

**Collection: Weekend of  
30 Sept/1 Oct 2017  
€1,726**

**Par. Envs: €206**

**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:**

**Sheila Carberry**

**May she rest in peace**

### **Men's Confraternity**

The Men's Branch of the Confraternity of the Passion will meet on Tuesday, 10 October at 8.00 pm in the Monastery. New members are welcome.

### **Children's Liturgy of the Word Volunteers Needed**

The Family Liturgy Team is looking for new members. To volunteer or for more information, please contact Fr Paul Francis at the Parish Office or call Anne at 087-9680611.

### **RCIA - Journey of Faith**

The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the process which helps adults who wish to prepare to be baptised or confirmed or who wish to become Catholics. The group will meet weekly from late October until June. Each meeting includes a time of prayer, scripture reading, a chance to talk and share our faith together, and instruction on some aspect of the Catholic faith. If you are an adult who would like more information about being baptised or confirmed or received into Full Communion in the Catholic Church, please speak to Father Paul Francis.

### **Mount Argus Community Centre Lotto Results**

Jackpot not won this month  
Winners of €50 prizes:

1. No. 02064
2. No. 03919
3. No. 03918

### **Passionist Family Groups**

A word of thanks to Yvonne Gray who spoke to us last weekend about the Passionist Family Groups at Mount Argus. If you took a sign-up form last weekend, you can return it to the reception desk in the monastery or give it to Yvonne or to Fr Paul Francis. For those who missed last week's talk by Yvonne, information leaflets are available at the reception desk.

### **CASA Appeal Next Weekend**

There will be a collection after Mass next Sunday in aid of CASA – Caring and Sharing Association. CASA is a volunteer led organisation developing friendships between volunteers and adults and children with physical, intellectual and sensory disabilities through Social Activities, Lourdes Pilgrimages and Respite Care. All CASA's activities are in a one-to-one pairing, lending strength and support to all that they do, enabling people to get the most out of everything that they do with CASA. The collection next weekend is in aid of all CASA's activities for many adults and children with a disability and their families. Please give as generously as you can. Thank you.

### **Volunteers Party**

The annual celebration for our parish workers, ministers and volunteers will take place on Friday, 20 October. There will be a Prayer Service in the Church at 7.30 pm, 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 by volunteers, ministers and parish workers in the service of God and on behalf of the whole Mount Argus parish and faith community.

### **Scripture Series- Rathmines Parish**

Fr Martin Hogan's second talk in the series will focus on the Gospel of St Mark (12 October). Bishop Brendan Comiskey will host a Lectio Divina Prayer Session on 19 October. Sean Goan, Biblical School Lecturer, will discuss the Gospel according to St Matthew on 25 October and 1 November. All sessions will take place in the Prayer Room of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Rathmines Parish and begin at 7.30pm. All are most welcome.

### **October Rosary**

Join us to recite the Rosary on Thursdays at 5.00 pm during the month of October at the statue of Our Lady on Priory Road. (Organised by the Legion of Mary.)

### **Wedding Anniversaries**

As part of the preparation for the World Meeting of Families, a Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated in Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, Mourne Road, on Sunday 15th October at 12.00 noon for those celebrating significant Wedding Anniversaries. Those married in 1947, 1957, 1967, 1977, 1987 and 1992 are invited, including those who have been widowed. Refreshments are available afterwards. For further information contact the parish office at Mourne Road Parish.

### **Mount Argus Work4All Computer Classes**

Ideal for beginners or intermediate, these classes are open to all and are free of charge. They take place every Wednesday from 10.00 am to 12.30 pm upstairs in the Mount Argus Community Centre. To book, call 01 492 7250.

### **SVP Collection**

The monthly St Vincent de Paul Collection will take place outside the Church after Masses this weekend.