Collections: Week ending: 28<sup>th</sup> September 2014

Collections: €1,903 Parish Envelopes: €123.50

**Standing Orders etc:** 

**€338 (Approx)** Share: **€250** 

# **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.

Kindly remember the recently deceased:

**Christine (Ina) Mackey** 

May she rest in peace

### **Day for Life**

This Sunday 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> October marks the annual Day for Life. It is a day for thanking God for the gift of life and for praying for the protection and cherishing of life at every stage. Special prayer cards can be found on the tables at the back of the church with copies of the Bishops' Letter. We have also reproduced this letter on the front of the newsletter.

## **Pro-Life Conference**

The Pro-Life Campaign's National Conference, entitled "Restoring a Culture of Life", will take place next Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> October from 1.30-4.30pm in the RDS/Concert Hall, Ballsbridge.

## Month of the Holy Rosary

Join us on Mondays at 5.30pm during the month of October to pray the Rosary at the statue of Our Lady on Priory Green. All welcome!

## **World Youth Day**

The next World Youth Day will take place in Krakow in Poland in 2016. We will begin taking names soon and make a start on fundraising. Young people who will be 18 upwards by July 2016 please start thinking about it.

# St. Vincent de Paul

At all Masses next Sunday 11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> October, a representative from the St. Vincent de Paul Society will make a brief appeal for new members as part of an area wide recruitment drive. The local SVP group will also hold their collection outside the church.

# **Lourdes Pilgrimage on RTE**

RTE's Nationwide TV programme will broadcast a half an hour documentary on Wednesday next, 8th October dedicated to the recent Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. Transmission time will be 7pm with presenter Mary Kennedy.

#### Invitation

To celebrate Rosary Sunday on this Sunday 5th October, the Church of Our Lady of the Rosary, Harold's Cross will pray the **full Rosary during Eucharistic Adoration** for the intention of the Family and the Synod on the Family, starting at 3pm, and concluding with Benediction at 5pm. All are welcome - why not drop in for a half hour or more.

## Knit n' Chat

Knitters of all stages, from beginners to advanced, are most welcome to come along to the Community Centre from 10.30am-12.00pm on Tuesdays. Please contact MA Work4All at 01 492 7250 for more details. The **MA Work4All Initiative** offers hope and encouragement to the unemployed.

May the Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ be ever on our lips and in our hearts

# Readers' Workshop

An afternoon of prayer and reflection for Ministers of the Word on the meaning of your ministry for yourself and the community you serve will take place next Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> October from 2.30-5.30pm in the Orlagh Retreat Centre. Any reader wishing to attend should let either Joe Byrne or Fr. Frank know as soon as possible.

# National Day of Prayer for Children

The National day of Prayer for children will take place next Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October in Rathmines Church beginning at 12 noon.

#### Frank Trias CP

On the links page of our parish website if you click on The Passionist Congregation www.passiochristi.org you will find some photos of the final profession of Frank Trias. We hope Frank may be ordained a deacon in Mount Argus in December so watch this space. You can also find out about the Passionists at the United Nations by clicking www.passionistsinternational.org