

Important Arklow Parish /Dublin Dioceses Event

Sunday 28th August 11.30am Mass

On Sunday 28th August we will celebrate the Centenary of Archbishop Edward Byrne whose parents were Parishioners of Arklow Parish. They lived in Kilahurler and Archbishop Byrne regularly visited his home place. A committee has worked quietly behind the scenes to commemorate his time as Archbishop of Dublin. The current Archbishop Dermot Farrell was to lead our celebrations but due to unforeseen circumstances he has asked his Vicar General Msgr Ciarán O'Carroll to represent him. Msgr O'Carroll is an Eminent Church Historian and has just returned from his term as Rector of the Irish College in Rome. An interesting program for the day has been arranged and will be announced at all Masses today.



BAPTISM

Congratulations to
Erin Beth Money
William Denis Money
Jacob Christopher O'Reilly Murphy
Ellie Josephine McCrudden
Tillie Rose Kelsey Greene
&
Tadhg Alan Goggins
who were baptised
In St Mary & Peter's Arklow

Monday 15th August The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Mass in Arklow at 10am & 7pm
Johnstown 10am
Castletown 8pm

The Assumption of Mary: honours the fullness of blessedness that was her destiny, the glorification of her immaculate soul and virginal body that completely conformed her to the risen Christ. This is a celebration that offers to the Church and to all humanity an exemplar and a consoling message, teaching us the fulfilment of our highest hopes. Their own future glorification is happily in store for all those whom Christ has made his own brothers and sisters by taking on their flesh and blood.

Wednesday 17th August The story of Knock: began on the 21st August 1879 when Our Lady, St Joseph and St John the Evangelist appeared at the south gable of Knock Parish Church. This miraculous apparition was witnessed by fifteen people, young and old. Knock is an internationally recognised Marian Shrine. St John Paul II visited Knock as part of his 1979 papal pilgrimage to Ireland. Pope Francis went to Knock and prayed at the Shrine before the final Mass of the World Meeting of Families at the Phoenix Park, Dublin, On Sunday, 26th August 2018. The date of the memorial is within the annual novena conducted at the Shrine. Pope Francis, on the Feast of St Joseph, 19th March 2021, declared Knock to be an International Shrine of Eucharistic and Marian Devotion.

Parish of Sts. Mary & Peter, Arklow with St. David's, Johnstown
Sunday 14th August 2022

Mass Intentions

Saturday 13th August
 6.30pm Billy O'Neill
 Bill, Bridie & James Hagan
 Matt Sharpe

Sunday 14th August
 11.30am Jimmy O'Connor
 Michael Byrne
 Larry Kealy
 Paddy Redmond
 Ken O'Brien

Monday 15th August
 10am Monsignor Colm Gallagher
 Stephen O'Leary

Friday 19th August
 10am Bride Ann Carolan

Entrance Hymn

As I Kneel Before You,
 As I Bow My Head In Prayer,
 Take This Day, Make It Yours
 And Fill Me With Your Love.

Ave Maria, Gratia Plena,
 Dominus Tecum, Benedicta Tu.

All I Have I Give You,
 Every Dream And Wish Are Yours,
 Mother Of Christ, Mother Of Mine,
 Present Them To My Lord.

Ave Maria, Gratia Plena,
 Dominus Tecum, Benedicta Tu.

With Sympathy

Sympathies are extended to the family and friends of **Rowena Carroll & Helen Wolohan** who died recently may they rest in peace.



As I Kneel Before You,
 And I See Your Smiling Face
 Every Thought, Every Word
 Is Lost In Your Embrace.

Liturgical Calendar

Monday 15th August The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Tuesday 16th August St Stephen of Hungary

Wednesday 17th August Our Lady of Knock

Friday 19th August St John Eudes

Saturday 20th August St Bernard



Congratulations to
 Christina O'Donnell & Dermot Murray who were married in St Mary & Peter's Arklow On Saturday 6th of August



Confessions every Saturday after 10am Mass unless there is a funeral on the day.

Recessional Hymn

Holy God, We Praise Your Name
 Holy God, we praise thy Name!
 Lord of all, we bow before thee;
 All on earth thy scepter claim,
 All in heav'n above adore thee;
 Infinite thy vast domain,
 Everlasting is thy reign.

Hark! With loud peeling hymn
 Thee, The Angel choirs above are raising;
 Cherubim and Seraphim
 One unceasing chorus praising,
 Ever sing sweet accord:
 Holy, holy, holy Lord!

Holy Father, Holy Son,
Holy Spirit, Three we name thee,
While in essence only One,
Undivided God we claim thee,
And adoring bend the knee,
While we own the mystery.



Mary & Maureen in the horsebox collecting money

Running the show

Patsy & Fiadnait

Shades in the shade of the trees



Brady Bunch



Well done to all the Organisers of the Road Run on Sunday 7th August a great day was had by all.



Reception Committee

Brother Kevin's Retirement: Message from Archbishop Farrell.



I congratulate Brother Kevin as he retires from the Capuchin Day Centre, where he devoted his life to the service of the poor. His work with its staff and volunteers transformed the lives of those who availed of the services at the centre, from misery and despair to hope and love. One can only marvel at the many people he personally serviced. He was able to see Christ in the people he met. He was a love that reached out.



As Brother Kevin retires we should remember the poor we still have with us, in ever greater numbers because of wars, famine, drug and alcohol addiction. Today we ask the Lord to help us to work towards an alleviation of poverty, to have compassion for those who are experiencing Calvary and sorrow for our own self - indulgence.

Thank you, Brother Kevin for showing us how to walk in the footsteps of St Francis of Assisi, I wish you every blessing in your long overdue retirement.

Dermot Farrell
 Archbishop of Dublin

Summer Dues 2022

Due to the Covid Pandemic and the shortfall of income to the Church we have Summer Dues Envelopes available on the Altar Rails. If you would like to contribute please pick up an envelope and it can be returned to the Parish Office or either of the Priests. Thank you for your Continued Support .

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

