

<p><b>Collection:</b> 27/28 April 2019 €2,250</p> <p><b>Parish Envs: €675 (2 weeks)</b></p> <p><b>Standing Orders etc:</b> €250 (Approx)</p>	<p><b>MOUNT ARGUS PARISH MISSION STATEMENT</b></p> <p><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>Gregory Magee Claire McDermott</b></p> <p><b>May they rest in peace</b></p>
<p><b>Blessing of Babies and Young Children</b></p> <p>On Sunday, 19 May we will welcome to our 11.00 am Family Mass those families who had children baptised at Mount Argus during the past twelve months. At the Mass, we will have a blessing of these children and any other babies and young children who are present at the Mass.</p>	<p><b>Parish Pastoral Council</b></p> <p>The Mount Argus Parish Pastoral Council will meet in the monastery on Wednesday of this week (Wednesday, 8 May) at 8.00 pm. <b>Please note the change of date.</b></p>	<p><b>Harold's Cross Festival</b> takes place during week commencing 13 May. We urgently need volunteers to assist with preparations and stewarding in the Park. If you can spare an hour or two please call Ben on 085 755 3658 or email haroldscrossf@gmail.com</p>
<p><b>Mass for the Sick at Mount Argus</b></p> <p>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 Sunday Collection</b></p> <p>A special collection will be taken up next Sunday (Vocations Sunday) in all churches throughout the Archdiocese of Dublin. In Mount Argus, this will be taken up as an Exit Collection.</p>	<p><b>Rosary for May</b></p> <p>In May, 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, Priory Road any day during the month of May. The Legion of Mary will lead the rosary on Thursdays. All welcome.</p>
<p><b>Triduum of Hope</b></p> <p>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>ACCORD: Marriage and Relationship Counsellors and Marriage Preparation Facilitators</b></p> <p>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 4784400 before 30<sup>th</sup> April 2019.</p>	<p><b>National Eucharistic Adoration Pilgrimage</b></p> <p>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 7715392. Limited seats are available.</p>
<p><b>Safeguarding Training</b></p> <p>There will be a Safeguarding evening for those who volunteer at Mount Argus on Wednesday, 15 May at 7.30 pm in the Upper Room. This session is for those who were not able to attend the volunteer evenings in March. Safeguarding Training Days for those at Mount Argus who work directly will children will be held in Templeogue Parish on Saturday, 11 May and in Clonliffe College on Saturday, 18 May from 9.30 am to 3.30 pm. All who have a public ministry at Mount Argus are to take part in training every three years.</p>	<p><b>Vocation Retreat</b></p> <p>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 passionistvocations@gmail.com</p>	
	<p><b>Catholic Youth Ministry Ireland</b></p> <p>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: st.pauls@dublindiocese.ie</p>	

