



Weekly Notices for the Churches of
Sts. Mary & Peter, Arklow & St. David, Johnstown
 Commencing Sunday 20th March, 2016



NOTICES

Confession

A **Reconciliation Service** will be held in our church on Wednesday evening at 8p.m. There will be several priests available for confession.

On Good Friday there will be confession from 11 a.m to 12 p.m. and on Easter Saturday from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.

MUTOMO HOSPITAL, KENYA *Our Annual Parish Fast takes place this **Good Friday**. We will also maintain a group fast in the Bridgewater shopping centre and we would hope that as many parishioners as possible could give just 2 hours in support of this. Your support can literally mean the difference between life and death for many. Thank you for your ongoing help.*

Arklow Churches Together:

An Ecumenical service will take place at 1.00p.m. in the Park, Main Street on Good Friday. On **Easter Sunday Morning** there will be an Ecumenical '**Sonrise**' Celebration on the South Beach, Arklow at 6.45 a.m. Music will be provided by the Revival Gospel Choir. This will be followed by a light breakfast in Árus Lorcaín. All are welcome.

Night Fever—Sincere thanks to all who contributed in any way with Friday night's 'Night Fever'.

Tax Relief on Charitable Donations: During the last month all eligible contributors were written to regarding the parish claiming tax relief on donations. Many thanks to all who have returned their completed CHY2 forms. We would appreciate it if any remaining forms were returned to the Parish Office in the envelope provided as soon as possible as the Revenue deadline for this submission is fast approaching. Thank you.

The annual **St. Vincent de Paul Advocate Collection** for their Sunshine Fund will take place outside the church at all Masses this week end. Your support is appreciated. *The Sunshine Fund is a unique part of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul which provides summer holidays for disadvantaged children.*

Mass in Polish will be celebrated on Easter Sunday at 12.00p.m. in St. Joseph's Church, Templerainey, Arklow.

Mass Intentions

Saturday 19th March

6.30p.m.

John Kinsella
 BettyMcCarthy
 Willie Walker
 Rosari Byrne (nee Farrell)
 Bridget Larkin (Months Mind)
 James O Neill, remembering his son James
 Joe O'Reilly

Sunday 20th March

8.30 a.m. Eddie & Mary Byrne
 11.30 a.m. Elizabeth Kealy (Months Mind)
 Seani Allen
 7.00 p.m. -

Monday 21st March

8.00 a.m. -
 10.00 a.m.
 7.00 p.m. -

Tuesday 22nd March

8.00 a.m. Mary Murray
 10.00 a.m. -
 7.00 p.m. -

Wednesday 23rd March

8.00 a.m. -
 10.00 a.m. -
 7.00 p.m. -

TAIZE MEDITATION

Cruinniu will host a night of meditation, music and silent prayer this Good Friday at 9p.m in the church. This a chance for all to come along and take some time out from a busy schedule, sit in a peaceful candlelit atmosphere while listening to Taize chant. All are welcome.



Sympathies and prayers are extended to the family & friends of **Tom Honan** who died recently. May he rest in peace.



Please see over for the Easter Church Calendar

