

**Collections: Week ending:
12th June 2016**

**€1,826 (of which €250 to
Share)**

Par. Envs. €451 (2 weeks)

**Standing Orders: €330
(Approx.)**

Hospice Sunflower Collection

Please support Our Lady's Hospice & Care Services volunteers **this weekend 18th/19th June**. The Hospice provides palliative and end-of-life care to patients and supports families. Palliative admissions have increased by 38% while state funding has fallen by 25% since 2009 so we depend on the community for ongoing support. With much thanks for your generosity over the past.

Monthly Healing Mass

The monthly Healing Mass in honour of St. Charles of Mount Argus will take place next **Saturday 25th June at 11am**. All welcome.

Adult Faith Courses

The Office for Evangelisation and Ecumenism is commencing two courses in the Autumn. **Pathways**, which is run part time over 2 years, and **Faith for Life**, which takes place over 4 weekends, are two Adult Faith Development Courses that may be of interest. Graduates of these courses often contribute to their parish faith communities in a variety of ways. For more information, log on to the website @ www.evangelisation.ie Or tel. 01-8373732. You could also speak to Fr. Frank.

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.*

**Please pray for those
recently deceased:**

Deceased Loved Ones

Rest in Peace

Passionist Provincial Chapter

We ask your prayers for the Passionist Provincial Chapter which will take place in Portarlinton this coming week from **Monday 20th-Friday 24th June**. It's hard to believe it is 4 years since the last one. With almost all of our active priests at the Chapter, and Father Ralph holding the fort, there will be a reduced service during those days, Monday to Friday, with **10am Mass only – no Evening Mass and no Confessions**. Normal service will resume on **Saturday 25th June**. We apologize for any inconvenience but we know you will understand – and once again, please keep us in your prayers.

Pilgrimage to Knock

Holy Rosary Parish is running a pilgrimage to Knock next **Saturday 25th June**. A coach will leave from Harold's Cross Church Gate at 8am sharp. The cost of €45 includes morning coffee and evening meal. Contact Maureen @ 01-4922816

Hospice Fundraiser

An evening of light entertainment with wine, cheese and finger food will be served at the **Garda Boat Club, Chapelizod Road, Islandbridge, on next Thursday 23rd June @ 8pm**. Tickets are available at the Hospice, Harold's Cross for €20 (tel. 01-4911072) and all proceeds go to Our Lady's Hospice and Care Services.

Sisters Café

Thanks to the Sisters who shared their stories with us last Sunday both in the church and in the Upper Room. It was a very worthwhile and meaningful occasion and we wish all our Religious Sisters every blessing into the future.

Goodbye and Hello

We bid a sad farewell to the Dominican Sisters General Leadership Team at Westfield Road and we welcome a whole new team who will now come and take their place. We welcome also three new members to the Little Sisters of the Assumption Community at Mount Argus.

Praying for Exams

Our prayers continue for all doing exams at this time – hope all is going well.

Catholic Youth Festival

The Youth 2000 Summer Festival will take place from Thursday 7th to Sunday 10th July 2016 at the Cistercian College in Mount St. Joseph Abbey, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary. Book on Line @ www.Youth2000.ie Facebook: Dublin@Youth2000.ie or Tel: ROI: 01 6753690 / NI: 07598 876399.

Tom (Tommo) Kennedy

We wish a very happy retirement to Tommo who has been a lovely, prayerful, caring, Garda presence in our church for a long time. Thanks Tommo.

Parish BBQ/World Map

This year's Parish Family BBQ will take place in the monastery garden on **Sunday 26th June** after the 11am Family Mass. Those who placed red pins on our map are invited, if they so wish, to bring some symbol of their country of origin and/or wear national dress.

Grow

The Grow Community Mental Health Movement meets every **Monday at 7.00pm** in Mount Argus Community Centre. If you have any issues, come learn a practical psychology of mental health. Contact Leo @ 086 8033124