Collections: Week ending: 4th October 2015

€1,825 (of which €250 sent to Share)

Par. Envs: €183

Standing Orders: €330 (Approx.)

Brother Vincent

Brother Vincent is celebrating 60 years of religious profession as a Passionist Brother this Sunday 11th October. We will mark the occasion next Wednesday 14th October at the 10am Mass. All will be welcome to join us for a cuppa after Mass in the upper room where you will have the opportunity to congratulate Brother Vincent on this extraordinary landmark.

October Rosary

The Rosary is being recited at Our Lady's statue on Priory Road each Thursday during October beginning at 5pm. All are welcome. Special Intention: The Synod on the Family.

Holy Rosary/Synod

The Church of Our Lady of the Rosary, Harold's Cross will pray the full Rosary during Eucharistic Adoration on **this Sunday 11th October**, for the intention of the Synod on the Family. One of the four sets of Mysteries will commence at each half-hour, starting at 3pm, and concluding with Benediction at 5pm. All welcome - why not drop in for a half hour or more.

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.

Volunteers Party

The annual celebration for our parish workers, ministers and volunteers will take place this year on **next Friday 16th October**, nearest Friday to the Feast of St. Paul of the Cross, our parish patron. There will be a Prayer Service in the Church at 7.30pm followed by refreshments in the upper room. This is our way of saying thank you for all the work that is graciously and willingly done on behalf of the whole parish.

Being a Passionist

A few years ago our deacon, Fr. Frank Trias, recorded an interview with Fr. Anthony Behan and Fr. Jim Berrie, both now gone to God, about what it meant to them to be a Passionist. Fr. Anthony and Fr. Jim were a former rector and vicar here at Mount Argus and will be remembered by many. The video of this 10-minute interview will be running continuously in the middle room at the volunteers' party for volunteers to pop down and view at any time. We will probably show the video for all to see at the coffee morning at the end of October.

World Mission Sunday

Next Sunday, 17th/18th October, is World Mission Sunday. The theme for this year is "Abundant Life". The special collection for Mission Sunday will be taken up in Mount Argus as an exit collection.

A true missionary is passionate for the Gospel. Saint Paul said: "Woe to me if I do not preach the Gospel! The Gospel is the source of joy, liberation and salvation for all men and women. The Church is aware of this gift, and therefore she ceaselessly proclaims to everyone "what was from the beginning, what we have heard, what we have seen with our eyes" (1 John 1:1.) (Pope Francis)

Please pray for those recently deceased:

Garda Colm Cullen

Rest in Peace

SVP Collection

The SVP will be holding their monthly collection outside the church after all Masses **this weekend** 10th/11th October. As always your generous support is appreciated.

New PPC Chairperson

The Pastoral Council held its monthly meeting last Wednesday 7th October during which Derbhil Johnson was elected as the new chairperson. We thank her for accepting this role. Remember your input and suggestions to the PPC are always welcome.

Important Notice

We are reviewing our register for Eucharistic **Adoration.** It is essential that everyone who comes to visit the Blessed Sacrament on Wednesdays & Fridays sign the register on the altar rails. If your name is not typed on the sheet please sign in under visitor section at the relevant hour. If there are not enough scheduled Adorers for any given hour we will be obliged to modify our Adoration Timetable.

Men's Confraternity
The Men's Confraternity
will meet next Tuesday
13th October @ 8pm in the
Monastery. New members
welcome.