

Entrance Hymn:

### 'Christ be near at either hand'

Christ be near at either hand, Christ behind, before me stand, Christ with me where e'er I go, Christ around, above, below.

Christ be in my heart and mind, Christ within my soul enshrined. Christ control my wayward heart; Christ abide and ne'er depart.

Christ my life and only way, Christ my lantern night and day; Christ be my unchanging friend, guide and shepherd to the end.

Recessional Hymn:

### Here I am Lord

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry. All who dwell in dark and sin, my hand will save. I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright. Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

R/ Here I am Lord, is it I Lord. I have heard you calling in the night. I will go Lord, if you lead me, I will hold your people in my heart.

I the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame. I will set a feast for them. My hand will save. Finest bread I will provide, till their hearts be satisfied. I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send? R/

## Mass Intentions

## Saturday 6.30 p.m.

# 24th November

Rena Conroy Brendan Canavan Rose & Michael Butler Lily Henderson

John Deasy

### Sunday 8.30 a.m.

11.30 a.m.

25th November Noel Walsh William Byrne

Michael & James Sheehan Denis & Eileen O Donovan Myles Rowan

John Leahy

John McManus & Maisie McManus **Bridget & Seamus Kavanagh** 

# 7.00 p.m. Monday

8.00 a.m.

# 10.00 a.m. **Tuesday**

8.00 a.m. 10.00 a.m.

# Wednesday 8.00 a.m.

10.00 a.m.

# **Thursday** 8.00 a.m.

# 27th November

26th November

# 28th November

All who sympathised for Kathleen Hannigan 29th November

10.00 a.m. Friday 8.00 a.m. 10.00 a.m.

# Saturday 10.00 a.m.

30th November

1st December



Christmas Cards and Gifts are now available in Arus Lorcain. *This year we have* beautiful personalised cards from Arklow Parish available.



# Crosscare Annual Parish Food Appeal

Archbishop Martin is once again seeking support for a Parish Food Appeal next weekend, **December 1st** to support the work of the **Crosscare Foodbanks**. The generosity of parishioners in last year's food appeal meant that 10,000 emergency hampers were distributed to those most in need before Christmas. Items that are most needed are: Toiletries and cleaning products, Nonperishable food and Festive foods

Collection points will be located around the church. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

This weekend is **SHARE Appeal Sunday**. The second collection, SHARE, supports our parishes – priest, deacons and lay people working together for mission in a variety of different ways. SHARE newsletters are available in all church porches, featuring a letter from Archbishop Martin and detailed information regarding the SHARE collection.

**Thank you** to all parishioners who have returned their November Altar List of the Dead envelopes.

**Parish Visitation** of Meadow Vale Drive has been completed. We will begin Meadow Vale Green over the next week. Thank you for the welcome received.

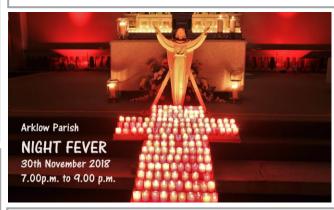
The **Legion of Mary** invites you to pray the Rosary in St. Gabriel's Cemetery on Sunday at 3.00p.m. Please pray for all the holy souls during the month of November by visiting the graveyard and in Mass.

A Mass of Thanksgiving for the Gift of Priesthood takes place today Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November, the Feast of Christ the King at 3.30pm in St. Andrew's Church, Westland Row.

All are invited to attend the launch of the Wicklow Hospice Memory Tree in Bridgewater Shopping Centre on Saturday 8th December from 2.30pm to 3.30 pm.

Christmas Craft Fair in aid of Mother Kevin Missions in Arus Lorcain this weekend. Carysfort National School Annual Christmas Craft Fair takes place on Saturday 1st December from 10am to 4pm. Santa will arrive at his grotto at 12pm.

Congrats to Arklow Geraldines on winning the Wicklow League recently. Good luck to the U20's football team in the final this weekend.



# Family News

**New Altar Servers** - Training on Saturday 1st December 11am. 3rd class and upward.

Family Mass Club - Next club Wednesday 28th November 5-6pm in the church. 2nd class and up.



Saturday 8th December Family Mass Blessing of the Crib and hot chocolate after.



**Sunday 9th December Family Advent Quiz and Bingo** (with prizes) Árus Lorcáin 2pm. Bring the family, grandad, grandma, cousins. All



### Coffee and Chat after morning school drop off

Every Monday of Advent **9.30am** in Arus Lorcain for parents/guardians especially those who have children in sacramental classes. Need some time to just sit and chat with friends at this busy time of year. Join us on December 3rd, 10th and 17th.





Unwrapping the Christmas Gift Are the names of the 'Three Wise Men' mentioned in the Bible?

Explore the Gospel accounts of the Birth of Jesus in a new way on the 3 Wednesday's of Advent at 7.30p.m. in Árus Lorcáin.



Advent begins next Sunday 2nd December



Look Newsletter - Don't forget to make the badge for next Family Mass First Sunday of Advent.