

# WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

## 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2022

The theme for World Mission Sunday this year is

**'You Shall Be My Witness' (Act1:8).**

World Mission Sunday is the Holy Father's annual appeal for spiritual and Financial Support so that the life-giving work of overseas mission and missionaries can continue. On World Mission Sunday, collections will take place at all Masses. The Mission Sunday Collection promotes the work of Missionaries in poor and remote communities. The funds raised will help build vital infrastructure, including churches, medical clinics, nurseries and schools. Please Support.

### Grow

Grow Mental Health Arklow Community Group is holding in-person meetings on Mondays at 10am in Árus Lorcáin, Castlepark.

Anyone is welcome to attend the meetings which will explore positive mental health, wellbeing and recovery. Meetings are free to attend. For more information about the group, call Trish 086 0129082.

### CHAT N' CHA

Join us in the Árus Lorcáin after 6.30pm Mass on Saturday 15th October



*"The media only writes about the sinners and the scandals, he said, but that's normal, because 'a tree that falls makes more noise than a forest that grows.'"*

Pope Francis

### Bible Study/Prayer walk/Holy Hour

Tuesday 18th October

Feast of St Luke

Location: God's Cottage Prayer Centre, Glendalough, A98 X4H0.

You are welcome to join a bible study group on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> October. The scripture studied and then prayed during visit to the churches in the monastic city and during the Holy Hour of praise and thanksgiving will be from the Gospel of St. Luke. Assemble at God's Cottage at 1pm and the afternoon will conclude at approx. 4pm. If you have any queries or to book a place, please contact Imelda on 087 2860101.

Centenary Closing Mass to commemorate the foundation of the Legion of Mary will take place in

the Pro Cathedral on the 19th November.

We are hiring a bus to attend this Special

Mass if you are interested in attending this Mass and wish to book a seat on the bus please contact the Parish Office on (0402) 31716.

### "Lets Sing"

Lets Sing is back every Thursday morning 11am to 12pm in Árus Lorcáin. Sing a variety of songs, old and new in a fun, non-competitive atmosphere at a cost of just €5 per week. To register your interest, call **Rosarii on (0402) 32248 or text 089 2639242.**



Thank you for the kind donation of €350 for the starving people of Somalia and €20 for Trócaire. The money has been sent onto the Charities involved.



### East Coast Samaritans

Please email to learn more if you would like to help us.

Paramount Arcade  
53 Main Street  
Arklow

Email [eastcoast.recruitment@samaritans.org](mailto:eastcoast.recruitment@samaritans.org)  
Web [samaritans.ie/east-coast-samaritans](http://samaritans.ie/east-coast-samaritans)

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## NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCE

### Prayer Service

All Soul's Day  
St. David's Church, Johnstown  
Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> November @ 7 p.m.

I thank God every time I remember you.

Philippians 1:3

St David's Church Johnstown Family Mass is celebrated once a month. It's a lovely opportunity for families to meet up and get to know each other.



The following dates to remember

October 16th @ 10a.m. Family Mass

November 13th @ 10a.m. Family Mass

November 2nd @ 7 p.m. November Remembrance Prayer Service

December 8th @ 7 p.m. Blessing of Crib (Hot Chocolate & Mulled Wine)

Anam Cara Wicklow,

is holding it's

monthly Parent Evening on Monday 17th October at 7:15pm in the Parkview Hotel, Newtownmountkennedy, This event is free and open to all bereaved parents

regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, We also now offer an online meeting too. Please contact us on [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) or 085 2888 888



Parish of Sts. Mary & Peter, Arklow

with St. David's, Johnstown

Sunday 16th October 2022

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Entrance Hymn

Hail, Queen of Heav'n, the ocean star

Guide of the wand'rer here below:  
Thrown on life's sure, 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

### Recessional Hymn

### Queen of the May

Bring flowers of the rarest, bring blossoms the fairest, from garden and woodland and hillside and dale.

Our full hearts are swelling, our glad voices telling the praise of the loveliest flower of the vale.

O Mary we crown thee with blossom today

Queen of the Angels and Queen of the May.

O Mary, we crown thee with blossoms today

Queen of the Angels and Queen of the May.

Their lady they name thee,  
Their mistress proclaim thee,

Ah, great that thy children on earth be as true as long as the bowers are radiant with flowers, as long as the azure shall keep its bright hue

### Mass Intentions

Saturday 15th October

10am Brendan Murphy (Months Mind)

6.30pm Marie O'Hart  
John & Jack Hudson

Sunday 16th October

8.30pm Julie La Cava (nee Kearon)

11.30am Vincent Fitzgerald (Months Mind)  
Frances Finnegan (Months Mind)

Tuesday 18th October

10am Peter Kelly

### With Sympathy

Sympathies are extended to the family and friends of

Declan Walker

Laurence Byrne

&

Noel Burke

who died recently may they rest in peace.

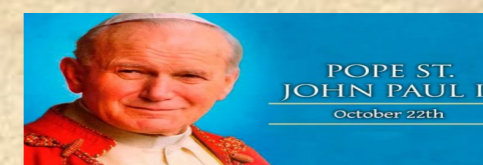
### Liturgical Calendar



Monday 17th Oct St Ignatius

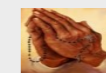
Wednesday 19th Oct Ss John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues  
St Paul of the Cross

Saturday 22nd Oct St John Paul II



St John Paul II was pope for over twenty-six years from 22nd October 1978 the inaugurations of his ministry as universal Pastor of the Church, until his death on 2nd April 2005. Ordained Bishop of Krakow in 1958 he took a significant part in the Second Vatican Council. As Bishop of Rome he visited almost all of the Roman Parishes and made apostolic journeys to 104 countries, including Ireland on 29th September—2nd October 1979.

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



### Registration for First Holy

Communion 2023

Gaelscoil an Inbhir Mhóir

Monday 17th/Tuesday 18th October in Árus Lorcáin 8.45am-9.45am each morning and 2.25pm-3.25pm each afternoon.



Please ensure you bring along a copy of your child's baptism certificate as this will be needed to register on the day.

### Registration for Confirmation 2023

Bearna Chlé Johnstown - 16th October after 10am Mass in St David's Johnstown.

Scoil Íosagáin Coolgreany - 16th October after 10am Mass in St David's Johnstown.



Please ensure you bring along a copy of your child's baptism certificate as this will be needed to register on the day. Also please ensure your child has decided on their Confirmation Name and Sponsor as this will also be needed.

The Rosary will be prayed at the Grotto at Arklow Rock every Sunday at 3pm during the month of October.

### Queen of Peace Rosary Group

Each Monday night in Árus Lorcáin at 7.30pm praying the Rosary for Priests and vocations to the Priesthood. All welcome.

Rosary is at the Grotto in Scarnagh every Friday at 7pm and every Sunday at 6pm.

All year.

If you wish to include an Anniversary Mass or notice in the Parish Newsletter it must be left in the Parish Office on the Wednesday before 10am to appear in the weekend Newsletter. Thank you.