



Communion Dates for 2023

Saturday 6th May 11am

Scoil Ghormáin Naofa
Castletown National School.

Sunday 7th May 10am

Bearna Chlé Johnstown National
School & Scoil Íosagáin Coolgreany
National School

Sunday 14th May 10am

Ss Michael & Peter Junior School

Sunday 21st May 10am

Ss Michael & Peter Junior School

Sunday 28th May 10am

Gaelscoil and Inbhir Mhóir



Confirmation dates 2023

Saturday 13th May 11.30am

St John's Senior National School

Thursday 18th May 11.30am

Scoil Íosagáin

Coolgreany National School

Saturday 20th May 11.30am

St John's Senior National School

Thursday 25th May 11.30am

Bearna Chlé Johnstown National
School

Parish of Sts. Mary & Peter, Arklow

with St. David's, Johnstown

Sunday 30th April 2023

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Day of Prayer for Vocations



Vocations to the Priesthood
Rosary for this intervention
each Monday evening at
7.30pm Árus Lorcáin.

With Sympathy

Sympathies are extended to the family
and friends of
Selcuk Kollik
James Carroll
&
Fr Maurice Kelly

who died recently may they rest in
peace.

Mass Intentions

Saturday 29th April

6.30pm Maura McDonald (Month's
Mind) & her husband Daniel
John McDonald
John Cassell
Annie Kavanagh

Sunday 30th April

11.30am Sheila Barnes
Tim McCarthy
Drew Loughlin
Kathleen Joyce
John Purcell
Mary Glavin

7.00pm Maureen Byrne

Wednesday 3rd May

10am Kathleen Dunne

Castletown

Saturday 29th April

8.00pm Peter & Bridget Clare

Johnstown

Sunday 30th April

10am Nick & Maura Furlong

Chat N'Cha: Join us in the Árus

Lorcáin after 11.30am Mass on
Sunday 30th April.

All Welcome.



Liturgical Calendar

May



Monday 1st St Joseph the worker
Tuesday 2nd St Athanasius
Wednesday 3rd St Philip
St James
Thursday 4th St Conleth
Friday 5th Bl Edmund Rice



*I baptize you in the name
of the Father and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit*

Congratulations to

James Walker

Sauna Kinsella

&

Lucy Bergin Forde

**who were baptised in
St Patrick's Church Castletown**

Lay Ministry Collection

Saturday & Sunday 6th & 7th of May,
This collection will replace the usual
Share Collection .

Parish Pastoral Council 2023

If you are interested in serving on the Parish
Pastoral Council please send in your
thoughts on:

- A) *The current strengths and weaknesses
of this Parish.*
- B) *Your vision for the future of this
Parish.*

Please send by email to
padraigpparklow@gmail.com or by hand to
Fr Pádraig at the Parochial House the
closing date is Sunday 7th of May.

Polish Mass

Next mass in polish will take place on 07.05.23
at 10.00 am. There will be
tea and cake after in Arus
Lorcain. All Welcome



Kolejna msza w jez-
yku polskim
odbedzie sie 07.05.23 o
godz 10.00. Po mszy
wszystkich serdecznie
zapraszamy do Árus
Lórcain na kawę i ciastko



Bank Holiday Monday

1st May 2pm

Marching from St Stephen's Green to
Leinster House.

**Rosary & Benediction at Scarnagh Grotto on
Sunday 7th May at 3pm all welcome to
celebrate May the Month of Our Lady.**

*May
The Month of
Our Blessed Mother*



We remember all our parishioners who are sick
or in hospital at this time. We will keep them in
our thoughts and prayers.

Suantrai's Summer Concert

"An Evening of Song & Music in aid of Sts. Mary and Peter's Church Organ
Restoration Appeal will take place Friday, May 26th @ 7.30pm
in Sts Mary and Peter's Church, Arklow, Co. Wicklow.

Admission €15

Tickets are available to purchase
online NOW by clicking on the
following link;

[http://www.gr8events.ie/
suantraiaeveningofsummersong](http://www.gr8events.ie/suantraiaeveningofsummersong)

or at the Parish Office or after Mass.

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)

**An Evening of Song and Music
Suantrai Female Vocal Orchestra
Directed by Sara Clancy**



Friday 26th May at 7.30PM

**Sts. Mary & Peter's Church Arklow
In Aid of the Church Organ Appeal**

Well done to the Community
Employment Scheme Group who have
the Parochial Gardens looking so well.
Take time out to in your busy day to
have some quite time in the peaceful
settings of the Garden and the
Church. We will miss the
Participants who are due to leave the
scheme in May.



Arklow Lourdes Group

If you are interested in joining the Lourdes
Group this year on the Annual Pilgrimage to
Lourdes please leave your name and
number in the Parish Office before 30th
April. The trip will be for 7 days and the
average cost is around €1000. We will
contact all those interested with more
information at a later date.

