

<p>Collections: Week ending: 25th January 2015</p> <p>€1928 (from which taken Share: €250)</p> <p>Par. Envelopes: €174.50</p> <p>Standing Orders etc: €338 (Approx)</p>	<p>MOUNT ARGUS PARISH MISSION STATEMENT</p> <p><i>Our mission is to be a living parish where</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>All will feel welcome</i> • <i>Everyone will be appreciated and encouraged to use their gifts</i> • <i>People and priests work together to develop a community of faith and compassion.</i> 	<p>Kindly remember the recently deceased:</p> <p>May they rest in peace</p>
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St. Brigid's Crosses

After the 11am Family Mass this Sunday 1st February, in the middle room, Leonard Breslin from our Family Ministry team will demonstrate the making of St. Brigid's Crosses. He will provide the rushes - and all are welcome.

Consecrated Life

Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Diarmuid Martin in St. Brigid's Parish, Killester, at 3 pm on this Sunday 1st February to celebrate World Day for Consecrated Life 2015. Mass will be followed by refreshments in the Parish Centre. All are welcome to attend this very special celebration.

The Religious of the 3 parishes of Mount Argus, Harold's Cross and Rathmines met last week and we hope to hold some joyful events to celebrate this Year of Consecrated Life over the coming months. Watch this space!

SVP Collection/Thanks

The monthly collection for St. Vincent de Paul will take place next weekend 7th/8th February. SVP thanks all for their great generosity during last Christmas's Appeal.

3 Parishes Together

For five consecutive Mondays during Lent the 3 parishes of Mount Argus, Harold's Cross and Rathmines will present five selected episodes of the excellent mini-series "The Bible". The first will take place at 7.30pm in the Harold's Cross Parish Centre on **Monday 23rd February**. A sixth session on the Resurrection will be scheduled for some time after Easter. Please see the poster on the notice board.

World Day of the Sick

The World Day of the Sick 2015 is on Wednesday 11th February, Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. The theme for this year is "I was eyes to the blind, and feet to the lame" (Job 29:15). Archbishop Martin is celebrating Mass with Anointing of the Sick in St. Canice's Church, Finglas Village, Dublin 11, on Sunday 8th February at 3.00pm.

Alfie Lamb (1932 – 1959)

Holy Mass for the Beatification of Alfie Lambe, one of Ireland's candidates for sainthood will be celebrated in the Church of Mary Immaculate Refuge of Sinners, Rathmines, on Sunday, 8th February, 2015 at 12.30p.m. The principal Celebrant and Homilist will be Fr. Michael Maher SM. *See notice board.*

World Youth Day 2016

World Youth Day 2016 will take place from July 26th – 31st in Krakow, Poland. The Archdiocese of Dublin will soon announce plans for young people who may wish to travel. We will soon take names of anyone interested. Pope Francis' theme for WYD 2016 is: "Blessed are the Merciful; for they will receive Mercy"

"Calm me; quiet me; settle me; hear my prayer"

Mount Argus Work4All

Volunteers Needed

We are currently seeking volunteers with practical experience of conducting interviews and an interest in teaching interview skills to those seeking employment. Prospective volunteers may discuss their commitment and flexibility with the Project Coordinator. Please contact Marianne at 01 492 7250 or e mail marianne@mawork4all.ie

Suicide Awareness – safeTALK

The aim of safeTALK is to learn the basic steps to recognise persons with thoughts of suicide and how to connect them with suicide helping resources.

MAWork4All invites people who may wish to participate in the HSE Suicide Awareness Programme safeTALK to show their expression of interest by contacting Marianne at 01 492 7250 or e-mail marianne@mawork4all.ie

Civil Defense Volunteers

Volunteers wanted for Civil Defense Casualty Service. Learn First Aid and help the community. Volunteers must be aged 17 plus. Information from Civil Defense Officer. Tel. 087-6322846.

"Whatever I've done; whatever my troubles today; whatever tomorrow may bring; you love me as I am Lord, and nothing is greater than your love"