ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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CHURCH NOTES

The Parish Staff and Parish Pastoral Council wish you a **Happy and Holy Easter**.

We wish to thank all who made the Ceremonies so meaningful, the Choir, the Eucharistic Ministers, the Collectors, the Altar Servers, the Readers, those who decorated the altar and the Church and all those who helped in anyway. Most of all we would like to thank all you who came to pray and celebrate during this Holy Week and all during the year.

Masses today are at the usual Sunday times, 8.30 am, 10.30 am & 12 noon. There will be Mass as usual in Barrowhouse at 10 am.

Easter Dues may be handed in at any of the Masses today.

Tomorrow, Monday is a **Bank Holiday**. Morning Masses during this week are at **11 am.**

The Parish Office will open on Thursday and Friday only this week.

To celebrate the canonisation of Pope John Paul II and Pope John XVIII All parishioners are invited to take a complimentary commemorative edition of Mirror which is published by Aid to the Church in Need available at the back of the church.

Parish Dev.: €851. Share: €801 *Thanks to all who contributed.*

ATHY PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 26TH JUNE-1ST JULY Price €699

Places still remaining, deposits now due to Maureen Ryan, William St.
Phone: 059 86 31987

BUS TO NATIONAL PRO LIFE VIGIL MERRION SQ., DUBLIN

on SATURDAY, 3RD MAY

Bus from Athy departs from outside the Parish church grounds at 1.15 pm sharp.
Cost €15 approx.
Contact:

Elaine 059 86 38391 (day time) or Carmel 087 9132950 (evenings) by Thursday, 1st May.

A chance to show that pro life people are re-energised.

Sunday, 20th April, 2014 Easter Sunday

On Easter morning Christ rose from the dead, altered the past and shaped the future.

Easter is the greatest occasion in the church.

It announces that there is a way forward out of darkness.

Transformation is possible in our lives.

Resources: Voicing a thought on Sunday

GOLDEN JUBILEE celebrating

celebrating
50 YEAR OF ST. MICHAEL'S
PARISH CHURCH
Today, at 12 noon Mass,
Bishop Eamonn Walsh will join in the celebrations commemorating the opening and blessing of our Parish church in 1964.
A new statue honouring St. Michael the Archangel and our renovated old Baptistery will be blessed

on this Easter day.

Bookmarkers commemorating
the anniversary are available at the
doors of the church.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Celebrations takes place in

Dominican Church, Athy

Sunday next, 27th April. commencing at 2 pm with Exposition, Rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Confessions and Mass.

& also takes place in **Moore Abbey, Monasterevin**. Mass at 3 pm. Confessions at 2 pm.

Bus to Clonfert on Sun. 27th April. for DVM celebrations. Bus leaves Athy 9.45 am.

Bus leaves Athy 9.45 am. Phone Eileen 059 86 25215

KNOCK PILGRIMAGE 18th May 2014

Athy Parish Pilgrimage as part of the Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage takes place Sunday ,18th April.

Bus departs at 8.30 am.

Tickets €20

Contact Elaine in the Parish Office

ATHY G.F.C. EASTER CAMP

22nd - 24th April in Athy G.A.A. 10 am - 2.30 pm. Age 6 - 13 See contact details on notice board. Proceeds to Athy G.A.A.

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Kathleen Stewart, Nicholastown. Pat Daly, Prusselstown, Funeral Mass on Monday at 11 am followed by burial in New St. Michael's Church. Bernie Hobin, Kilkenny John Barry, Kingscourt, Co. Cavan, formerly of McDonnell Drive. Burial in Kingscourt today.

Easter Day List

All Easter Masses will be offered for the Living and Deceased for whom we have been asked to pray

Barrowhouse:

Patrick Daly,

Parish:

John Kelly, Esther Kelly Cahill, Chris Byrne, Frances Jordan, Patrick Daly, John Kavanagh, John & Mary Foley, Chris Byrne, Mick Doherty, Tommy Donoher, Paddy & Dan Foley, Chrissie O'Toole, Lucy Harte, Sr. Mary Mercy (O'Mara), Michael & Elizabeth Mangan, James & Maria Davis, Christy Kelly, Kathleen & Patrick Donnelly, Harry Foley, Michael & Rosanna O'Connor, Winifred Ingram, Michael Carolan, May Norton, Joseph and Margaret Delaney, Patrick & Theresa Delaney, Tom & Clair Broghall, Michael & James Doogue, William Murphy, Maura & Eamonn McCauley, Patrick Dunne, Seamus McEvoy, Danny McEvoy, Jim McEvoy, Noel Lawler, Deceased Members of Bambrick & McEvoy Families, Willie Hutchinson, Annie Hutchinson, Helena Hutchinson, Deceased Members of Hutchinson Family, Paddy & Peg Moran, Nora & Mary Dalton, Catherine & Michael Prendergast. Thomas & Mary Moran, Robert Moran, Bernie Hobin, Paddy Keane, Deceased Members of Johnson & Rigney Families, Robert & Mary Morrin, Jim & Josephine Harris, Deceased Members of Harris Family, Bernadette Dunne, Deceased Members of Dunne Family, Richard & Mary Maloney, John Maloney, Ellen Kenny, Bridget Chambers, Kate Selby, Dickie Kelly, Maisie Kelly, Deceased Members of Maloney Family

Mon. 11 am Funeral Mass of Pat Daly Friday 11 am:

Patricia Donovan (10th Anniversary) **Saturday** 11 am: Dolores McNulty (If no funeral)