

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

Sunday, 29th January 2012

PARISH NOTICES

Catholic Schools Mass takes place today, at 10.30 am. This year's theme for Catholic Schools week is "Catholic Schools: Christ's Living Body active in our World" See websites www.dublindiocese.ie and www.catholicbishops.ie to hear a talk by Bishop Brendan Kelly, chair of Bishops Council for Education.

Thursday next is the First Thursday of the Month. 9.15 am Mass will be offered for those whose names are on the **Altar List of the Dead**.

Friday next is the Friday of the month 9.15 am Mass will be offered for those whose names are in the **Golden Book**.

Parish Dev.: €785 (annuals & weekly)
Share: €968

Thanks to all who contributed.

NEW PRIEST

Fr. Morty O'Shea
will join

the Parish Staff from Wednesday next. We hope you will make him welcome.

Fr. Paul O'Driscoll remains with us and also as Administrator of Castledermot Parish.

Wednesday next, 1st February ST. BRIGID'S DAY

Crosses are available from the Parish Office/Shop

Thursday next, 2nd February Candlemas Day

Candles for use in the home will be blessed during 9.15 am Mass. If you would like candles blessed you can leave them into the Parish Office before 1.30 pm on Wednesday, 1st February.

Friday next, 3rd February Feast of St. Blaise

Throats will be blessed after 9.15 am Mass on Friday next.

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Kathleen Gibbons, Quarry Farm,
Jeremiah 'Gerry' Maloney, Foxhill,
Rosaleen Kelly, Corran Ard,

Saturday 7 pm

Months Mind:

Liam O'Keeffe, Adrian Whelan

Anniversaries:

Joe & Josephine Luttrell, Kevin Dooley, Maureen Kerr, Jack Buckley, Bridget Moran, Marie Kirby, May & Joe O'Neill, Des O'Neill, John Maloney, Tom & Peg Lawler,

8.30 am: Paddy Harrington

Barrowhouse: Rosaleen Wall
(7th Anniversary)

Also pray for Michael Dooley

Catholic Schools Week

10.30 am Share Mass

Recently Deceased

Noreen Noonan, Rosaleen Kelly,
Blossom Gannon, Jeremiah Maloney, Kathleen Kelly, Walter Fennell, Kathleen Gibbons,

Anniversaries:

Kathleen Brennan, Noreen Moran, William Holligan, Deceased Members of Holligan Family, John Costello, Phil Gorman, Elizabeth Doyle, Billy Doyle, Martin Rigney, John & Bridget Rigney, Larry Farrell, Patrick, Gertrude & Eddie Cooke, Tom & Peg Lawler, Margaret Duggan,

PARISH

Monday 9.15 am:

Martha Donaghy

Tuesday 9.15 am:

William Holligan (7th Anniversary)

Wednes. 9.15 am:

Mary Maloney (34th Anniversary)

Thursday 9.15 am:

Altar List of the Dead

Friday 9.15 am:

Golden Book

Saturday 11 am:

Michael & Mary Doyle

ATHY PARISH PILGRIMAGE to Lourdes

takes place for 5 days
from 30th June - 5th July 2012
Price €690.

Contact: Maureen Ryan, William St.
Phone: 059 86 31987

THE ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS for

Deceased Civilian Employees
of the Defence Forces

including the Curragh Camp, Devoy Naas, Magee Barracks, Kildare & Coolmoney Camp

takes place Friday, 3rd February,
at 10am in St. Brigid's Church,
Curragh Camp. Relatives and Friends
are invited to attend.

SAMARITANS

seek volunteers: 086 0855785

LEARNING ABOUT THE MASS

THE AMBO

The Word of God is so important for us that there is a special place in God's house from which it is read.

We call this the ambo.

The only time that the ambo is used is for Readings, the Gospel, the Homily and the Prayers of the Faithful.

from *Kate & Qumen*
(Do this in Memory Programme)

MAGIS IRELAND

Jesuit Young Adult Ministry

hold a reflection and prayer space every two weeks in Gardiner St.

There are a number of retreats happening over the coming months.

Magis are part of the Organising Committee for the Youth Space for the International Eucharistic Congress and will be running a week long series on practical action-reflection activities in Dublin City during the Congress.

For more information contact
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WORKSHOP ON EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

in Parish Pastoral Centre,
St Mary's & St. Peter's Parish,
Arus Lorcaín, Castle Park, Arklow,
on Saturday, 25th February,
from 11 am - 2 pm

No Charge.

Contact Fr. Kevin Bartley:

087 2755413

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BINGO

in Athy G. F.C. today at 3 pm
in the Club House in aid of underage
football.

NEXT SUNDAYS READINGS

www.catholicireland.ie

BAPTISM

We welcome into the Church those recently Baptised in the Parish:

Hannah Amelia Ivory Whyte
Kathlyn Louise Manning