

Parish of Sts. Mary & Peter, Arklow with St. David, Johnstown –Sunday 20th June 2021

New Dues Envelope Commences

Archbishop Dermot Farrell has asked all parishes to introduce Summer dues envelopes. The Global pandemic has had a financial impact on all churches due to no public gatherings and now only reduced numbers attending mass. We are introducing Summer Dues to help the collapse of our income. We would greatly appreciate your financial support to help us through this time of transition during the pandemic. Summer Due envelopes and a letter from the Archbishop are available in the church.

Mass Intentions

Saturday 19th June
 6.30 p.m. Margaret (Maggie) Bolger (Months Mind)
 John Joe & Michael Bolger
 Colin O'Byrne (Months Mind)
 Tom Clandillion (Anniv)

Sunday 20th June
 8.30 a.m. Missa pro Populo

11.30 a.m. Colin & Joseph Goggins (Anniv)
 Collum Driver (Anniv)
 Joe Wolohan (Anniv)
 Peter & Paddy Lawlor (Anniv)
 James Bracken (Birthday Anniv)

7 p.m. Frances Wadden

Monday 21st June
 10 a.m.

Tuesday 22nd June
 10 a.m. Special Intention

Wednesday 23rd June
 10 a.m.

Thursday 24th June
 10 a.m. Kathleen Williams Callan

Friday 24th June
 10 a.m.

Our condolences to the families of the following recently deceased:

Jimmy Stafford Rory O'Connor Place
 Pat O'Neill Fr Redmond Park,
 Paddy Delaney Fernhill
 Miley Fortune Church View
 Twin Babies
 Cadla Elizabeth & Tadhg Christopher Kavanagh. Marian Villas
 Kathleen Kenna Connolly St



NEW BISHOP OF FERNS

The Pope has appointed Father Ger Nash, a priest of the Diocese of Killaloe, as the new Bishop of the Diocese of Ferns. He succeeds Bishop Denis Brennan. Gerard Nash was born on 27 February 1959 at Glandree in the parish of Tulla, Co Clare. His parents Tommy and Mary are deceased and he has two sisters, Teresa and Margaret.



THE WEEK AHEAD

Mass Mon - Fri 10am.
 Rosary daily after Mass.
 Adoration Holy Hour 3pm on a Tuesday, Friday & Sunday.
 Thought at the End of the Day each Wednesday at 8pm.



Liturgy this Week:

Monday 21st June Memorial
 St Aloysius Gonzaga SJ
 Tuesday 22nd June Memorial
 St John Fisher & Thomas More
 Thursday 24th June Solemnity
 The Nativity of St John the Baptist.

40th Anniversary of the Medjugorje Apparitions

"If you knew how much I love you, you would cry of joy." Queen of Peace
 Friday, 25th June
 Sts. Mary & Peter Church, Arklow
 Rosary 6.30 p.m. Holy Mass 7.00 p.m.
 Celebrant: Fr. David Brough



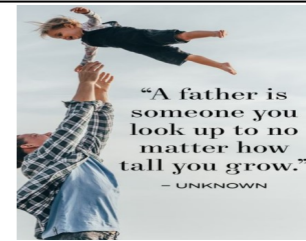
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Happy Father's Day!

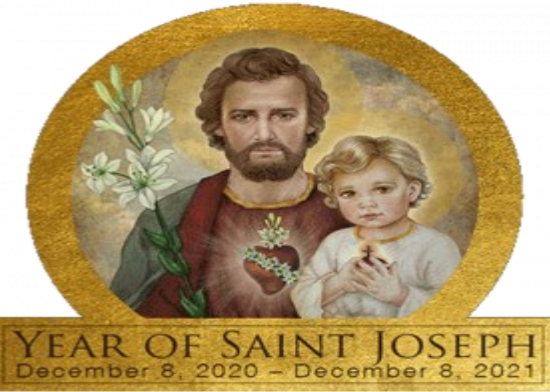
Father's Day is a day to acknowledge and appreciate the care and love we experience from our Dad's be they living or departed. Father's Day is a day to acknowledge and appreciate the "World's Greatest Dad," God, our heavenly Father! We pray the "Our Father" day after day, without always paying attention, may we pray to our Father during today's Mass, realizing the meaning and experiencing the love of our Heavenly Father for us. May all earthly fathers draw strength from their Heavenly Father! On this Father's Day, please don't forget to pray for us, your spiritual Fathers, – men who are called to be Fathers of an immensely large parish family through the Sacrament of Holy Orders.



Watch, O Lord (Prayer of St. Augustine)

We conclude Thought at the End of the Day each Wednesday with "Watch, O Lord, with those who wake, or watch, or weep tonight, and give Your angels and saints charge over those who sleep.
 Tend Your sick ones, O Lord Christ.
 Rest Your weary ones.
 Bless Your dying ones.
 Soothe Your suffering ones.
 Pity Your afflicted ones.
 Shield Your joyous ones, and all for Your love's sake. Amen.

To book a mass or purchase a mass card please call Árus Lorcáin on (0402)31716 or email office@arklowparish.ie office is open Monday –Thursday 9am to 5pm and Friday 9am to 4.30pm.
If you need to speak to the Secretary please call Siobhán (0402) 31716 or email secretary@arklowparish.ie if you need Accounts please call Treasa (0402) 31716 or email secretary@arklowparish.ie



Glorious Patriarch Saint Joseph, whose power makes the impossible possible, come to my aid in these times of anguish and difficulty. Take under your protection the serious and troubling situations that I commend to you, that they may have a happy outcome. My beloved father, all my trust is in you. Let it not be said that I invoked you in vain, and since you can do everything with Jesus and Mary, show me that your goodness is as great as your power. Amen.

With nearly half a million Covid-19-related deaths reported and 17.5 million infections, Brazil has suffered 500 thousand victims to the coronavirus. With so much need for hope and comfort, the Brazilian Catholic Bishops' Conference have called a special day of prayer and remembrance as a tribute to the many Brazilians who have died.



Nearly a year on from a devastating blast that rocked the Lebanese city of Beirut, there is a cause for celebration. The historic Jesuit-run Church of St Joseph, which was badly damaged in the August 2020 explosion, is due to reopen next month. The Church has been restored with the help of Catholic charity, Aid to the Church in Need (ACN)

90th Anniversary of Vatican Radio.

Broadcasting in 41 languages, 69 Nationalities, 12,000 broadcast hours each year, via satellite, digital platforms, or radio waves, the Pope's radio reaches every corner of the globe! To mark the major milestone, the Vatican announced the creation of a new website and a 24 hour web radio.