

# ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

Sunday, 12th February, 2012

## PARISH NOTICES

**Do this in Memory** Mass takes place today, Sunday, at 10.30 am.

Annual Collection for **ACCORD**, The Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, will take place today. The ACCORD collection will replace the usual Share collection.

**Latin Mass** will take place Sunday next at 5 pm in the Parish Church.

Parish Dev.: €1,118

Share: €986

*Thanks to all who contributed.*

## TEMPERANCE SUNDAY

is marked on Sunday next

### ASH WEDNESDAY

#### **Day of Fast & Abstinence**

falls on Wednesday week, 22nd February.

*Mass times for Lent*

*Monday - Friday: 9.15 am & 7 pm*

If anyone is interested in take the Lenten pledge or

if anyone is due their Silver or Gold Pioneer pin

Please contact you local Pioneer Centre/Parish Office soon.

Call in or phone 059 8638391

Email: athyparishrc@eircom.net

## PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

### Recently Deceased:

*John Burke, Ballyroe*

### Saturday 7 pm

#### **Months Mind:**

Michael Quinn, Kathleen Kelly, Noreen Kelleher

#### **Anniversaries:**

Jack & Declan Deere, Kathleen Delahun, Robert 'Bobbie' Mulhall, Danny McEvoy, Shamey Flynn, Joe Prendergast, Michael Doody, Leza Managan, Peter & Esther Brerton, Winifred Smyth, Charlie & Mollie Holohan, Vera Behan nee Holohan, Parky Mitchell, Mick Malone

**8.30 am:** Mary Lawler, formerly of Churchtown. *Also pray for* Shay Ryan & John Moran

**Barrowhouse:** Martin McDonald

### 10.30 am Share Mass

#### **Recently Deceased**

Noreen Noonan, Gerry Maloney, Jimmy Cahill, Kitty Gibbons, Pauline O'Connor, Mary Morrin, Kathleen Kelly, John Burke

#### **Anniversaries:**

Geraldine O'Brien, Richard Maloney, Joseph McConville, Deceased Members of Walsh Family, James Doyle, Patrick Foley & Deceased Members of Foley Family, Margaret Bolger, Frances Coughlan, Robert 'Bobby' Mulhall, Danny McEvoy, Michael & Rosanna O'Connor, Charlie & Nellie Holohan, Vera Breen nee Holohan, Kathleen Delahun, Leza Mangan, Bridie & Willie Hutchinson, Parky Mitchell, Mick Malone, Michael Martin, Mary & Michael Brody, Mary Kelly,

## ACCORD

For information on Marriage Preparation Workshops contact: **ACCORD CARLOW**, Tel: 059 9138738 /059 9138700.

ACCORD Dublin: **Phone:** 01 4780866.

**Email:** admin@dublin.accord.ie

**Website:** www.dublin.accord.ie

## PARISH EUCHARISTIC

### ADORATION

takes place every

Monday from 10am - 5 pm &

Thursday from 10 am - 8 pm

in the Old Baptistery.

*We need more new people and invite them to put themselves on the roster for one hour each week particularly for lunch times*

*Monday & Thursday and*

*Thursday afternoons.*

*Ideally we would like to have three people rostered for each hour.*

## EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS SONG

### Refrain

Though we are many, we are one body,  
We who come to share this living bread,  
Cup of Salvation, share among all nations,  
Nourishing us now and evermore.

## BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Contact Breda: 059 86 32596

## MERCY ASSOCIATE MEETING

takes place Monday, 20th February, 8 pm,  
in Cuan Mhuire.

## LEARNING ABOUT THE MASS

from *Kate & Quamen*

### THE READINGS

The Minister of the Word goes to the ambo to read.

The first reading is usually from the oldest part of the bible called the Old Testament. In the Easter Season the first reading comes from the New Testament.

The stories that we hear during the first reading are the same stories that Jesus would have heard when he was a child. Some of the stories from the Old Testament are thousands of year old.

They remind us of how long people have been listening to God's Word. They tell us how much God loves us. Even though the stories are very old they still have an importance message for us today.

## SCHOOL ENROLMENT

takes place for Junior Infants 2012

in **Churchtown School**

from 20th - 24th February

inclusive between 1 - 2 pm

at the School Office

Required: PPS no.,

Birth & Baptismal Certs

in **Shanganamore, Barowhouse**

from 20th - 24th February

inclusive between 2 pm - 3 pm

Applicants must call to school

to complete form. Required:

Child Birth & Baptismal Cert

## BUS TO CLONFERT

leaves Athy Saturday,  
25th February. See notice board.

## DIVINE MERCY CONFERENCE

takes place

Saturday & Sunday

18th & 19th February

Advanced booking required

Phone: 059 8313119

## NEXT SUNDAYS READINGS

www.catholicireland.ie

## PARISH

**Monday 9.15 am:**

Attracta Donnelly  
(Recently Deceased)

**Tuesday 9.15 am:**

Elizabeth Kingston  
(18th Anniversary)

**Wednes. 9.15 am:**

Sr. Paul Flanagan  
(5th Anniversary)

**Thursday 9.15 am:**

Fintan Kinsella  
(1st Anniversary)

**Friday 9.15 am:**

Cyril McGovern  
(3rd Anniversary)