

# **Mount Argus Bulletin** The Parish of St Paul of the Cross

# and Shrine of St Charles of Mount Argus

-- Saint Paul's Retreat, Mount Argus, Dublin 6W (Eircode: D6W XR66) --Phone: 01 4992000 Email: office@mountargusparish.ie Website (including Bulletin online): www.mountargusparish.ie Facebook Page: Mount Argus – The Shrine of Saint Charles

Masses at Mount Argus – All Masses on Webcam only Sunday: 8.00 am, 11.00 am, 4.00 pm Monday to Friday: 10.00 am, 6.15 pm Saturdays: 11.00 am, 6.15 (Vigil Mass) Working Holydays 6.15 pm Vigil, 10.00 am, 6.15 pm **The Church is open for personal prayer** Sunday: 12.00 noon to 3.00 pm Monday to Friday: 11.00 am to 5.00 pm Saturday: 12.00 noon to 5.00 pm

Blessing with the Relic of St Charles on Webcam Monday to Friday after 10.00 am Mass Saturday after 11.00 am Mass Sunday after 11.00 am and 4.00 pm Mass

St Charles Novena Mass: Saturday, 11.00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation There are no Confessions in the church until further notice

**Eucharistic Adoration** Is suspended until we return to Level 2

# Today is the Feast of Christ the King

## Passionist Jubilee Message

Pope Francis has sent a special message to the Passionists and our friends to mark the Third Centenary of our Congregation. Here are some extracts from his message:.

The Jubilee celebrations for the third centenary of your Congregation offer me the opportunity to spiritually join in your joy at the gift of the vocation to live and proclaim the memory of Christ's Passion, making the Paschal Mystery the centre of your life (cf. Constitutions 64).

This significant centennial anniversary represents a providential opportunity to move towards new apostolic goals, without giving in to the temptation to «leave things as they are» (Ap. Exhort. Evangelii gaudium, 25). Contact with the Word of God in prayer and reading the signs of the times in daily events will enable you to perceive the creative presence of the Spirit whose outpouring over time, points out the answers to humanity's expectations. No one can escape the fact that today we live in a world where nothing is the same as before. The Mother of the Crucified-Risen One, a figure of the Church, a Virgin who listens, prays, offers, and generates life, is the permanent memory of Jesus, especially of his Passion. I entrust you to her and, invoking the intercession of your Founder, Saint Paul of the Cross, and of the Passionist Saints and Blesseds, I wholeheartedly impart the Apostolic Blessing upon the entire Passionist family and on all those who will participate in the various celebrations of your solemn Jubilee.

### 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 and people and priests work together to develop a community of faith and compassion.

**November Mass for the Deceased:** The Annual Mass for Deceased Members of the Garda Credit Union will be celebrated on Saturday, 28 November at 11.00 am. This Mass will be available on the webcam only, as public worship is not permitted at Level 5.

**November Lists** are available on the tables at the back of the church so that your deceased loved ones can be remembered in the November Masses. Mass is offered every day during November and once a month throughout the year for those enrolled in our November List of the Dead. Completed lists can be handed in at the monastery. The lists will be placed beneath the Altar and remain there through the month of November. **Online Enrolments for November**. If you are not able to visit the church during these days, you can email your list of names for the November List of the Dead; send your list to office@mountargusparish.ie If you wish to make an offering for sharing in the November Masses, you can do so using the Donate button on the Mount Argus website (www.mountargusparish.ie).

**<u>Thank You:</u>** We thank those who continue to send in donations to support Mount Argus Church and the Passionist Community during these days. Donations received this week amounted to €2,088.

**Donations:** With the "Donate" button on our website you can contribute to the Collection at Mass or Light a Candle. If you are sending a cheque, please make it out to "Passionist Congregation".

**Office Hours:** To contact one of the Passionist priests or brothers, please call 01-499-2000. The office at the monastery remains closed but the phone is attended from 9.30 am to 1.00 pm and from 1.30 pm to 5.00 pm Monday to Friday, and from 9.30 am to 1.00 pm on Saturday. Outside of those hours you can leave a message and we will call you back. If you are looking to have a Mass offered or for Mass Cards, please call the office (01-499-2000); cards can be posted out to you.

<u>Times of Prayer on the Webcam</u>: The Rosary is prayed after morning Mass on weekdays (Monday to Saturday), except on Fridays when we pray the Stations of the Cross. The Blessing with the Relic of St Charles is given after morning Mass on weekdays and after the 11.00 am and 4.00 pm Masses on Sundays. <u>Christmas Cards</u>: Christmas Cards for enrolment in the Passionist Mass Guild are now available. Please phone the monastery during office hours for information.

### Mount Argus Church Update – 22 November 2020

At present we are at Level 5 of the Government's Plan for Living with COVID-19. During this time, Masses at Mount Argus are available online only, and the Church is open only for personal prayer. We continue to have Masses at the usual times, available on our webcam at www.churchservices.tv/mountargus Times of Masses at Mount Argus are as follows:

Saturday Vigil 6.15 pm; Sunday 8.00 am, 11.00 am and 4.00 pm; Monday to Friday 10.00 am and 6.15 pm; Saturday morning at 11.00 (with St Charles Novena Prayers).

The Rosary is prayed after morning Mass on weekdays (Monday to Saturday), except on Fridays when we have Stations of the Cross after morning Mass.

The Church is open for personal prayer at these hours:

Saturday - 12.00 noon to 5.00 pm; Sunday – 12.00 noon to 3.00 pm; Monday to Friday – 11.00 am to 5.00 pm There are no Confessions and no Eucharistic Adoration at Mount Argus during this time.

Meanwhile, let's continue to pray for one another and to remember especially those who are sick and those who are caring for the sick.

Fr Paul Francis C.P.

#### (Last Sunday's Collection did not take place Standing Orders were approx. €250)

**Child Safeguarding:** Mount Argus Parish is committed to ensuring the highest level of protection for all children who engage with our parish in any way. For information about the work of our Child Safeguarding Team or for the Dublin Diocese Statement, Procedures and Guidelines, see the posters on our Church notice boards or go to **www.mountargusparish.ie/child-protection** To speak to a member of the Mount Argus Child Protection Safeguarding Team, please call 0851876203.