

Entrance Hymn

Hail, Queen of Heav'n, the
ocean star, Guide of the
wand'rer here below:

Thrown on life's sure, we
claim thy care:

Save us from peril and from
woe. Mother of Christ, star
of the sea, Pray for the
wand'rer pray for me.

O gentle, chaste, and spot-
less maid We sinners make
our prayers through thee:

Remind thy Son that he has
paid, The price of our iniqui-
ty.

Virgin most pure, star of the
sea, Pray for the sinner, pray
for me

Recessional Hymn

Queen of the May

Bring flowers of the rarest,
bring blossoms the fairest,
from garden and woodland
and hillside and dale.

Our full hearts are swelling,
our glad voices telling the
praise of the loveliest flower
of the vale.

O Mary we crown thee with
blossom today

Queen of the Angels and
Queen of the May.

O Mary, we crown thee with
blossoms today

Queen of the Angels and
Queen of the May.

Their lady they name thee,
Their mistress proclaim thee,

Ah, great that thy children
on earth be as true as long
as the bowers are radiant
with flowers, as long as the
azure shall keep its bright
hue.

Parish of Sts. Mary & Peter, Arklow

with St. David's, Johnstown

Sunday 21st May 2023

The Ascension of the Lord

World Communications Day



The Ascension of Christ means our own
salvation as well; where the glorious Head has
gone before, the body is called to follow in
hope. Let us therefore exult, beloved, as is
fitting, and let us rejoice in devout
thanksgiving. For on this day not only have we
been Confirmed in our possession of Paradise,
but we have even entered Heaven in the
person of Christ; through his grace we have
regained far more than we had lost through
the devil's hatred.

Sunday 21st May - The Ascension of the Lord

Sunday 28th May- Pentecost Sunday

Liturgical Calendar

May

Monday 22nd	St Rita of Cascia
Thursday 25th	St Bede
	St Gregory VII
	St Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi
Friday 26th	St Philip Neri
Saturday 27th	Solemnity of Pentecost

With Sympathy

Sympathies are extended to the family and
friends of

Fr Kieran Butler SM

Fr Francis Desmond Dooley

Patrick Doyle

Mary Keating

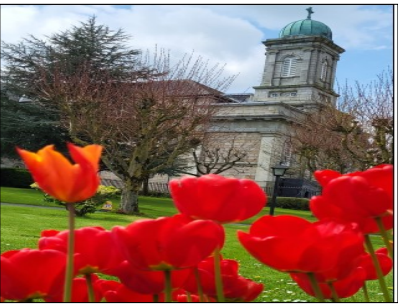
Gerard Roche

Carmel Robinson

&

John Kelly

who died recently may they rest in peace.



Mass Intentions

Saturday

6.30pm

20th May

Marcella & Eamonn Holt

Lucy Sweeney

Margaret (Maggie) Bolger

Sheila O'Shaughnessy

Sunday

10am

21st May

Matt McCrudden

11.30am

William English

John O'Leary

Betty Gregory

Margaret Pender

7pm

Marie Byrne

William Byrne

Annie & Bill English

Tuesday

10am

23rd May

Jack & Ellen Keogh

Friday

10am

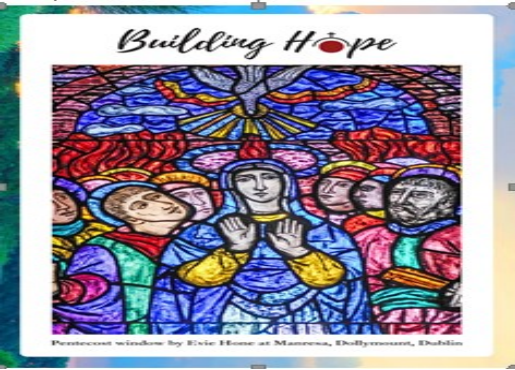
26th May

Monsignor Colm Gallagher

Building Hope

BUILDING HOPE – PRAY, REFLECT, PLAN

You are warmly invited to join with every parish in the diocese in a Novena to the Holy Spirit – a period of prayer, reflection and planning for the renewal of the Church in the Archdiocese of Dublin. The Novena will take place in the nine days from **21st-29th May** beginning on the Feast of the Ascension of the Lord, through Pentecost and continuing to the Feast of Mary, Mother of the Church.



**Every Sunday during May the Rosary will be
prayed at the Grotto at Arklow Rock at 3.00pm.**

**Rosary at Scarnagh Grotto on this
Sunday at 6pm.**

All Ireland Rosary Rally in Knock

The All Ireland Rosary Rally will take place on Saturday
June 3rd from 1pm in Knock. It will include Holy Mass,
the Rosary, the Stations of the Cross and a talk by
Bishop Oliver Doeme. The Main Celebrant for the Holy
Mass is Archbishop Eamon Martin. A bus will leave
from Dublin. Please book your seat early to avoid
disappointment.

Ring Loirín: 087 241 2611

Congratulations to the Young People of St John's
National School and Scoil Íosagáin Coolgreany National
School who received their Sacrament of Confirmation.

Also Congratulation to the children of St Michael &
Peter's and Carysfort National School who received
their Sacrament of First Holy Communion.

Well done to all.

Congratulations to

Enya O'Brien & John Cush

Who were married in

St Mary & Peter's Arklow

on Friday 19th May



SAMARITANS

East Coast

East Coast Samaritans are interviewing for new
volunteers.

Listening volunteer and Support volunteer roles.

If you would like to find out more,

Please email:

eastcoast.recruitment@samaritans.org



Arklow Parish
Organ Restoration Project

"An Evening of Song & Music"

Suantrai

Female Vocal Ensemble & Special Guests

An enchanting evening of song & music
not to be missed featuring not one, but two Riverdance soloists,
Avril O Toole and Sara Clancy
with special guests Cian Dwyer (Violin), John Bonner (Organ),
& Hilda Browne, Emily Kavanagh & Caoimhe Browne (Harp).

Sts. Mary & Peter's Church Arklow

Friday 26th May 2023 at 7:30pm

Admission €15
Tickets are available to purchase online now at the following link:
<http://www.gr8events.ie/suantraianeveningofsummersong>
or at the Parish Office.
All proceeds go to
Arklow Parish **Organ Restoration Fund**

**Bookings for Lourdes
Pilgrimage will take place in the
Árus Lorcáin on Friday
mornings from 10am to 12pm,
if you are interested please call
in for more information.**

