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder. Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.

All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever.
Amen.

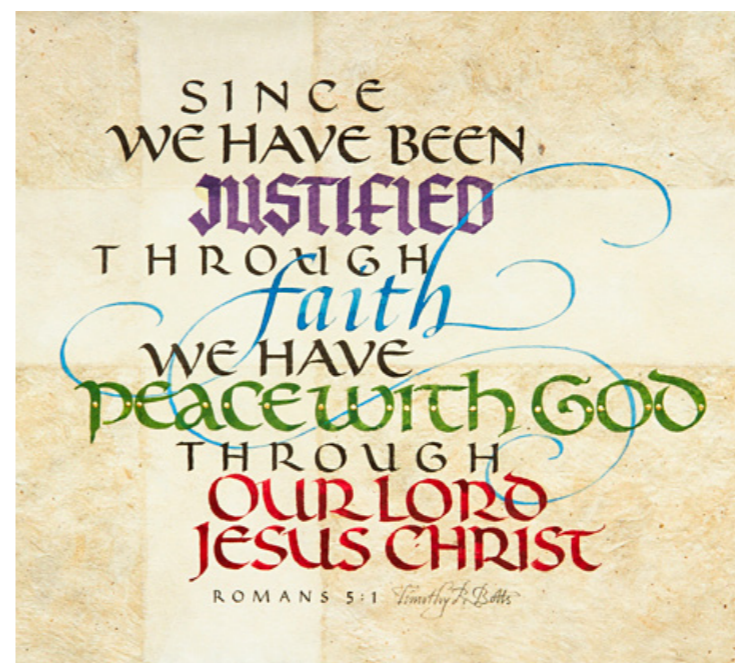
Diocese of Cork and Ross to the Pre Synodal Process. This diocesan synthesis is now submitted to form part of a national synthesis. The submission is also now available on our Diocesan website : <https://corkandross.org/diocesan/synodal-document-submitted-by-diocese/>



You may be using your mobile phone for Mass, if so, please ensure it is on silent. If not, please switch it off. Thank you



The short reading from Romans for the feast is one of the richest from the pen of St Paul. The word for faith — pistis — means not only our faith in Jesus but also Jesus' own faithfulness. It is hard to capture that extra nuance in English. A fuller version of the opening verse could run like this: *since we are put in right relationship with God through the faithfulness of Jesus and through our faith in him...*



Scripture Summer School Thursday 16th – Saturday 18th June

Walking the Synodal Pathway together

Facilitated by Mr. Sean Goan and Fr Kieran O'Mahony OSA. We are delighted to bring you this year's Scripture Summer School in association with Tarsus Scripture School.



In order to facilitate people from all over the country and further afield, we are delighted to offer participants the option of taking part online or in-person.
Beginning: Thursday, 16 June at 9.30 am
Finishing: Saturday, 18 June at 1pm.
Location (if attending in-person): St John's Welcome Centre, Knock Shrine. Booking fee €40
Bookings must be completed online at www.knockshrine.ie/scripture_summer_school
*Please note you will need to select the option to either attend online or in-person at the time of booking.

FOLLOW THE FOOTSTEPS OF JESUS FROM GALILEE TO JERUSALEM 2022

Take the TRIP of a LIFETIME to the HOLY LAND, **31st August to 10th September, 2022.**
Group Leader, Mícheál de Barra and Spiritual Director, Fr. John Newman (Scripture Scholar). In association with Premier Travel, Cork
Contact Mícheál at 086-8337681 or email info@carpediemtours.ie
(See also our website: www.carpediemtours.ie)

Thought for the day

"Silence is the language God speaks and everything else is a bad translation" is variously attributed. Whoever penned it, it strikes a chord on the feast of the Holy and Undivided Trinity. As we stand before the absolute mystery of God, one and three, transcendent and immanent, greater than our hearts and yet closer to us than we are to ourselves, wordless prayer is fitting. And yet...the Mysterious Silence has been broken, if not by "mere" words then certainly by the Word made flesh, whose Spirit has been poured into our hearts.

Prayer

God, beyond our minds and ideas, our hearts and our feelings, we believe absolutely in your love for each and for all. Let your astonishing love kindle in our inner selves a response of love and wonder. Amen.

K O'Mahony OSA

Reflections

1. Wisdom about life comes slowly and sometimes painfully. Hearing the 'right' answer at the 'wrong' time does not help us. We need to be ready and open to receiving the truth if it is to have any impact. Perhaps you can recall some occasions when it was the 'right' time for you to learn a truth about life. Remember your experiences of growing in understanding and truth.

2. Perhaps the Spirit guided you through the words of someone close to you, or through the words and actions of people you read about or saw on TV. Or maybe understanding came to you when praying or reflecting on your life. Remember and give thanks for the people who have helped you to greater wisdom on your journey through life.

3. Wisdom is handed on from person to person, and from generation to generation, within families, within communities, etc. Are there any particular gems of wisdom that you cherish from what has been handed on to you?

PRAYER

God, your name is veiled in mystery, yet we dare to call you Father; your Son was begotten before all ages, yet is born among us in time; your Holy Spirit fills the whole creation, yet is poured forth now into our hearts. Because you have made us and loved us and called us by your name, draw us more deeply into your divine life, that we may glorify you rightly, through your Son, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

