

<p><b>Collection:</b> 20/21 April 2019 €2,503</p> <p><b>Standing Orders etc:</b> €250 (Approx)</p>	<p><b>MOUNT ARGUS PARISH MISSION STATEMENT</b> <i>Our mission is to be a living parish where</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All will feel welcome</li> <li>• Everyone will be appreciated and encouraged to use their gifts</li> <li>• People and priests work together to develop a community of faith and compassion.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Kindly remember the recently deceased:</b></p> <p><b>Helen Page Elizabeth McCarthy Peter Cosgrave Mary Mills</b></p> <p><b>May they rest in peace</b></p>
<p><b>Bethany Bereavement Support Group</b> The Bethany Bereavement Support Group will meet in the monastery on Tuesday, 30 April 7.30 to 8.30 pm. The Bethany Bereavement Support Group are a listening ear for those who would like to talk to someone about their loss and the service is strictly confidential. You can just come along or contact Jean on 086 129 7593 if you wish further information.</p>	<p><b>Parish Pastoral Council</b> The Mount Argus Parish Pastoral Council will meet in the monastery on Wednesday of next week (Wednesday, 8 May) at 8.00 pm. <b>Please note the change of date.</b></p> <p><b>Divine Mercy Sunday</b> Today, the Second Sunday of Easter, is Divine Mercy Sunday. There will be special devotions in the Church of the Three Patrons, Rathgar, at 3.00 pm for Divine Mercy Sunday, consisting of Mass, Benediction, Chaplet, Veneration of the Divine Mercy Image, and Blessing with Relic of St. Faustina. Confessions will be available from 2pm.</p>	<p><b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> Eucharistic Adoration will resume on Wednesday, 1 May. Eucharistic Adoration in Mount Argus takes place at the Sacred Heart Altar every Wednesday and Friday after the 10.00 am Mass until 6.00 pm.</p>
<p><b>Mount Argus and “Bus Connects”</b> As part of the current proposals for this area from the National Transport Authority (NTA), private cars will not be allowed to approach Mount Argus by entering Lower Kimmage Road from either Sundrive Cross or Harolds Cross Park (McGowans). This measure will severely inconvenience your access to Mount Argus. You can register your views and concerns with the NTA regarding this until 30 April.</p>	<p><b>ACCORD: Marriage and Relationship Counsellors and Marriage Preparation Facilitators</b> ACCORD Dublin, the Catholic Marriage Care Service, is currently recruiting volunteers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To give courses for couples preparing for marriage and</li> <li>• Marriage and Relationship counsellors.</li> </ul> <p>If you would like to be part of a dynamic team, can relate easily to people in a sensitive and genuine way, would like fulfilling and meaningful work by making a real difference to couples and individuals, you might consider one of these positions. Training will be provided for both roles through the Pontifical University in Maynooth. For further information please contact 01 478 4400 before 30 April 2019.</p>	<p><b>Rosary for May</b> Each day in May 2019, thousands of people from all around Ireland will gather at their local grottos to recite the rosary for Faith and Life in Ireland. If you wish to be part of this, just turn up at 5.00 pm at the statue of Our Lady on Priory Road any day during the month of May. The Legion of Mary will lead the rosary each Thursday. Everyone is welcome.</p>
<p><b>Mass for the Sick at Mount Argus</b> The annual Mass for the Sick with the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated on Saturday, 25 May at 11.00 am.</p>	<p><b>Vocation Retreat</b> A weekend retreat for young men interested in knowing more about life as a priest or brother in the Passionist Community will be held at the Passionist Monastery, Tobar Mhuire, Crossgar, County Down, beginning on the evening of Friday, 31 May and concluding with lunch on Sunday, 2 June. Anyone interested in taking part should speak to Father Paul Francis or email <a href="mailto:passionistvocations@gmail.com">passionistvocations@gmail.com</a></p>	<p><b>National Eucharistic Adoration Pilgrimage</b> The National Eucharistic Pilgrimage to Knock will take place this year on Saturday, 15 June. A bus will leave the gates of Mount Argus at 8.00 am sharp and return at 9.00 pm. The cost of the trip this year is €30 and includes tea/coffee and scones on outward journey and tea/coffee and sandwiches on return trip. The bus will stop for 30 minutes for these refreshments on both outward and return trips. To book a seat, please contact Joan @ 087 771 5392. Limited seats are available.</p>
<p><b>Triduum of Hope</b> This year’s Triduum of Hope in honour of Mary, Mother of Hope and St Charles will take place from Monday, 27 May to Wednesday, 29 May.</p>	<p><b>Catholic Youth Ministry Ireland</b> Training workshops on youth &amp; young adult ministry will take place in St Paul’s Church, Arran Quay on Monday, 13 May. Registration: 9.30 am. Conference: 10.00 am to 4.00pm. (Lunch not included) €20 per person. For more information, see poster or email: <a href="mailto:st.pauls@dublindiocese.ie">st.pauls@dublindiocese.ie</a></p>	