



# *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 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

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

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

**St Charles Novena Mass:** Saturday, 11.00 am

### **Eucharistic Adoration**

Wednesdays and Fridays: 4.00 to 6.00 pm

## **Today is Palm Sunday of Passion of The Lord**

### **Holy Week Services**

Here are the times of Masses and other services for Holy Week and Easter:

Palm Sunday, 10 April: Saturday Vigil at 6.15 pm; Sunday Mass – 8.00 am, 11.00 am and 4.00 pm

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 11 to 13 April: Masses at 10.00 am and 6.15 pm

Holy Thursday, 14 April: 10.00 am Morning Prayer; 7.30 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday, 15 April: 10.00 am Morning Prayer; 3.00 pm Liturgy of the Passion and Death of the Lord;  
7.30 pm Seven Last Words

Holy Saturday, 16 April: 10.00 am Morning Prayer; 9.00 pm Easter Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday, 17 April: Mass at 8.00 am, 11.00 am and 4.00 pm

Easter Monday, 18 April: Mass at 11.00 am

Tuesday to Friday, 19 to 22 April: Mass at 10.00 am only (No evening Mass)

Saturday, 23 April: Mass at 11.00 am; Vigil Mass at 6.15 pm

**Holy Week Confessions:** Wednesday, 13 April: 11.00 – 11.30 am; 4.00 – 4.30 pm. Holy Thursday, 14 April: 10.30 – 11.30 am; 4.00 – 5.00 pm. Good Friday, 15 April: 10.30 – 11.30 am; after the 3.00 pm Service; after the Seven Last Words. Holy Saturday, 16 April: 10.30 – 11.30 am; 4.00 – 5.30 pm. After Holy Saturday, there will be no confessions in the church until Wednesday, 27 April.

**Holy Land Collection:** At the services on Good Friday, there will be a special collection for the Church in the Holy Land.

**The Sacred Triduum:** On Holy Thursday, the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at 7.30 pm. Adoration after Mass will continue at the Altar of Repose until 9.00 pm. On Good Friday, the Liturgy of the Passion and Death of the Lord, with Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion, will be celebrated in the Church at 3.00 pm. On Good Friday evening at 7.30 pm, we will have the Seven Last Words: seven meditations on the words of Jesus on the Cross given by members of the Passionist Community, with music by the choir of An Garda Siochana. On Holy Saturday night, the Easter Vigil Mass and Celebration of the Resurrection will begin at 9.00 pm. Masses on Easter Sunday will be at the usual times: 8.00 am, 11.00 am, 4.00 pm.

**Morning Prayer – Thursday, Friday, Saturday:** On Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday, there will be Morning Prayer in the Church at 10.00 am. There will be no 10.00 am or 6.15 pm Mass on those days.

**Way of the Cross:** Usually on Good Friday afternoon, we pray the Stations of the Cross, walking through the parish. Unfortunately, that will not happen this year. As an alternative, you might want to join the annual Way of the Cross through the Phoenix Park which will take place on Good Friday, 15 April. Led by Archbishop Diarmuid Martin, it will begin at the Wellington Monument at 12.00 noon and proceed to the Papal Cross. All are welcome.

**Eucharistic Adoration** will take place on Wednesday of this week from after the 10.00 am Mass until 6.00 pm. There will be no Eucharistic Adoration on Good Friday or on Wednesday or Friday of Easter Week.

**The St Vincent de Paul Advocate Collection** takes place after Masses this weekend. This will be an Exit Collection. The Sunshine Fund of the St Vincent de Paul Society provides summer holidays for children all over Dublin who need a holiday. This collection is their only source of funds. Your generosity is appreciated.

**Trocaire Lenten Boxes** can be left in the basket at Mass or handed in to the monastery.

**Saint Charles Jubilee Year:** To mark the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of Saint Charles of Mount Argus, Pope Francis has granted a Jubilee Year to the birthplace of Saint Charles in the Netherlands and to our church at Mount Argus. During the Jubilee Year, which lasts from 11 December 2021 to 5 January 2023, a Plenary Indulgence can be gained by those who visit Mount Argus Church. The Jubilee Indulgence for the St Charles Jubilee Year can be received every day at Mount Argus during the Jubilee Year by fulfilling these two conditions: (1) making a Pilgrim Visit to Mount Argus Church to take part in a Jubilee celebration or to pray at the tomb of St Charles, saying there the Our Father, the Creed and a prayer to Our Blessed Lady and to St Charles; (2) Sacramental Confession, Eucharistic Communion and Prayer for the Pope's intentions. The elderly, the sick and all those who, for grave reason, cannot leave their homes, will be able to obtain the plenary indulgence by repenting of all sins, and by intending to fulfil the conditions of confession, communion and prayer for the Pope's intentions as soon as possible, if in the presence of an image of Saint Charles, they have spiritually participated in the Jubilee, offering to the merciful Lord their prayers and sufferings and the hardships of their lives.

**Thank You:** 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 €557.

**Donations:** With the "Donate" button on our website you can contribute to the Easter Dues, 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.

### **Mount Argus Church Update – 10 April 2022**

When coming to Mass at Mount Argus, we encourage you to wear a face mask, to use the hand sanitisers inside the church and to practise social distancing. 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.

**Church Collection €1,833    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](http://www.mountargusparish.ie/child-protection)  
To speak to a member of the Mount Argus Child Protection Safeguarding Team, please call 0851876203.