

Gathering Hymn:

Praise to the Lord

Praise to the Lord, the almighty,
the king of creation!
O my soul, praise him,
for he is your health and salvation.
All you who hear,
now to his altar draw near,
Joining in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord,
oh let all that is in us adore him!
All that has life and breath,
come now in praise before him,
Let the Amen sound from his people
again, now as we worship before him.

Recessional Hymn:

How Great Thou Art

O Lord my God!
When I in awesome wonder,
Consider all the works thy hands have
made. I see the stars, I hear the
rolling thunder, thy power
throughout the universe displayed.

**R/ Then sing my soul,
my Saviour God to thee;
How great thou art,
how great thou art!
Then sings my soul,
my Saviour God to thee;
How great thou art,
how great thou art!**

When through the woods and forest
glades I wander, and hear the birds
sing sweetly in the trees: When I look
down, from lofty mountain grandeur,
and hear the brook and feel the
gentle breeze: **R/**

And when I think, that God his Son
not sparing, sent him to die, I scarce
can take it in. That on the cross, my
burden gladly bearing, he bled
and died, to take away my sin. **R/**

With Sympathy

Sympathies are extended to the family and
friends of **Marueen McDonagh &
Bridget Fitzgerald**
Who died recently.
May they rest in peace.

Mass Intentions

- Saturday 6.30p.m. 7th September**
Jack Bermingham
Sheila Breslin
Essie Breslin
Bridget Breslin
William Breslin
Jimmy Barnes
Seán Kennedy
- Sunday 8.30 a.m. 8th September**
Eileen Farrell
Sheila Copeland
Thomas Byrne
Sarah Ryan
Lucy Redmond
Esther Wolohan (Month's Mind)
Ann Breslin
Miriam Lillis (nee Allen)
(Month's Mind)
William (Billy) Snell
John Snell
John O'Neill (Birthday Rem.)
- Monday 8.00 a.m & 10.00 a.m. 9th September**
- Tuesday 8.00 a.m. & 10.00 a.m. 10th September**
- Wednesday 8.00 a.m. & 10.00 a.m. 11th September**
- Thursday 8.00 a.m. & 10.00 a.m. 12th September**
- Friday 8.00 a.m & 10.00 a.m. 13th September**
- Saturday 10.00 a.m. 14th September**



Liturgy Group Meeting on Wednesday 11th September at 6.30pm in Árus Lorcáin. We are looking for new members to join the Liturgy Group. No experience is needed just a passion to bring others closer to God through the Liturgies and services in our parish. Contact Denise Rowlands at the parish office.



Family Mass: Family Mass returns on Saturday 14th September at 6.30pm. We are looking for families to join the Family Mass Group. Please contact the parish office. One of our parish missions is to make this a family friendly parish and we need your help to do this.

SEASON OF CREATION
SEPTEMBER 1-OCTOBER 4



A Family Prayer

Creator God,
we thank you for
the abundance of creation,
for the air we breathe,
the water we drink,
and the food we eat.
We pray that we, your children,
will steward this gift
so that all of your children
may share in its abundance
here and around the world,
now and in generations to come.
In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

EXPLORING THE FAITH

**Have you ever wanted to deepen your understanding of the faith that you practice?
What do we profess when we say the Creed?
What is the meaning of the Mass and the Sacraments?
How should we live the Christian life?
What is Prayer?**

These questions and others will be explored in a series of weekly sessions on Tuesday nights in the De La Salle Pastoral Centre in Wicklow. There will be an introductory meeting on Tuesday 24th September to explain the course and give further information and the weekly sessions will begin on Tuesday 1st October.

All sessions begin at 7.30pm and will last no more than one hour.

The programme is open to everyone. The sessions will be very accessible and simple, with a little input each week followed by some discussion/ questions. If you are interested please come to the introductory session anyway, without any obligation to continue if you feel it is not for you.



The **Parish Communications Team** will meet at 1p.m. on Wednesday 11th September in Árus Lorcáin. If you would like to be part of this group please come along.



Weekly Notices for the Churches of
Sts. Mary & Peter, Arklow & St. David, Johnstown
Commencing Sunday 8th September 2019

NOTICES

Thank you for supporting last weekends annual **CROSSCARE** collection. €1601 was raised in our parish.

Welcome to Fr. Brian, a Holy Ghost Missionary Priest to our parish this weekend. He will share his own mission experiences and the works of the Holy Ghost Congregation around the world.

A reminder that our **Croghan Walk** takes place this Sunday afternoon. All participants are asked to be at Ballyfad Village at 1.30p.m. where shuttle buses are available to bring you to the base of Croghan.

To book a place on the **Legion of Mary Annual Pilgrimage to Knock** on 29th September please contact Mary Croke Tel: 0402-39713 | Margaret Berry 087-2989512 or 0402-39627.

Cursillo Weekends: Come listen and experience an encounter with self, Christ and others on a Cursillo in Christianity. Men's weekend 24 – 27 October, Women's weekend 7 – 10 November. Venue: Missionary Sisters of St. Columban Retreat Centre, Magheramore, near Brittas Bay. Phone Kathleen 087-6453290 or John 086-2346147 for more information.



*On September 8th
we celebrate
Our Lady's Birthday*

TV Lourdes is the official Live TV web service of the Sanctuaries of Our Lady of Lourdes. Broadcasting webcam images 7 days a week, direct from Lourdes.
https://directfromlourdes.com/lourdes_live_tv

Please keep all pilgrims in your prayers.

To Register:
Download the application form from www.evangelisation.ie, fill it in and email to evangelisation@dublindiocese.ie

"Start being brave about everything. Drive out darkness and spread light. Don't look at your weaknesses. Realise instead that in Christ crucified you can do everything"
St Catherine of Siena

FOUNDATIONAL CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP for YOUNG ADULTS

Would you like to learn more about being a leader in your Church, Your Parish, Your Community?

We are running the Foundational Leadership Programme for Young Adults over six Saturdays from October 2019- April 2020