

**Collections: Week ending:
1st March 2015**

€1,817 (from which taken
Share €250)

Par. Envelopes: €166

**Standing Orders etc: €350
(Approx)**

Novena of Grace

Fr. Pat Rogers CP and Fr. Frank Keevins CP will bring the Novena of Grace in St. Agnes' Crumlin to a close over the next few days.

Synod on the Family

The second session of the Synod of Bishops in Rome on the Family will take place in October 2015. The focus in the second session will be on the *pastoral response* to the various situations.

Archbishop Martin has provided three documents and these documents are available for download on the Parish Website (click on "Pastoral Synod"). Parishioners can engage with the process by reading the documents and submitting any answers and opinions either directly to the *Diocesan Office for Evangelization*: evangelisation@dublindiocese.ie or through the *Parish Pastoral Council*: fkcp@eircom.net where they will be gathered, collated, and forwarded to the *Diocesan Office for Evangelization* on your behalf. Not all questions need be answered; parishioners are free to choose to answer any questions they wish.

"Let us protect Christ in our lives, so that we can protect others, so that we can protect creation".

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:

Carmel Quinn

May she rest in peace

Parishes Together

For five consecutive Mondays during Lent the 3 parishes of Mount Argus, Harold's Cross and Rathmines are presenting five selected episodes of the excellent mini-series "The Bible". The third of these, focusing on the mission and miracles of Jesus, up to his entry into Jerusalem and the cleansing of the temple (*this Sunday's Gospel*), will take place at 7.30pm in the Harold's Cross Parish Centre on next Monday 2nd March. Each DVD lasts about 40 minutes and we will have time for some sharing and a cuppa afterwards. A sixth session, focused on the Resurrection, will be scheduled for some time after Easter. Please see the poster on the notice board.

Congratulations

Congratulations to any Mount Argus children who are making their Confirmations around this time. We wish them every blessing in trying to embrace their new lives as mature Christians. As always we will look forward to having a celebration with the Confirmation and Holy Communion children sometime in June.

Men's Confraternity

The Men's Confraternity will meet on next Tuesday 10th March at 8pm in the monastery. New members welcome.

Catholic Singles

Catholic Singles is an organisation which helps single adult Catholics of all ages meet, either one to one or through social events. Please tel. 01 619 41 3498, or visit the website www.catholicsingles.org.uk or email info@catholicsingles.org.uk

Parish Choir

Rehearsals for the Easter Vigil will take place in the Middle Room on the following dates: Saturdays 14th, 21st, & 28th March from 7:15pm to 9pm; Saturday 4th April from 11am to 1pm and before the Easter Vigil @ 9pm

"The person who sings prays twice"

Work4All:

Suicide Awareness – safeTALK

The aim of safeTALK is to learn the basic steps to recognise persons with thoughts of suicide and how to connect them with suicide helping resources. MAWork4All invites people who may wish to participate in the HSE Suicide Awareness Programme safeTALK to show their expression of interest by contacting Marianne at 01 492 7250 or e-mail

marianne@mawork4all.ie

World Youth Day 2016

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

FaithFest 6

A Dublin Diocese initiative that offers young people of secondary school age an event, indoors or out; that is lively and good fun. Friday 13th March, Diocesan Centre; Clonliffe, Dublin 3. Cost: €2. More info at www.evangelisation.ie