

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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PARISH NOTICES

Parish Dev.:€460
Peter's Pence: €1,091
Thanks to all contributors.

30% OF PARISHIONERS
who contributed €250 or more
in 2009/2010/2011
**HAVE
RESPONSE TO LETTERS
RE
TAX RELIEF ON DONATIONS**

Our first submission has been made.
Parishioners will receive
more reminders during the year
asking for their co-operation
with our final submission
of 2013 which will be made
around October .
Thanks to all those who have already
responded.

*The Parish has now received a cheque
from revenue in relation to
2008 tax relief from
PAYE Parishioners.
The return for the Parish
amounted to €2,898.79
from a submission of 32 consenting
PAYE Parishioners.*

LOUGH DERG

Sunday 21st July - Tue., 23rd July
Departing from Lidl car Park, Athy
at 7.50 am
Booking required before 20th July
denis@buggy.ie
055 4441264/087 2535989

RIO IN DUBLIN

26TH/27TH/28TH JULY
18-35 year olds. I.D. is required
(Sunday open to age 16+)
Pilgrimage walk, music, Adoration,
catechesis
St. Mary of the Angels, Capuchin
Church, Dublin 7
twitter.com/rioindublin2013
wyd@dublindiocese.ie

JUST FAITH PROGRAMME

September 7th & 14th
For info phone: 01 8373732-ext 251

Public consultation on YOUTH SKATE
PARK, Meeting Lane, details on
display in library.
VIKING FESTIVAL Sunday, 18th
August. email Medivalathy@gmail.com

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time 7th July 2013

CHOOSE LIFE

Abortion legislation

This Abortion Bill will provide the
widest possible legal justification for
deliberately and intentionally
destroying the life of the unborn child,
with **no time limits** and no
mechanism for ensuring that the right
to life of the unborn is adequately
vindicated as required by Article
40.3.3 of the Constitution.

In practice, the right to life of the
unborn child will no longer be treated
as equal.

This Bill represents a legislative and
political 'Trojan Horse' which heralds
a much more

liberal and aggressive abortion regime in Ireland.

Medical evidence does not support the
view that abortion is an appropriate
treatment for expectant mothers with
suicidal feelings. Mothers in these
situations deserve the best
professional care and support that can
be provided. As well as involving the
deliberate killing of an unborn child,
this Bill by promoting abortion risks
creating the very symptoms of
suicidal feelings it claims to address.

**The Abortion Bill makes it lawful to
induce the premature
delivery of an unborn child in
response to the suicidal feelings of a
mother, foreseeable exposing that child
to the risk of serious and
permanent damage to her or his health.
Where a child is perhaps only days
away from viability,
the Bill is silent on whether the child
will be killed or delivered with serious
risk to the health of the child.**

**"The abortion bill, despite what the
Government says, it is not just a
tidying-up exercise, it sacrifices the
innocent life of one human being to
another's threat of self-destruction.
This fails any test of justice" -
Bishop John Buckley, 30 June 2013.**

If you wish to lobby your politicians
in relation to proposed abortion
legislation, contact details can be
acquired by emailing in-
fo@thelifeinstitute.net

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

*Bridget 'Bridie' Stanley, Kilberry
and formerly Grangemellon*

Saturday 7 pm

Months Mind:

Tom Casey, Marie Tierney

Anniversaries:

Patrick Fennin, Larry Kelly,
Ned Farrell, Winifred & George
Aldridge, Anne Hyland, Mary
Casey, Esther Breslin, Andrew,
Ellen & James Doogue,
Deceased Members of Doogue
Family, Edward & Kathleen
Murphy, Andrew & Bridget
O'Brien

8.30 am: Tom Harris

10 am: Barrowhouse:
Gerry Howe

10.30 am Share Mass

Recently Deceased:

Kathleen Donovan,
Betty & Jimmy O'Brien,
Nancy Dooley,
Denis Doherty,
Bridie Stanley,
Mark Carroll,
Anniversaries:
Peg Redmond,
Tom Harris,
Nora O'Connor
James & Helen Cunningham,
Pauline Loughman,
John Davis

PARISH

Monday 9.15 am:
May Lalor

Tuesday 9.15 am:
Mary & Dom Foley, Paul Foley

Wednes. 9.15 am:
Mary & Edward Delahunt
Thomas James Delahunt

Thursday 9.15 am:
Anna O'Keefe

CEMETERY MASSES

Kilberry:

Wednesday week, 17th July, at 7 pm

Nicholstown:

Friday week, 19th July, at 7.30 pm

ALL Ireland Rally for Life

takes place

in

Dublin

on

Saturday, 6th July 2013

Bus

leaving from

outside Parish Church Car Park, Athy, at 10 am.

Mass in Dominic St. Church at 12.30 pm.

Rally starts in Parnell Sq at 2 pm.

*100,000 petitions will be handed into
the Dáil
for Enda Kenny's attention.*

**To book your place
on the bus**

Contact

Elaine 059 86 38391

or

Carmel 087 9132950

(€10 Cost approx)

*This is the last opportunity to stand up for life and send a
clear message to our Government not to legalise abortion.
It is vital there is a huge turnout on the day.*

**"All that is necessary for the triumph of evil is that
good men do nothing."**