

St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church
Mon - Fri10.00 am	Thursday & Friday 9.20 am
1 <sup>st</sup> Sat. Devotions 9.45am Mass 10.00 Saturday (Vigil) 6pm	
Sunday 9.00; 10.30, 12.00	Sunday 10.00 am

St Joseph's Church Adoration Monday night 8.30 pm – 9.30 pm. Fri 10am – 10pm. St Michael's Church Thursday 10 am – Noon

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## Christian Tolerance

There is legend told about Abraham, the grand patriarch of the Jews. According to the legend, Abraham always held off eating his breakfast each morning until a hungry person came along to share it with him. One day an old man came along, and, of course, Abraham invited him to share his breakfast with him. However, when Abraham heard the old man say a pagan blessing over his food, he jumped up and ordered the old man out from his table, and from his house. Almost immediately, God spoke to Abraham. "Abraham! Abraham! I have been supplying that unbeliever with food every day for the past eighty years. Could you not have tolerated him for just one meal?"

Christian tolerance asks that we bear with the weaknesses of others, without condoning the evil they do. Intolerance is a sign of a weak faith. Intolerance is also ineffective. It does nothing but damage to the cause it seeks to defend. When we attack a heretic, we don't change his mind, for the most part. We just give him an audience. To ban a book, is, almost certainly, to make it a best seller. Condemning a sinner immediately draws people to defend him. An intolerant attitude will alienate, rather than attract, sinners. Only genuinely tolerant person can overcome hatred. Am I such a person?

## Stations

If you would like to host a station mass in your area, please contact the parish office.

Diary Date: The annual "Baby and Family Blessing Ceremony" will be held in St. Joseph's Church on Sunday, 4th October 2015 at 3pm.

**Altar Servers needed**: If your child is in 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> class and is interested in becoming an Altar Server please contact Eilís Twomey 086 8058082.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection today is for Priesthood Education.

## Songs of Faith 2015: A project for young people

A music project of one band, two choirs, three workshops, and sixteen liturgical songs – culminating in one concert. An opportunity for teenagers (13-18) and young adults (18-35) who love to sing and play and music. An opportunity to work with professional composers, musicians and conductor. Workshops on Sun 18<sup>th</sup> Oct, Sun 8<sup>th</sup> Nov 2:30pm to 5:30pm followed by third workshop and concert on Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov – all at Our Lady Crowned Church in Mayfield. Enrolment forms for under 18's from Sr Karen, if you are 18-35 and want to get involved in singing (choir and/or soloist) or join the band contact Sr Karen tel: Pastoral Development Office 021 4537601.e mail:karen.kent@corkandross.org

20 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	St Joseph's	€1,273	St Michael's	€245	Total €1,518

Night Classes in Irish for adults: Coláiste an Phairsaigh, Registration & 1<sup>st</sup> night Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> September 7.00 – 8.30 pm. 10 Week €70. Beginners and improvers welcome. Tel: 4821955.

St Vincent de Paul collection next weekend. July collection amounted to €1,218 plus €150 received. August €1,219 and September €1,580.

1<sup>st</sup> Fri/1<sup>st</sup> Sat Vigil of Adoration and Reparation Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> C.U.H. Hospital Chapel. Rosary 9 pm, First Fri Mass 9.30 pm, First Sat Mass (Fri midnight). All welcome. Anam Cara is holding its monthly Parent Evening on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> of October 2015 from 19:30 to 21:00 in the Clayton Hotel .All Anam Cara Services are available free of charge to bereaved parents.

Naomi Pre-Marriage Courses: Last two courses with vacancies on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> October and 21<sup>st</sup> November 2015 Cost: €99 per couple). Tel: 021-4272213 email:<u>naomibillingsireland@gmail.com</u>

Brooklodge parent and toddler group 20<sup>th</sup> year celebration BK2 8 pm Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October. All past and present members welcome. Contact Elmarie 086.1955388.