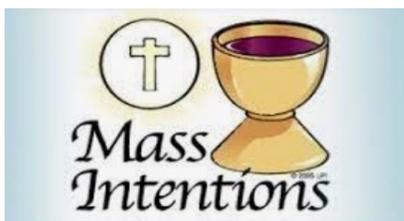


**Parish of Sts. Mary & Peter,
Arklow with St David's Johnstown
Sunday 10th September 2023**

**23rd Sunday
of Ordinary
Time**



**Saturday 9th September
6.30pm**

Peter Kinsella (3rd Anniv)
Baby Emily Fisher
Rose Grant (Anniv)
Ellen Gilbert (Anniv)
Joseph McGovern (Recently Deceased)

**Sunday 9th September
11.30am**

Anna May Cox (Month's Mind)
Jack Bermingham (Anniv)
Michael Kirwan (Anniv)
Johnny Merrigan (Anniv)
Noeleen McCarthy (Anniv)
Tom & Jenny Byrne (Anniv)

7pm

Michael Gaffney (3rd Anniv)

**Tuesday 12th September
10am**

Peggy Doyle (2nd Anniv)

Castletown

**Saturday 9th September
8pm**

Michael Byrne (Anniv)

Anam Cara Wicklow, is holding its monthly Parent Evening on Monday 18th September at 7:15pm in the Parkview Hotel, Newtownmountkennedy, Co. Wicklow. Please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

**Liturgical Calendar
September**

Tuesday 12th

The Holy Name of Mary
St Aibe

Wednesday 13th

St John Chrysostom

Thursday 14th

The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Friday 15th

Our Lady of Sorrows

Saturday 16th

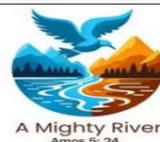
St Conelius & St Cyprian

**Thursday 14th September
The exaltation of the Holy Cross**

The discovery of the True Cross is dated to 14th September 320. On 13th September 335 the churches on Calvary were dedicated and the cross that St Helena discovered was venerated there the next day. The annual commemoration of that event has been celebrated since, in praise of the redemption won for us by Christ.

With Sympathy

Sympathies are extended to the family and friends of Eileen Clandillon Lillie Lambert (née Mangan) Capt. Frank Forde Fr Sean Smith Fr Eustace McSweeney OFM Cap who died recently may they rest in peace



Let Justice and Peace Flow
Season of Creation 2023

Legion of Mary Annual Pilgrimage to Knock.

The Legion of Mary Annual Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on **Sunday 24th September.**

A bus will leave from Clonard, Wexford at 6.30am.

Oylegate Bus Stop - 6.45am

Enniscorthy Promenade - 6.55am

Ferns Church - 7.10am

Camolin Bus Stop - 7.15am

Gorey Monument at - 7.25am

Arklow - 7.40am.

Return to Wexford at approx 9.30pm

Please book your seat early to avoid disappointment. Cost, €35
Ring Eileen : 087 9331809 or 087 6846908.

Important Parish dates for September

**Saturday & Sunday
16th & 17th Cross Care Collection.**

Friday 22nd

Mercy Day St Mary's College Mass 11.30am.

Wedding Anniversary Mass 7pm.

Sunday 24th

Prayer Meeting St Ibar's Holy Well Castletown 3pm.

Gymkhana & Field Day Coolgreany

Tuesday 26th

St Michael & Peter's Junior School Start of Year Mass 11.30am.

Thursday 28th

Registration for Sacraments Árus Lorcáin 9am to 8pm.

**Friday 29th Arklow CBS
Opening Mass 12 noon.**

CROSSCARE COLLECTION

September 16th & 17th



Next weekend Crosscare will hold its **Annual Appeal for Homeless Prevention Services.** This will replace the Share collection at all Masses. Crosscare seeks your support to prevent more people from losing their homes as the housing and accommodation crisis continues. The number of people in emergency accommodation is now well over 9,000; sadly, this includes almost 3,000 children. As well as providing residential homeless services, Crosscare is working with hundreds of families and individuals who are at risk of losing their existing accommodation. Please support the Crosscare collection if you can next weekend at all Masses in the Archdiocese.

Registration for First Holy Communion and Confirmation



Registration

Thursday 28th September

Árus Lorcáin, Castlepark,

Arklow

9am-8pm



Please attend registration if you would like you Son or Daughter to receive their First Holy Communion or Confirmation in 2024.

If you have any queries please contact Siobhán 085 2534718

Congratulations to



Jaxson Jonathan Murray Minogue

Ella Mae Tyrrell

Finn Liam Crean

Zara Lilly Crean

who were baptised recently

Father Michael Murphy invites you to "Pray and Tae" at 9.20am on Wednesday, 13th September in Templerrainey church. There will be a short prayer for our children, followed by a cup of tea and chat.

We encourage the families of sick people in the Parish to contact the Parish Office (0402) 31716 to arrange to have the Priest call to their home with the Sacrament of the Sick.

Entrance Hymn

Give me Joy in my Heart

Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising
Give me joy in my heart, I pray
Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising
Keep me praising 'til the end of day

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna
Sing hosanna to the King of kings
Sing hosanna, sing hosanna
Sing hosanna to the King

Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting
Give me peace in my heart, I pray
Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting
Keep me resting 'til the end of day

**Recessional Hymn
City of God**

Awake from your slumber!
Arise from your sleep!
A new day is dawning for all those who weep.
The people in darkness have seen a great light.
The Lord of our longing has conquered the night.
Let us build the city of God.
May our tears be turned into dancing!
For the Lord, our light and our love,
has turned the night into day!
We are sons of the morning;
we are daughters of day.
The One who has loved us has brightened our way.
The Lord of all kindness has called us to be a light for his people to set their hearts free.

