Collection: 2/3 June 2018 €2,095

Standing Orders etc: €350 (Approx)

## First Communion and Comfirmation Blessing

Today (Sunday) at the 11.00 Family Mass, we have a special blessing for all those who have made their First Communion or Confirmation this year.

#### Our Lady's Hospice Sunflower Collection

This weekend we have a Church Door Collection for Our Lady's Hospice and Care Services. The Hospice provides palliative and endof-life care to patients and supports families. They depend on your generosity to continue their work.

# The Joy of Love – Evening of Music and Prayer

The Music Ministry of St Agnes Parish, Crumlin invites you to a recital of Karl Jenkins' 'The Armed Man' on Friday, 8 June at 7.30 pm. An evening of music and prayer as we celebrate together the beauty and wonder of family life, in preparation for the World Meeting of Families. All are welcome.

#### Frank Duff

An hour of prayer on the theme 'In the Footsteps of the Servant of God Frank Duff' will take place in St Mary of the Angels Church, Church Street, Dublin 7 on Thursday, 14 June at 7.00 pm. The evening begins with the Rosary followed by Holy Mass. All are welcome.

## 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

#### **Parish Pastoral Council Nominations**

Today we have nomination forms available for the Parish Pastoral Council. There are four vacancies this year, so you can nominate up to four people. Please take a nomination form at the back of the Church and complete it, writing in the names of those you wish to nominate. You can give the form to Fr Paul Francis after Mass or hand it in to the monastery during the week. The priests of the parish and the council members will then go through a process of discernment and election to choose those who will serve on the Council. Please do not nominate anyone who is already a member of the Parish Council. Members of the Council are Derbhil Johnson, RoseMary Dwyer-Doyle, Sean Kelly, Brian Kennedy, Joan Lavelle, Sheila Lynch, Margaret Maher, Aisling McGann, Gavan O'Leary, Anthony Pepeno and Mary Sinnott.

#### **Parish Pastoral Council Report**

On Wednesday of last week, the Mount Argus Parish Pastoral Council had its last meeting before the summer holidays. The Council reviewed parish events which have taken place and looked at the parish diary for 2018/19. We also discussed the follow-up to our recent Parish General Meeting and set a date for the Council's discernment meeting for the election of new members. Thanks were expressed to Brian Kennedy, Joan Lavelle and Sheila Lynch who finish their term as Council members this year.

#### **Mount Argus Work4All**

The Mount Argus Work4All Initiative was set up about six years ago and was based in the Community Centre. The initiative aimed at 'Creating a warm, safe, and friendly environment with practical help and hope for those seeking work in our community', and it was very successful in training and supporting members of the community who were looking for work. With the changes in the economic climate, less people are looking for this kind of help and the members have decided that the work of the Initiative will come to an end this month. The management group wish to thank all the members, volunteers, staff and benefactors for their generous help with the Initiative over the past years.

Kindly remember the recently deceased:

Timothy Lynott Kathleen Byrne

May they rest in peace

#### Men's Confraternity

The men's branch of the Confraternity of the Passion will meet in the monastery on Tuesday, 12 June at 8.00 p.m. New members are welcome.

### **GDPR Data Protection**

A new European Data Protection law, the General **Data Protection Regulation** ("GDPR"), is being introduced on 25 May 2018. This new law applies to any organisation, including our parish that manages and processes people's personal information. We are now working on wavs of ensuring that what we do with your information is compliant with this new law. It is a work in progress and over the next few months we will keep you informed through the parish website and in the newsletter as policies are put in place. If you have any questions about this please do not hesitate to contact the parish office.

#### WMOF Collection

A National Collection for the World Meeting of Families will take place next weekend.

### Mount Argus Community Centre Lotto Results

Jackpot not won this month Winners of €50 prizes:

- 1. No. 0285
- 2. No. 02591
- 3. No. 03840