ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

CHURCH NOTES

Thanks to all who contributed to the Easter Dues.

Easter Dues can still be handed in to Parish Office during the week.

Trocaire Boxes can be handed into the Parish Office during the week.

Leaflet with details on the introduction of the *New Missal* are available at the doors of the church.

Changes in some of the words we pray at Mass begin in September 2011.

Next Sunday is Share Sunday.

The Parish Pastoral Council will begin a new term of office next Autumn. There are vacancies for membership. A Formation Course is arranged for the evening of 23rd May, 30th May & 9th June. Information and Application forms available at the doors of the Church.

Share: €1.470

Thanks to all who contributed.

PARISH OFFICE/SHOP

Communion and Confirmation stock available from Parish Office/Shop; Cards, rosettes, prayer books, rosary beads, chains, symbolic medals & emblems, bookmarks, prayers and photo frames Shop open

Tuesday - Friday: 9.30 am - 1.30 am

Saturday: 10.30 am - 1.30 pm

DRAFT ATHY DEVELOPMENT **PLAN**

Public Meeting

takes place on Thursday, 12th May, between 2 pm - 6 pm www.athytowncouncil.ie

COURSES FOR PEOPLE WITH EPILEPSY

available at IT Sligo FÁS funded. Phone: 071 9155303 See:www.epilepsy.ie / www.itsligo.ie

RALLY FOR LIFE

2nd July 2011, at 2 pm Garden of Remembrance, Dublin

ANNUAL SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE

of the Coombe Women and Infants University Hospital will be held on 8th May 2011, at 3 pm, in Our Lady of Dolours Church in Ďolphin's Barn. All are welcome.

Sunday, 1st May, 2011

DIVINE MERCY **CELEBRATIONS**

takes place today, at 2 pm,

St. Dominic's Church, Athy,

includes Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary & Confessions, followed by Divine Mercy Mass

CARE OF THE ELDERLY ANNUAL MASS

with Anointing of the Sick takes place Tuesday **next**, 3rd May, at 7 pm, in the Parish Church.

PARISH ADORATION

All Welcome

There will be **no** Adoration in The Parish Church tomorrow, Bank Holiday Monday. There will be a break in Adoration from 1 pm to 3 pm on Thursday next to allow for an altar servers practice for Confirmation.

CONFIRMATION & SERVICE OF LIGHT

Service of Light takes place Wednesday next, 4th May, at 8 pm. Confirmation Ceremony takes place Saturday next, 7th May, 2011, at 11 am.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO **KNOCK**

will **not** take place in May Details of Pilgrimage will be announced later.

Details on CEMETERY MASSES

will be announced next weekend.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO **LOURDES**

takes place from 1st - 6th July Price €690. Deposits now due to Maureen Ryan, William St.

NEXT SUNDAYS READINGS (THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER)

First Reading:

Acts 2: 14. 22 - 23

Psalm:

Psalm 15

Second Reading:

1 Peter 1: 17 - 21

Gospel:

Luke 24: 13 - 35

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Peter 'Jack Kelly', Bray Michael Carolan, Ballyroe, Mary Hayden Fox, late of Rathmines, formerly of Churchtown, Athy. Funeral Mass in Rathmines. Burial in St. Mary's Cemetery, Barrowhouse at 12.30 pm tomorrow, Monday

Saturday 7 pm: Month Mind:

Tom Doogue Anniversaries:

Jim Townsend, Ann Timpson, Joseph Walsh, Patrick Walsh, John Walsh, Thomas Walsh, Grace Walsh, John Lynam, Michael Hoffenger Bill Africant Michael Hoffenger B Michael Heffernan, Billy Morrin,

8.30 am: Patricia Donovan

10 am Barrowhouse:

Mary Murphy Browne

10.30 am Shared Mass: Recently Deceased:

Breda Čleary, Nicki Cahill, Norman Glynn, Frank Delaney, Brigid Dunne, Mick Doherty, Michael Carolan, Florrie McHugh, Mona McGeehan, Jack Kelly, Jim Corcoran

Anniversaries:

Jim Murphy, Paddy & Nancy Walsh, Anthony Hope, Pat Prendergast, Paddy Fitzpatrick, Annie & William Hutchinson, Raymond Callaghan, Tommy Donoher, John & Julia Walah, Maisie Kelly, Brigid Connell, Mollie & Joe Brennan,

9.15 am: Wednes. Mary O'Neill

Thursday 9.15 am Altar List of the Dead

Friday 9.15 am: Golden Book

Mass Times:

Monday - Friday: 9.15 am Saturday: 11 am & 7 pm vigil **Sunday:** 8.30am, 10.30am, 12 Noon

10 am in St. Mary's, Barrowhouse

Bank Holiday Monday 11 am only (no 9.15 am)