

Mass Intentions

Saturday	7th October
6.30 p.m.	Liam McElheron Patrick McGrath
Sunday	8th October
8.30 a.m.	Brendan Kincaid Snr Brendan Kincaid Jnr
11.30 a.m.	Joe Mc Donald Alice Byrne Annie Brauders Rita Wolohan Judy Power Anna May, Eddie and John Appleby Catherine Jenks Rose Farrell Michael Tyrrell
7.00 p.m.	Liam Byrne Olive Hersee
Monday	9th October
8.00 a.m.	Joe New
10.00 a.m.	John & Lucy Laffan Joe New
Tuesday	10th October
8.00 a.m.	Kathleen & John O'Toole
10.00 a.m.	-
Wednesday	11th October
8.00 a.m.	-
10.00 a.m.	-
Thursday	12th October
8.00 a.m.	-
10.00 a.m.	-
Friday	13th October
8.00 a.m.	-
10.00 a.m.	-
Saturday	14th October
10.00 a.m.	Myra O'Toole

To book an anniversary Mass please call into the Sacristy after any Mas. Alternatively, you can call into the Parish Office any week day after the 10.00 a.m. Mass.

Arklow Parish Office: Tel: 0402-31716
website: www.arklowparish.ie email: office@arklowparish.ie
Mon – Thur 9.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. Fri 9.00 a.m. to 4.30p.m.

Webcam from Parish



Gathering Hymn: A NEW HYMN OF PRAISE

A new hymn of praise let us sing to the Lord, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

This is the day the Lord had made;
Ransom for sin his life he gave.
A new hymn of praise etc.
To save us he was crucified,
Raising our hearts when hope had died.

A new hymn of praise etc.
Bringing him gifts of bread and wine,
We receive back, his life divine.

A new hymn of praise etc.
So live within us, make us one;
Stay with us Lord, till life is done.

A new hymn of praise etc.

Recessional Hymn HAIL QUEEN OF HEAVEN

Hail, Queen of heav'n, the ocean star
Guide of the wand'rer here below:
Thrown on life's surge, 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 spotless maid,
We sinners make our prayers through thee:
Remind thy Son that he has paid
The price of our iniquity.
Virgin most pure, star of the sea,
Pray for the sinner, pray for me.



With Sympathy

Sympathies are extended to the family and friends of
Piotr Skotarski
who died recently.
May he rest in peace.



Weekly Notices for the Churches of Sts. Mary & Peter, Arklow & St. David, Johnstown Commencing Sunday 8th October, 2017

NOTICES

- **The Rosary** will be recited at the Grotto, Arklow Rock at 3p.m. today and every Sunday during the month of October.
- **Fr. Michael** is going to **India** soon and will visit 70 villages in the outback of India during his stay. Thanks to all the secondary school pupils who wrote letters to the teenagers in India, Fr. Michael will have replies to all these letters on his return. We hope he has an enjoyable and safe trip.
- **Annual Arklow Youth Mental Health Week:** Get Inspired by the Professional Motivational Speaker Who Inspires the Best in all Fields. JOHN TRACEY, OLYMPIC MARATON SILVER MEDALLIST will speak St. Mary's College Hall, Arklow in 19th October 2017 @ 7pm Admission €5. 'An empowering story of human and sporting endeavour'
- **Table Quiz** in aid of the **National Council for the Blind** on Thursday 12th October at 8.30pm in The Bridge Hotel, Arklow. €150 top prize on the night, with a chance to win €3,000 at the final in December. Contact Sharon on 087 6470769 to register.
- A church gate collection in aid of **Irish Dogs for the Disabled** takes place at all Masses this weekend. Your support is greatly appreciated.

OFFICIAL FAMILY PRAYER FOR WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018

God, our Father,
We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son,
One family, in the Spirit of your love.

Bless us with the joy of love.

Make us patient and kind,
gentle and generous,
welcoming to those in need.
Help us to live your forgiveness and peace.

Protect all families with your loving care,
Especially those for whom we now pray:

[We pause and remember family members and others by name].

Increase our faith,
Strengthen our hope,
Keep us safe in your love,
Make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share.

This we ask, through Christ our Lord,

Amen

*Mary, mother and guide, pray for us.
Saint Joseph, father and protector, pray for us.
Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us.
Saints Louis and Zélie Martin, pray for us.*



First Holy Communion

The first meeting for parent's from all schools who have volunteered to help with the Do This in Memory Programme takes place in **Árus Lorcáin on Monday 23rd October at 7.00p.m.**

Please note that the deadline for the return to the Parish Office of completed registration forms along with copies of your child's Baptismal certificate is **Friday 20th October**. *If we have not received same by this date we will assume that your child is not going forward for the Sacraments.*



**National Day of Prayer for Children
13th October 2017**



October 13th is being celebrated as Children's National Day of Prayer. It is a special day when children will offer prayer for the needs of each other and for children living throughout the world.