

Collection:
22/23 September 2018
€1,939

Par. Envs: €170

Standing Orders etc:
€350 (Approx)

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*

Kindly remember the recently deceased:

Ronald O'Connor

May he rest in peace

Irish Cancer Society

There will be a collection after Mass this weekend for the Irish Cancer Society.

Mount Argus Youth Group

The Youth Group has drawn up a programme of activities for the year. For more information, have a look at the Youth Group notice board at the back of the church. If you are a young adult and are new to Mount Argus or if you would like to reconnect with the other young members of the parish community, you are welcome to take part in any of the Youth Group events. New members are especially welcome.

Coffee Morning

Our monthly Coffee Morning, which is organised by the Passionist Family Groups, will be held in the Upper Room today (Sunday) after the 11.00am Mass. All are welcome.

Day for Life

Next weekend we celebrate the annual Day for Life. The theme chosen by the Irish Bishops for this year's Day for Life is Human Trafficking. Pope Francis has said: 'The trade in human beings violates the God-given dignity of so many of our brothers and sisters, and constitutes a true crime against humanity.'

Parish Council Report

The Parish Pastoral Council met last Wednesday. Most of the meeting was taken up with looking at the responses of parishioners at the Parish General Meeting which was held before the Summer and planning our Parish Assembly which will be held in November. The Parish Council is working on a pastoral plan which will reflect the priorities highlighted at the Parish General Meeting.

Passionist General Chapter

Please pray for the members of the Passionist General Chapter, a worldwide meeting of members of the Passionist Congregation which will take place in Rome from 6 to 27 October. Our Provincial, Fr James Sweeney will be taking part in the Chapter. Fr Pat Rogers and Fr Paul Francis will also be there supporting the work of the Chapter.

Lectio Divine Group

The Mount Argus Lectio Divina Group will resume after the Summer break on Tuesday, 12 September. Each Tuesday after the 10.00 am Mass, a little group meets in the monastery to reflect on the following Sunday's Gospel. The practice allows us to encounter God in our hearts and everyday lives. Would you like to join us if you have 45 minutes to spare? It could be an enriching experience.

Annual Triduum to St. Therese of Lisieux

(the little flower) takes place from Saturday, 29 September to Monday, 1 October in St Teresa's Church, 78A Donore Avenue, Dublin 8. Mass times are as follows: Saturday, 29 September at 6.30 pm with guest speaker Ms. Mags O'Shea; Sunday, 30 September at 11.00 am with guest speaker Mr Brian Dooney; Monday, 1 October at 7.30 pm with guest speaker Fr. Sean McArdle SM (followed by refreshments). Included in these Masses will be the blessing of the Roses and also a blessing with the relic of St Therese.

Eucharistic Adoration

takes place at the Sacred Heart Altar in Mount Argus Church every Wednesday and Friday from after the 10.00 am Mass until 6.00 pm. Why not drop in for a while and experience the healing presence of Christ in the Eucharist?

St Vincent de Paul

Clothing Appeal

The Society of St Vincent de Paul wish to thank you for your help with their annual appeal for second-hand clothing last weekend.

October Rosary

Join us at the statue of Our Lady, Queen of Heaven on Priory Road on Thursday at 5.00 pm for the recitation of the rosary.

Children's Liturgy

The Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 11.00 am Family Mass will begin again next Sunday after the summer break.

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Anam Cara Evening

Anam Cara South Dublin, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on Monday 8th of October at 7:20pm in the Maldron Hotel, Tallaght, Dublin 24. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not.