

**Collections: Week ending
1 October 2016**

€1,648

Par. Envs: €466 (2 weeks)

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

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:**

Aidan Lonergan

May he rest in peace

Trócaire Request for Prayers for Syria

Trócaire, which is a member of Caritas International, has received an urgent request for prayers from its sister organisation Caritas Syria. In solidarity with the people of Syria they are asking us in our homes, parishes and communities to pray urgently for peace. Almost six years of war in Syria has killed hundreds of thousands and forced over eleven million people to move. The courageous team of Caritas Syria works continually to help as many as possible to cope physically and spiritually with their struggle. Remember them in prayer!

Grow Community Mental Health Movement meets every Monday at 7.00pm in Mount Argus Community Centre, 179 Lower Kimmage Road Dublin 6W. If you are lonely, isolated or suffering from stress why not come learn a practical psychology of mental health. **Contact Leo 086 8033124**

Rathmines Anniversary

To celebrate the 160th Anniversary of Mary Immaculate Refuge of Sinners, Rathmines, they are hosting a Gala Concert on Wednesday, 12 October at 8pm and everyone is welcome to come along. Admission is free with an interval collection in aid of The Capuchin Day Centre.

New Parish Team

This weekend, our new Parish Priest, Fr Paul Francis Spencer CP, will speak at all the Masses. Fr Paul Francis has been in Mount Argus since 2013, ministering as Vocations Director for the Passionists. Working in the Parish with him will be Fr Dermot Gallagher CP, who will arrive here from Glasgow this week, and Fr Frank Trias CP, who has been a member of the Mount Argus community since last year. We wish them every blessing in their new ministry.

Mount Argus Youth Meeting

Are you 16+ and interested in finding out more about what is happening for young people locally? Why not come along to Mount Argus' next Youth Meeting on **Tuesday, 11 October at 7.30 pm**? This will be a friendly informal get-together for anyone who would like to get involved (St. Paul's Retreat, across from church). If you are interested but can't attend, or you would like more info, contact Fr Frank Trias CP. Email: franktrias@hotmail.co.uk

Forty Hours Adoration – Morning Star Hostel

The Forty Hours Eucharistic Adoration takes place this weekend at the Morning Star Hostel, Morning Star Avenue, Dublin 7. It begins with Mass at 10.00 am on Saturday, 8 October and ends with Mass at 9.00 pm on Sunday, 9 October. The Forty Hours Adoration will include a Night Vigil of Reparation, beginning at 12.00 Midnight on Saturday, 8 October and concluding with Mass at 4.30 am on Sunday, 9 October. The Night Vigil will be conducted by Fr Paddy Byrne and will have three sessions with the Rosary, Talks, Divine Office and time for silent Adoration. Tea and light refreshments will be served. **Buses: 83/37/39/39A.**

Vigil Mass Music

Plans are underway for a new music group to be established for the Saturday 6.15pm Vigil Mass. All going well it is hoped that this group will be ready to begin on the **1st Sunday of Advent, 26th November**, which, significantly, is the same Sunday that the Mount Argus Folk Group began 40 years ago.

Public Rosary

The Legion of Mary will lead the Rosary at the Shrine of Our Lady on Priory Road at 5.00 pm every Thursday during October, the month of the Rosary. All are welcome to come and pray with them.

Men's Confraternity

The Men's Branch of the Confraternity of the Passion will meet on **Tuesday, 11 October at 8.00 pm** in the Monastery. New members are welcome.

Loreto College, Crumlin Road are holding their Open Day on Wednesday, 12 October from 3.00 to 5.00 pm. Fifth and Sixth class primary school pupils are invited to come along to meet Principal Blathnaidh Colhoun, staff and students. We will be happy to guide you through our many subjects and extra curricular activities. We look forward to meeting you on 12 October.

SVP Collection

The monthly St Vincent de Paul collection will take place outside the church after all Masses this weekend.

Mount Argus Community Centre Lotto Results

Jackpot not won this month
Winners of €50 prizes:
1. No. 01887
2. No. 01635