



Gathering Hymn

Praise to Our Creator

Sing praise to our Creator, O sons of Adam's race,
 God's children by adoption baptised into his grace.

R/ Praise the holy Trinity, undivided unity;
 Holy God, mighty God, God immortal, be adored.

To Jesus Christ give glory, God's co-eternal Son:
 As members of his body we live in him as one. **R/**

Now praise the Holy Spirit poured forth upon the earth:

Who sanctifies and guides us, confirmed in our re-birth. **R/**

Recessional Hymn

Sweet Heart of Jesus

Sweet heart of Jesus! Fount of love and mercy,
 Today we come Thy blessing to implore;
 Oh touch our hearts, so cold and so ungrateful
 And make them, Lord, Thine own for evermore.

**R/ Sweet heart of Jesus, we implore,
 Oh, make us love Thee more and more.**

Sweet heart of Jesus! Make us pure and gentle,
 And teach us how to do thy blessed will,
 To follow close, the print of thy dear footsteps,
 And when we fall, Sweet Heart oh love us still. **R/**

Arklow Group of Parishes
Holy Land Pilgrimage 2015
 9th to 17th October, 2015
 €1,335 per person sharing
 Special Early Booking Discount
 Spiritual Director: Fr. Martin Canon Cosgrove
 Tour Company: Joe Walsh Tours
 Arklow Parish Office, Árus Lorcáin, Castlepark, Arklow.
 Tel. 0402-31716 (E) office@arklowparish.ie

Mass Intentions

Saturday 6.30 p.m.	20th June John Joe Bolger Sue Byrne
Sunday 8.30 a.m. 11.30 a.m.	21st June - Dan Breslin Marie Kinsella (Months Mind) Tom Clandillon John Hackett
7.00 p.m.	-
Monday 8.00 a.m. 10.00 a.m.	22nd June - -Bridget Weadick
Tuesday 8.00 a.m. 10.00 a.m.	23rd June - John and Sarah O' Brien
Wednesday 8.00 a.m. 10.00 a.m.	24th June -
Thursday 8.00 a.m. 10.00 a.m.	25th June -
Friday 8.00 a.m. 10.00 a.m.	26th June Nicholas and Margaret Cassell and all deceased members of Cassell family
Saturday 10.00 a.m.	27th June Eamon O' Brien

Arklow Group of Parishes
 Pope Francis is calling
 all 16-28 year olds
 to meet him in
 Krakow, Poland
 25th -31st July, 2016 for
WORLD YOUTH DAY 2016
 'Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy' Matthew 5:7
 Expressions of Interest:
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NOTICES

Sincere thanks to all who contributed in any way to last weekends Mass of Healing and Family Fun Day .

The annual collection for the Pope and Pontifical charities (**Peter's Pence**) takes place next weekend at all Masses, replacing the usual SHARE collection. Your support is very much appreciated.

An **Hour of Prayer in honour of the Sacred Heart** will be held in the May Byrne Community House, Main Street, Coolgreany on Monday next 22nd June at 8p.m. A cup of tea will follow. All are welcome.

The **Irish Catholic Newspaper** is available to purchase every weekend after the 6.30p.m. Saturday evening Mass and after the 8.30 a.m. and 11.30a.m. Sunday morning Masses.

A **Quiz Night in aid of Arklow RNLI** will take place in the Old Ship on Friday 3rd July at 8.30p.m. €20 per table of 4. There will be 4 special visitors on the night—The Champions League Cup, The Premiership Cup, The Sam McGuire Cup and the Liam McCarthy Cup—photos will be taken from 7—9p.m. €5 donation is requested please.

School News

This week will mark the close of St. Peter's, St. Michael's and Scoil Eoin after generations of service to the people of Arklow. We wish to take is opportunity to express our thanks and gratitude to all who have been part of these school communities over the years. This is all taking place in preparation for all schools going co-educational at the start of the new school year in September.

An enormous amount of effort and work has gone into this process and we wish to thank everybody for their contributions.

Special Liturgy

The 6.30p.m. Mass on Saturday 27th June will focus on the theme of **'All those whose lives are not working out as planned'**. Very many families have some experience of this, so we hope that this Mass will be of some comfort and support to you.

The Gospel Choir will be in attendance and there will be refreshments afterwards in Árus Lorcáin. All are most welcome.

'ANCHOR'

Leadership Course for young adults (18+)

In conjunction with the Archdiocese of Dublin we are offering all young adults the opportunity to take part in 'ANCHOR', a course which will offer skills for life that will benefit you and your local parish. The core outcomes are: Relationship, Leadership, Friendship and Discipleship.

ANCHOR will run in Arklow from Sunday 30th August to Wednesday 2nd September.

If you are interested in registering or would like more information please contact the Parish Office (0402-31716).

This course is also being offered to all young adults (18+) who are travelling to Krakow for World Youth Day 2016.

Blessing of the Graves

Arklow
 Friday 3rd July at 7.30 p.m.
Castletown
 Sunday 12th July at 3p.m.



Eucharistic Adoration

Takes place here every **Tuesday** and **Friday** from **2.00p.m. to 7.00p.m.** and each **Sunday** from **2.00p.m. to 5.00p.m.** All are welcome.

Parish Office Hours: **Monday—Thursday** 9.00 a.m.—5 p.m., **Friday** 9 a.m.— 4.30 p.m.
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Webcam from Parish

