

# ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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## PARISH NOTICES

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.

Commemorative edition of the Irish Catholic are also on sale. Cost €1.60

Next Sunday is **Share Sunday**.

Athy & District Annual **Care of the Elderly Mass** with anointing of the sick takes place on Tuesday, 6th May, at 7 pm. *All welcome.*

*Last weekend's collection:* Share: €1,261  
*Thanks to all who contributed.*

## SOLEMN NOVENA

*to Our Lady of Perpetual Help*

in St. Clare's Church, Graiguecullen  
5th May - 30th June, at 7.30 pm  
(Rosary at 7.10 pm). 9 Monday nights.

**5th May speaker:**

Archbishop Eamonn Martin (Armagh)  
*Singing will be led by Fr. Liam Lawton.*

**The Big C Choir** of cancer survivors and friends will perform in Church of Our Lady & David, Naas on Friday, 9th May, at 8 pm. Cost €10  
Phone: 087 7672463

FREE Career skills programme  
Information meeting Wednesday next.  
Contact Bernie 086 7702907

## ACCORD

For information on Marriage Preparation Workshops contact: **ACCORD CARLOW**, St. Catherine's Community Services Centre, St. Joseph's Rd., Carlow. Tel: 059 9138738 /059 9138700. ACCORD Dublin: Ph: 01 4780866. **Email:** admin@dublin.accord.ie **Website:** www.dublin.accord.ie

## PARISH SHOP/OFFICE

First Communion rosettes, rosary beads, chains, books, prayers and are in stock.

## GORTA SHOP, Duke St.

would appreciate unwanted ladies, gents and kids clothing, bedlinen, shoes and bric a brac  
Contact Manager, Emma, at 086 8669433

## Second Sunday of Easter

Divine Mercy Sunday, **27th April 2014**

This Sunday we hear of the encounter between Jesus and Thomas.

This episode paints the journey of many people who have gone from a position of total disbelief to one of absolute faith.

There will be moments in our lives when we will have nothing to fall back on except faith.

*'I believe, help thou my unbelief'*

*Resource: Voicing a thought on Sunday*

## DIVINE MERCY Celebrations

**Sunday, 27th April**

takes place in

**Dominican Church, Athy**

today commencing at 2 pm with Exposition, Rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, confessions and Mass.

## DIVINE MERCY

**Celebrations in**

Moore Abbey Chapel, Monasterevin  
Confession 2 pm. Mass at 3 pm.

*All welcome.*

## NATIONAL VIGIL FOR LIFE

takes place

**Saturday next, 3rd May 2014**

**from 3 - 4 pm at Merrion Sq, Dublin.**

Bus from Athy departs from outside the Parish church grounds at 1.15 pm sharp. Return time 7 pm approx.

Cost €15 approx.

Contact: Elaine 059 86 38391 (day) or

Carmel 087 9132950 (evenings)

by Thursday, 1st May.

**Time for pro life people to unite.**

*See notice boards.*

## KNOCK PILGRIMAGE

**SUNDAY, 18TH MAY**

Bus departs at 8.30 am from outside church car park. Cost €20.

To book your place

contact the Parish Secretary.

## ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

**26th June - 1st July 2014**

Hotel Padoue

price €699 per person sharing

*(single room €150 extra)*

Deposit of €200 can be paid now to

Maureen Ryan, William St.

## NURNEY FUN RUN

11th May 2014 at 11 am

## PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

### Recently Deceased:

*Terence 'Terry' Farrell, Canal Walk,  
Kathleen Stewart, Nicholastown,  
Pat Daly, Prusselstown*

### Saturday 7 pm

#### Months Mind:

Jimmy Harris, Patrick Flynn

#### Anniversaries:

Christy 'Mutt' Myles, Jimmy & Annie Kavanagh, Anthony O'Sullivan, Ellen Kenny, Maisie Kelly, Kathleen & Patrick Donnelly, Michael Heffernan, May Norton, Ann 'Nan' Davis, James Robinson, Dolores McNulty, Patrick Hubbock, John Lynam, Sarah Graydon

**8.30 am:** Pat Dunne Jnr.

### Barrowhouse:

Mary Murphy Browne.

*Also pray for Jimmy & Annie Kavanagh*

### 10.30 am Share Mass

#### Month Mind:

Bridget Bolger,  
William 'Willie' Bolger

#### Recently Deceased:

Pearl Cooke, Seán Maloney,  
Jimmy Harris, Margaret Kinsella,  
Kathleen Stewart, Patrick Daly,  
Terry Farrell

#### Anniversaries:

John Lawler, Jim Murphy,  
Joseph Delahunt, Anthony O'Sullivan, Ellen Kenny, Maisie Kelly, Brendan McDonald,  
Deceased Members of Kehoe Family, Jack Kelly, Deceased Members of Malone Family, Alice Nolan, John Lynam, Mary & John Hayes, Deceased Members of Hayes Family, Nano & Ed Holt, John, Mary, Anne & Joe Comerford, Deceased Members of Comerford & Myles Families, Nan & Michael Coyne, Bridget Kerr, Deceased Members of Doogue Family, Mary & Pat Hayes, John & Margaret Breen, Annette Morgan

### Parish

**Monday 9.15 am:** James Roycroft

**Tuesday 9.15 am:** James Bradbury

**Wednes. 9.15 am:**

Raymond Callaghan, Annie & William Hutchinson

**Thurs. 9.15 am:** Altar List of Dead

**Friday 9.15 am:** Golden Book