

Parish of Sts. Mary & Peter, Arklow with St. David, Johnstown

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2021

Mass Intentions

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> January**  
10.00 a.m. Paddy Byrne  
6.30 p.m.

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> January**  
8:30 a.m. Elizabeth & Gerald Tallon  
11.30 a.m. Desmond, Jim & Fintan Tallon  
7.00 p.m.

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> January**  
10.00 a.m.

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> January**  
10.00 a.m.

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> January**  
10.00 a.m.

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> January**  
10.00 a.m.

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> January**  
10.00 a.m.

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> January**  
10.00 a.m. -

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THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



NO PUBLIC MASSES UNTIL  
FURTHER NOTICE.  
Masses will be on webcam.

Webcam from Parish



If you require assistance or have any enquiries including the booking of Anniversary Masses, please phone Fr. Padraig at 0402-32294 or Fr. David on 0402-32196 Or email office@arklowparish.ie

*With Sympathy*  
Sympathies and prayers are extended to the family and friends of  
Sally Farrell  
Noreen Larkin  
Sylvester Bourke  
Anne Fanning  
who died recently.  
May they rest in peace.

In accordance with Level 5 Covid Restrictions, the Parish Office, Árus Lorcáin is temporarily closed



Legion of Mary

Due to the current COVID situation and restrictions The Legion of Mary invite you to PRIVATELY recite a "Rosary of Reparation" to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, for a period of 40 Days from Saturday, 9th January, 2021 until Shrove Tuesday, 16th February 2021.

All it involves is committing to praying and meditating on the 5 Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary in reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus for the 40 days  
Please invite family and friends to join with us.

Archdiocese of Dublin

Youth Initiatives

The Young Church Dublin – Young Adult Alpha Course

Join our Young Adult Alpha online course from Monday, 18th January, from 7.00-8:15pm. from the comfort of your own home over Zoom for 11 weeks until March 29th. This Alpha course with YCD is an opportunity for you to grow in your own faith. Alpha is also a wonderful opportunity for friends, family or community members to explore the Christian faith together. Please register by emailing your name and contact details to [kirsten.mahon@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:kirsten.mahon@dublindiocese.ie) \* numbers are limited.

Foundational Leadership Programme for Young Adults – New Course Dates January 2021

Offers participants a unique opportunity to explore and develop Gospel transformational leadership Skills providing participants with the knowledge and skills necessary to be Gospel centred transformational leaders. Run jointly between the Catholic and Church of Ireland Dioceses of Dublin and a team of young adult volunteers. Commitment will be one Saturday morning starting in January 2021 (16 January, 20 February, 20 March initially) For more information, online registration and payment – use this link <https://www.evangelisation.ie/2020/08/11/foundational-leadership-programme-sign-up-2020/>

Digital Resources

The Digital Hub

Is a new resource from the Catholic Communications Office of the Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference. We hope to assist dioceses and parishes to effectively 'put out into the deep of the net'. The digital parish has truly emerged and come into its own in the midst of the Covid-19 pandemic. Some parishes have found themselves plunged into the unknown when it comes to broadcasting, live streaming and sharing content online. our Digital Hub aims to assist you in the creation and management of your website and social media content. You will find a mixture of guidelines and principles for engaging on the digital highways; an overview of digital media platforms so as you can understand how to best use them in a faith context; and an A – Z of technology terms so as you can find out what hashtags are and how to use them or learn how to manage paid content on your social media pages. The Digital Hub is now live and will be updated weekly. The Quick Links menu will take you to the resources you need but if there is something not included that you would like us to cover, please contact the Catholic Communications Office on [info@catholicbishops.ie](mailto:info@catholicbishops.ie).

Support Services

Aware - Support & Self Care Groups

If you, or those with whom you work wish to connect with people in relation to your mental wellbeing, please consider using the Phone In and Zoom Support & Self Care Groups, the Support Line or Support Mail, now and throughout the holiday season. These services provide support, coping skills and information – and most importantly help people who are in distress to know and feel that they are not alone in their experience. For more information about the groups <https://www.aware.ie/support/support-groups/> and all of our services on [www.aware.ie](http://www.aware.ie)

Thank you for your support of the Priests through the Christmas dues and the first collection, as you can imagine due to the ban on public worship these sources of income are a vital support for the upkeep of the Priests in the diocese. Our local parish is funded by the Family Offering envelope collections, we appreciate the continuing support of the people in the parish, it would help us greatly if you could contact one of the Priests to set up a standing order with your local bank.



May we take this opportunity to wish you and your family a very Happy New Year.