FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (Laetare Sunday) 19th March Without faith we are blind to the ways of God. With the light of faith we can see the path Jesus laid down for us so that we may follow him and enjoy the glory of the resurrection when our time comes.

MASSES

Vigil Saturdays 6p.m. Sundays: 9a.m. & 11a.m. Weekdays: Monday to Saturday 10 a.m.

CONFESSIONS Saturdays 10.30am and 5.30pm

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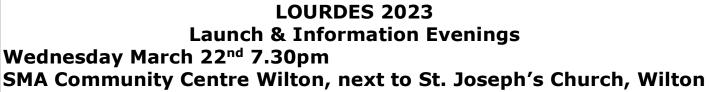
We remember in our prayers **Canon Michael Murphy.** Fr. Michael was ordained in 1968 and began his priestly ministry on temporary mission in the Archdiocese of Southwark. On his return to Cork and Ross in 1969, he moved to Gurranabraher Parish as curate. In 1975 he joined the Cork and Ross South American Mission until 1981.



A Time to Renew

He then served as curate in Carrigaline Parish, Chaplain to the Forces in Collins' Barracks, Parish Priest of Ballyphehane Parish and most recently as Assistant Priest in Ballinlough Parish. May Fr. Michael now rest peacefully in the Lord whom he so faithfully served.

Turkey & Syria Earthquake Collection will take place this weekend. Bishop Fintan has given approval for a diocesan collection to be taken up in support of people affected by the devastating earthquakes in Turkey and Syria. All funds raised will be channelled through Trócaire who are working with the Caritas Internationalis Network in Turkey and Syria.



Friday March 24th 8pm **Clonakilty Parish Centre, Western Road, Clonakilty** Next to Clonakilty Parish Church.

Email: lourdes@corkandross.org tel. 085 – 25 25 040

Both information evenings will include a presentation about the diocesan pilgrimage including testimonies from young people who have already been to Lourdes with the diocesan pilgrimage and the experience of adults who have travelled as helpers.

The Cork and Ross Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from Friday 22nd to Wednesday 27th September 2023.

MUNSTER RETREAT St. Brendan's College, Killarney from 24th – 26th March Age 16 – 35 donations only.



CORK CITY FAMILY OF PARISHES PRESENTS HOW TO PRAY

Six Lenten talks on prayer Wednesdays at 7.30pm in St. Finbarr's South Church. Join us for a cuppa afterwards.



