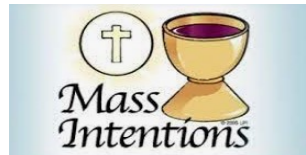


Parish of Sts. Mary & Peter, Arklow  
with St David's Johnstown  
21st July 2024  
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**Saturday 20th July**

**6.30pm (Anniv)**

Brid Kiernan  
Paddy O'Reilly  
Geoff Thompson

**Sunday 21st July**

**8.30am**

Mary Lawlor (Anniv)

**11.30am**

Garry Doyle (1st Anniv)

**(Anniv)**

Tony Dillon  
Margaret Bunting

**Tuesday 23rd July**

**10am**

Elizabeth Kelly (Anniv)  
Geoff Thompson  
(Birthday Remembrance)

*With Sympathy*

Sympathies are extended to the family and friends of

Patricia Brauders  
Breda Breslin  
Noel Kinsella  
&

Brother Eamonn Davis SJ  
May they rest in peace.

*Eucharistic Adoration*

*St David's Church, Johnstown  
Every Monday 11am to 6pm*

**Sts Mary & Peter  
Organ Restoration Fund**

*Win an all inclusive Pilgrimage to Lourdes for 2pp sharing with the Arklow Parish Group.*

*September 5th - 12th*

*In aid of the*

*Organ Restoration Fund*

**€5 per line**

*Tickets on sale this weekend  
Saturday 20th after 6.30pm Mass  
& Sunday 21st after 7pm Mass  
weekdays in the Parish Office or  
Delightfully Delicious.*

**Trócaire**

A Letter of Thanks was received from Caoimhe de Bara CEO of Trócaire to thank the Parish of Arklow and Johnstown for their kind donation to Trócaire of €3,429.91 this Lent

**B**ayside Alpha are hosting Bishop Barron's 6 week film series on The Mass, starting on Sunday the 4th of August from 7:30pm to 8:30pm. This series will help you understand how to fully, consciously, and actively participate in the source and summit of the Christian life. To join this Zoom course email Paul at [alphabayside@gmail.com](mailto:alphabayside@gmail.com). ]

**Liturgical Calendar  
July**



Mon 22nd St Mary Magdalene  
Tues 23rd St Bridget  
Wed 24th St Sharbel Makhluf  
St Declan  
Thurs 25th St James  
Friday 26th Ss Joachim and Anne  
Sat 27th Blessed Virgin Mary

**Lifeboats BINGO NIGHT**  
*in aid of Arklow Lifeboat*

**Saturday 3rd August**

**8:30pm**

**Árus Lorcáin**



**Please show your support**



**Update on Parish Survey**

The new Parish Pastoral Council wish to thank everybody who participated in the recent Parish survey at the weekend Masses. They are a sign of great hope for increase lay participation working with the Priests to build the Church for the future. There was a very generous response and it will take the Parish Council some time to process the results. We intend to follow up by meeting all the people who volunteered their services and this will happen after the holiday season at the beginning of September. Many thanks for your Concern for the future of our Parish. If per chance you missed the Parish Survey please contact the Parish Office for the Survey completion form.

**Parish Update on Mass Schedule**

Due to the reduction in the number of Priests serving the Parish there will be some fluctuation in the number of Masses possible in our Parish particularly during the Holiday time. A Priest is permitted to celebrate three Masses on a Sunday. At present the Priest has four scheduled Masses on Sunday 8.30am, 10am (Johnstown), 11.30am and 7pm. It is with great reluctance that the 7pm Mass will be discontinued until the Personnel level is clarified. This change will come into effect the first weekend in August. I apologize to all those who like to attend the 7pm Mass but I offer you the 6.30pm Saturday Mass as an alternative.

**Entrance Hymn**

**Here I am Lord**

I, the Lord of sea and sky,  
I have heard my people cry,  
All who dwell in dark and sin,  
my hand will save. I who made the stars of night,  
I will make their darkness bright.

Who will bear my light to them?

Whom shall I send?

*Here I am Lord, is it I Lord.*

*I have heard you calling in the*

*night. I will go Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.*

I the Lord of wind and flame.  
I will tend the poor and lame.  
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save. Finest bread I will provide, till their hearts be satisfied. I will give my life to them

Whom shall I send? R

**Recessional Hymn**

**Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God**

Seek ye first the kingdom of God, And his righteousness, And all these things will be Added unto you;

**R/ Allelu Alleluia.**

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, Allelu, alleluia.**

Ask and it shall be given unto you,

Seek and you shall find,

Knock and the door shall be opened unto you,

**Allelu, Alleluia R/**

**National Grandparents Pilgrimage to Knock 2024**

Celebrating the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly  
Theme: 'Do not cast me off in my Old Age' (cf.Psalm 71.9)

**Sunday 28th July 2024**

Schedule of the Day

2.30pm Anointing of the Sick in the Basilica  
3.00pm Pilgrimage Mass followed by the Rosary Procession.

Those unable to join in Person can take part online at [www.knockshrine.ie/watch](http://www.knockshrine.ie/watch)

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DATE: 26th JULY 2024  
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MUSIC ON THE NIGHT

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