

## Mount Argus Bulletin

# The Parish of St Paul of the Cross and Shrine of St Charles of Mount Argus

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#### 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 while we are at Level 5

### Today is Easter Sunday

#### **Easter Wishes from the Passionists at Mount Argus**

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

On behalf of all at Mount Argus I wish you God's blessing on this Easter Sunday. It has been a difficult year for everyone, especially those who have been sick, those who have suffered a bereavement, those living alone and those who work in healthcare and other essential services. In the past twelve months, there were thirteen Sundays when we had Masses at Mount Argus which were open to a limited number of people. For the other three-quarters of the year, Mass was available on the webcam only. We miss you all and we look forward to the time when we can gather again as God's family to celebrate the Eucharist together. We want to thank you for praying for us during these days; we feel truly supported by your prayers. We also want to thank those who have written messages of encouragement or have sent donations towards the running costs of the church and monastery. It is a great help to us at the present time. Be assured of our prayers for your intentions and a remembrance in our daily Masses and prayers at Mount Argus.

Fr Paul Francis C.P.

<u>Office Hours in Easter Week:</u> The receptionist at the monastery is not available on Easter Monday. Office hours in Easter Week will be from 9.30 am to 1.00 pm from Tuesday to Saturday. Normal hours will resume on Monday, 12 April.

#### 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.

**Easter Week Mass Times:** Here are the times for our online Masses during Easter Week.

Easter Vigil Mass: 7.30 pm

Easter Sunday, 4 April: Mass at 8.00 am, 11.00 am and 4.00 pm

Easter Monday, 5 April: Mass at 11.00 am

Tuesday to Friday, 6 to 10 April: Mass at 10.00 am only (No evening Mass)

Saturday, 11 April: Mass at 11.00 am; Vigil Mass at 6.15 pm Sunday, 12 April: Mass at 8.00 am, 11.00 am and 4.00 pm

Passionist Jubilee Indulgence: In celebration of the Passionist Jubilee Year, Pope Francis has granted a special Jubilee Indulgence to those who visit the Church of St Paul of the Cross at Mount Argus (or any Passionist Church). This Jubilee Indulgence can be received every day in all Passionist churches during the Jubilee Year, which lasts until 1st January 2022. The conditions for the Jubilee Indulgence are: (1) Spiritual participation in the Jubilee celebrations of the Third Centenary of the Foundation of the Passionist Congregation; (2) A serious commitment to conversion confirmed by sacramental confession and participation in the Eucharist; (3) Prayer for the Pope's intentions. The elderly, the infirm and those who cannot leave the house, due to a serious impediment, can gain the Jubilee Indulgence by joining spiritually in the Jubilee celebrations, committing themselves to fulfilling the three conditions (Confession, Holy Communion, Prayer for the Pope's Intentions) as soon as possible.

<u>Pilgrim Visit Leaflet:</u> A leaflet for making a Pilgrim Visit to Mount Argus during the Passionist Jubilee Year is available at the back of the church. The leaflet can be used for private visits to the church by those who wish to gain the Jubilee Indulgence.

<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>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  $\{2,375\}$ .

**<u>Donations:</u>** 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 is not open to the public but the phone is attended and the receptionist is there 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. For office hours in Easter week, please see the front page of this bulletin. 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.

#### Mount Argus Church Update – 4 April 2021

At present we are at Level 5 of the Government's Plan for Living with COVID-19. This means that Masses at Mount Argus are available online only, and the Church is open only for personal prayer. All the Masses are available on our webcam page at www.churchservices.tv/mountargus

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:

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

There will be no Confessions and no Eucharistic Adoration at Mount Argus until further notice. 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 Church 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.