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MASS TIMES

Sunday

9.00, 10.30, 12.15 Saturday Vigil 6.15pm

Weekdays 9.30am

Eve of Holydays

7.30pm

Holydays

9.00, 10.30 & 7.30pm

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So that all may be heard - Synodal Pathway May 2022

It's not every day that the Holy Father asks every Catholic in the world to have a say in the life of the Catholic Church!

During this month of May, the Diocese of Cork and Ross is opening up ways for people to have a say and to listen and have an input into next year's Synod meeting in Rome which is called by Pope Francis.

The easiest way to find out more and to have your say is to go to synod.corkandross.org where an online confidential questionnaire is available to be filled in. (It'll take about 15 minutes.) It's open until May 24th. All the responses will be collated and added to the feedback from meetings being held across the diocese with randomly selected groups during May. A summary document will be forwarded from our diocese at the end of May.

So, it's time to have your say at synod.corkandross.org

Parish Notices

Mission and Ministry - annual collection:

This collection, which will be taken up today at all Masses, helps to fund the supports provided in the diocese to help parishes plan for the future, support lay leadership and ministries and develop new ways of being a vibrant faith community. A new chapter in Diocesan life with greater collaboration between Priests and people requires training and resourcing such as the current Synodal Process in the Diocese and so much in the coming months.

CONNECT - Faith Gathering for Young People (18 - 35 years)

On <u>Sunday 22nd May</u>, young people from all over the diocese of Cork and Ross will join together with Bishop Fintan for a special event called CONNECT. It will take place in the Student Centre in UCC from 2.30pm. The event promises to be a wonderful gathering of prayer, music, food, testimonies and sharing. To register for this event simply visit www.corkandross.org

Pastoral Council:

The monthly meeting will take place in the Parish Centre on Monday, 9th May, 2022. at 7.30pm

The monthly meeting will take place in the Parish Centre on Tuesday, 10th May, 2022 at 7.30pm.

Wilton Walking Group:

The group will meet on Monday mornings, assembling at 11.30am at the front of the SMA Wilton Church. Coffee and a chat in the Parish Centre afterwards. All are welcome.

Catholic Newspapers:

Sale of Irish Catholic Newspaper will recommence next week 12th May, 2022 at Church doors price €2.50. The Messenger and St. Martin's magazine will commence next month.

Update on Turkwel Security Fence

When we reported in January, we had just given Sr. Consolata the go ahead to start work on the 650-metre security fence to enclose the health clinic and maternity unit site in Kalemanyung, Turkwel. She replied that the Kalemanyung community had donated additional land to the clinic, so 30% additional fencing would be needed. Thanks to your continued generosity, we were able to confirm that we could cover the additional cost.

The revised quotation for the extended fence is €20,120. We have already transferred €7,178 to the account in Turkwel for the purchase of materials and will shortly make a further interim payment. Once the work is completed and accounts finalised, we will publish a full financial report.

Rains prevented the transportation of materials until late April, so work only began this week.

Sr. Consolata writes: "Dear friends, once again thank you for your support and thoughtfulness. Remain blessed."







