

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

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

Church Opening Hours

Sunday: 7.30 to 8.45 am; 10.30 am to 5.00 pm Monday to Friday: 9.30 am to 6.45 pm Saturday: 10.30 am to 7.00 pm

Blessing with the Relic of St Charles

Monday to Friday after 10.00 am Mass Wednesday, Thursday, Friday at 4.00 pm 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

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 11.00 - 11.30 am, 4.00 - 4.30 pm Saturday: 4.00 to 5.30 pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesdays and Fridays: 4.00 to 6.00 pm

Today is the Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

World Day of Prayer for the Missions

Today we celebrate the World Day of Prayer for the Missions. A special collection to support the Missionary Work of the Church will be taken up outside the church next weekend.

<u>October Bank Holiday:</u> Tomorrow (Monday) is a Bank Holiday. Mass in Mount Argus will be at 11.00 am only on Monday of this week. The church will be open for prayer on Monday until 5.00 pm.

November Dead List: November Lists for the Dead are available on the tables at the back of the church. Completed lists can be handed in at the monastery. You can also send your list by email and make an offering with the Donate button on the Mount Argus website.

Alfie Lambe (1932 – 1959): Holy Mass for the Beatification of the Servant of God, Alfie Lambe, one of Ireland's candidates for sainthood will be offered in the Church of The Three Patrons, Rathgar, on Sunday, 31 October at 12.15p.m. The principal Celebrant and Homilist will be Very Rev Paul Taylor, P.P. Rathgar. Alfie, a native of Tullamore and a former Legion of Mary Envoy to South America has been designated as "the Servant of God" in recognition of the holiness of his short life. His Cause was introduced by the Archdiocese of Buenos Aires in 1978 and work on it is progressing both in Buenos Aires and in Ireland.

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.

<u>October Rosary:</u> During the month of October, members of the Legion of Mary lead the Rosary at the statue of Our Lady on Priory Road every day at 5.00 pm. Everyone is welcome.

<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 €81.

<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".

Collection Basket: For those at Mass in church, a collection basket is available at the back of the church. Office Hours: The office at the monastery is now open to the public, but only to one visitor at a time. Face masks must be worn when visiting the office. The office is open from 9.30 am to 1.15 pm and from 1.45 pm to 5.00 pm Monday to Friday, and from 9.30 am to 1.00 pm on Saturday.. If you are looking to have a Mass offered or for Mass Cards, you can also phone the office (01-499-2000) and cards can be posted out to you. 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 Passionist 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.

Mount Argus Church Update - 24 October 2021

Masses at Mount Argus are at 10.00 am and 6.15 pm, Monday to Friday. On Saturday, Masses are at 11.00 am and 6.15 pm. Sunday Mass is at 8.00 am, 11.00 am and 4.00 pm. There is no 9.00 am Mass on Saturdays. We continue to livestream Mass every morning and evening as usual. The Bishops have said that the obligation to attend Sunday Mass is still suspended. At present, the number permitted to attend Mass is 50% of the capacity of the church.

When you come into the church, we ask you to wear a mask, to use the hand sanitisers inside the church and to observe the one-way system of movement which is marked on the floor. We regret that the toilets are not available to visitors.

The church opens at 9.30 am from Monday to Friday and remains open until after the evening Mass. On Saturday the church opens at 10.30 am until after the evening Mass. On Sunday, the church opens at 7.30 am but closes after the 8.00 am Mass and re-opens at 10.30 am. This allows us to clean and prepare the church for Mass. The church remains open after the 11.00 am Mass on Sunday and closes after 4.00 pm Mass. Confessions on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday are from 11.00 to 11.30 am and from 4.00 to 4.30 pm, with the Blessing with the Relic of St Charles at 4.00 pm. Confessions on Saturdays are from 4.00 to 5.30 in the afternoon. There is Eucharistic Adoration on Wednesdays and Fridays from 4.00 to 6.00 pm. We still need volunteers for cleaning and stewarding. If you are between the ages of 18 and 70, with no underlying health concerns, and are able to help with cleaning and stewarding at Mount Argus, even for one hour per week, please contact us either by email (office@mountargusparish.ie) or by phoning the office (01 4992000).

Last week's Church Collection amounted to €1,705 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.