

**Collections: Week ending:
12th April 2015**

*€4,388 (2 weeks from which
taken Share €500)*

Par. Envs: €331 (2 weeks)

**Standing Orders etc: €700
(Approx – 2 weeks)**

World Youth Day 2016

WYD 2016 will take place in Krakow, Poland. Expressions of interest now welcome. If you wish to register your interest in going to Krakow for WYD 2016 just let the Diocese know by email: wyd@dublindiocese.ie

Or if you prefer to do it through the parish just hand your name and contact details in at the monastery reception for the attention of Fr. Frank or Katie McDermott or email: fkcp@eircom.net

*“Blessed are the merciful,
they will receive Mercy”
(WYD Theme 2016)*

Gardening Class

Commencing Monday 20th April at 2pm in the Community Centre, 179 Lr. Kimmage Road - all welcome

Flower Arranging Class

Commencing Tuesday 21st April at 11am in the Community Centre, 179 Lr. Kimmage Road - all welcome

Coffee Morning

The monthly coffee morning will take place in the Upper Room next Sunday 26th April after the 11am Family Mass – all are welcome.

MOUNT ARGUS PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission is to be a living parish where

- *All will feel welcome*
- *Everyone will be appreciated and encouraged to use their gifts*
- *People and priests work together to develop a community of faith and compassion.*

Men’s Spirituality Group

The Mount Argus men’s spirituality group invite men who are searching for more meaning and purpose in their lives to an evening of initial exploration on the male archetypes. These archetypes provide an entrance way to aspects of the male soul in understandable and meaningful language. This is a special opportunity for men to explore their inner journey in a safe and supportive environment, while acknowledging their difficulties, fears, hurts and weaknesses. This initial meeting will take place in Mount Argus Monastery on Tuesday 21st April from 8 to 10 pm. The presenter is *Gerry Moore (MA Spirituality)*

Knock Pilgrimage for Eucharistic Adoration

The annual National Pilgrimage to Knock for Eucharistic Adoration takes place on next Sunday 26th April ’15. A bus will leave the gates of Mount Argus at 7.45am sharp to arrive in Knock at 11.45am. There will be a 30 minute stop each way. The bus will leave Knock at 5pm sharp to arrive in Dublin at 9pm. Tickets are €14 return and payable in full at time of booking: non-refundable. To book a seat please contact Joan at 087-7715392.

Vocation Sunday/Special Collection

A special collection will be taken up next Sunday throughout all the churches in the Archdiocese of Dublin for the formation of students for the priesthood. In Mount Argus this will be taken up as an Exit Collection.

Prayer for Vocations

*Jesus, send labourers into your fields, which are awaiting holy apostles, saintly priests, heroic missionaries and dedicated sisters and brothers. Enkindle in the hearts of men and women the spark of a vocation. Grant that Christian families may desire to give to your church, helpers in the work of tomorrow. Amen.
(Prayer of Pope John XXIII)*

Kindly remember the recently deceased:

**Edward Dent
Jim Jones
Anne Wilson
Diarmuid Kelly**

May they rest in peace

Parishes Together

The 3 parishes of Mount Argus, Harold’s Cross and Rathmines will present the 6th and final episode of the mini-series “The Bible,” which focuses on the Resurrection, at 7.30pm in the Harold’s Cross Parish Centre, next to Harold’s Cross Church, on Monday 20th April @ 7.30pm.

Men’s Confraternity

The Men’s Confraternity will meet on next Tuesday 14th April at 8pm in the monastery. New members welcome.

Harold’s Cross

Community Festival 2015

The Festival will take place this year from 8th-10th May. Once again this year the festival programme will include guided tours of the Shrine of Saint Charles. These will take place on Saturday 9th May at 3.00 pm and on Sunday 10th May at 2.30 pm. On the Friday evening 8th May @ 8pm the Celtic Choristers are holding a concert in Our Lady of the Rosary, Harold’s Cross. Tickets are €10 and we have a few available at the monastery.