

After Devastating UFC Injury, Conor McGregor Publicly Doubles Down on His Faith in Jesus Christ

Conor McGregor's long-awaited return to the UFC lasted just over one minute Saturday night before a devastating knee injury brought the fight to an abrupt end. Hours later, the former two-division champion shifted the conversation away from the Octagon and toward Jesus Christ.

McGregor suffered what UFC officials believe is a torn ACL during the opening round of his rematch with Max Holloway at UFC 329 in Las Vegas. The injury occurred after he landed awkwardly while throwing a kick, forcing the referee to stop the contest after just 69 seconds.

But instead of allowing disappointment to define the night, McGregor's next public message pointed to something far greater.

A declaration of historic Christian faith

In the aftermath of the injury, McGregor posted the full text of the Nicene Creed on X, one of Christianity's oldest and most enduring declarations of faith.

*I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.*

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,

*the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.*

*God from God,
Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not...*

– Conor McGregor (@TheNotoriousMMA) July 12, 2026

The creed begins:

*“I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven
and earth, of all things visible and invisible.”*

It continues by declaring Jesus Christ as “the Only Begotten Son of God,” affirming His death on the cross, resurrection, ascension into heaven and promised return.

The post concludes:

*“I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life
of the world to come. Amen.”*

For more than 1,600 years, Christians across Roman Catholic, Eastern Orthodox and many Protestant traditions have confessed the Nicene Creed as a foundational summary of biblical belief.

Faith remains the focus

McGregor continued pointing followers to Christ on Monday with another public declaration of faith, this time on Instagram.

“My faith is unconditional and I am thankful I get to prove it!” he wrote.