

# ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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## PARISH NOTICES

Parish Office will be closed Saturday next, 26th July.

Parish Development: €776  
Share: €791  
*Thanks to all who contributed.*

## RENEWAL OF THE FAMILY RETREAT

Dana will deliver a retreat at  
Emmaus Centre  
from Fri. 5th Sept. - Sunday, 7th Sept  
with a theme based on the renewal of  
the Family

The program includes Daily Eucharist,  
Guided Rosary, Divine Mercy,  
Station of the Cross  
Dinner & concert with Dana on  
on the Saturday evening.

Retreat can be residential or non-  
residential.  
Alternatively concert tickets can be sold  
on their own for €25

Bookings can be made on line  
See: [www.emmauscentre.ie](http://www.emmauscentre.ie)  
or phone: 01 8700050

## GORTA SHOP, Duke St.

would appreciate unwanted  
ladies, gents and kids clothing, bed-  
linen, shoes and bric a brac  
Contact Emma, at 086 8669433

## ACCORD Carlow

**Pre marriage courses**  
for those getting married in the autumn  
or early next year  
12th & 13th September, 10th & 11th  
October, 14th & 15th November

## CELEBRATING MARRIAGE JUBILEES

We wish to invite couples who are  
celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th  
and longer wedding anniversaries this  
year to participate in a Jubilee Mass  
on Friday, 12th September, 7.30 pm.  
followed by refreshments.  
Please give your names to the Parish  
Office or any of the Parish staff.

## 16th Sunday of the Year 20th July 2014

**In this week's Gospel  
God's people are compared to a  
field of wheat and weeds growing  
side by side until the harvest.  
Although we should not be  
indifferent towards evil  
we should also not spend too much  
time looking at the sins of other.  
We should abhor sin but love the  
sinner.  
We all have wild weeds growing in  
our own patch.  
It is never too late to turn back to  
God.  
While weeds never become wheat  
sinners can become saints.  
God will judge us on the last day.**

Resources: "Voice a Thought on Sunday."  
Desmond Knowles

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July and August editions of  
The Sacred Heart Messenger and the  
Pioneer magazines are now available  
for collection from the Parish Office  
for those who have ordered them.

## PRAYER MEETING

takes place every Tuesday night  
at 8 pm in 82 Leister St., Athy.  
All ages welcome.

**Weekend Mass Times:**  
Sat 11 am & Vigil Saturday 7 pm  
**Sunday Masses:**  
8.30 am, 10.30 am, 12 Noon,  
(10 am in Barrowhouse)  
**Confessions:**  
Saturdays, after 11 am & 7 pm Mass

## PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

### Recently Deceased:

**Saturday 7 pm**  
**Months Mind:**  
Esther 'Babbie' Moore  
**Anniversaries:**  
Laurence Keane, Catherine Kelly,  
Christina Bowden, Hanoura Deere,  
Nancy Farrell, Mick & Liz  
Sherlock, Rose Berry, Christy  
Kelly, Joseph & Margaret Delaney,  
Patrick & Theresa Delaney, Tom &  
Clair Broughall, Tom & Mary  
Connelly, Michael Doogue,  
James Doogue, Elizabeth & Peggy  
Hicks

**8.30 am:** Peter Fitzsimons &  
Deceased Members of Fitzsimons  
Family

**Barrowhouse:**  
Peggy Lawler & Deceased  
Members of Lawler & Carroll  
Families

### 10.30 am Share Mass

**Recently Deceased:**  
May Mulhall,  
Gretta Fennelly,  
Breda Brennan,  
Agnes Candy,  
Kathleen Stewart  
**Anniversaries:**  
John & Chris Creed,  
Bridget Aspill,  
Annie & Francis O'Brien

### Parish

**Monday 9.15 am:**  
Bernard Carroll

**Tuesday 9.15 am:**  
Rhianna Maguire  
(Recently Deceased)

**Wednes. 9.15 am:**  
Special Intention

**Thursday 9.15 am:**  
Elizabeth Kavanagh

**Friday 9.15 am:**  
James Prendergast