Collection: 15-16 June 2019 €1,787

Standing Orders etc: €250 (Approx)

Bethany Bereavement Support Group

The Bethany Bereavement Support Group will meet in the monastery on Tuesday, 25 June from 7.30 to 8.30 pm and on Thursday, 27 June from 10.45 to 11.45 am. They 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.

Our Lady's Hospice Sunflower Collection

Today (Sunday) we have a Church Door Collection for Our Lady's Hospice and Care Services. During 2018, over 4,200 patients benefited from the care provided in Our Lady's Hospice & Care Services. The Hospice very much appreciates the support of the local community as €4 million is needed in 2019 to support their services and to make up a shortfall in state funding. Please support the Sunflower Days collection today in aid of Our Lady's Hospice & Care Services.

Sacred Heart Novena

The annual Sacred Heart Novena will continue in Saint Bernadette's Church, Clogher Road until Friday, 28 June with Novena Mass each evening at 7.30 pm (6.00 pm on Saturday and 3.00 pm on Sunday). For information, see poster on the notice board.

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.

Parish Pastoral Council Nominations

This weekend, we are taking nominations for the Parish Pastoral Council. There are three vacancies this year, so you can nominate three people. 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 Pastoral Council. At present, the members of the Council are Derbhil Johnson, RoseMary Dwyer-Doyle, Sean Kelly, Joe Lavelle, Pat Mackey, Margaret Maher, Aisling McGann, Ciara Moloney, Gavan O'Leary, Anthony Pepeno and Mary Sinnott.

Summer Party

The Mount Argus Family Groups will be hosting the parish Summer Party/BBQ on Sunday, 30 June after the 11.00 Mass. It will be held in the monastery garden, with BBQ sausages, ice-cream and much more. Come along and enjoy the party. Everyone is welcome.

Faith for Life

is an adult faith course designed to help you to discover new ways to live out your faith in the reality of today's world, within relationships, family, home, workplaces and the events of daily life. It aims to help you to be more active, open, faithful, confident, trusting and willing to work for change. The course is experienced as a journey of four 'Movements' inviting you to explore the call you received in Baptism. The process for each weekend includes teaching, personal and group reflection, prayer and liturgy. Participants are required to attend all four weekends. This course has taken place in Dublin Diocese for the past six years and is designed and delivered, through a partnership agreement between the Archdioceses of Dublin and the Archdiocese of Liverpool. The course will take place again this year starting in October. If you would like more information please email: rlavelle@dublindiocese.ie or evangelisation@dublindiocese.ie

Kindly remember the recently deceased:

Damian McGrath Dominic Stobie Ann Cramp Kathleen Hurley

May she rest in peace

St Charles Healing Mass

The monthly Healing Mass of St Charles of Mount Argus will be offered on Saturday of this week at 11.00 am. This is an opportunity to pray for healing for yourself through the intercession of St Charles or to pray for your loved ones who may be in need of God's healing grace. The blessing with the Relic of St Charles of Mount Argus is given at the Mass. After Mass, there is prayer ministry for those who would like someone to pray with them..

Rally for Life

This year's All-Ireland Rally for Life takes place on Saturday, 6 July, beginning at 2.00 pm at Parnell Square. This is the 13th Rally for Life in Ireland. The Rally is a chance for pro-lifers in Ireland to make their voices heard. It is vital that Ireland unites around the common understanding that human life is valuable at every stage. This year it is especially important that we make a big, positive, life-affirming statement at the Rally in Dublin. Though we are saddened by the result of the referendum last year, no vote can change the fact that the unborn child is still alive, still human and still deserving of our protection.