

# ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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## PARISH NOTICES

Today is Annual Day for Life.

Theme:

*Cherishing Life, Accepting Death'*

Postcards from the Irish Catholic Bishops Conference are available at the doors of the church.

*'How great a lie to make people think that lives affected by grave illness are not worth living'*

*Pope Francis*

Harvest Due can be handed in at the Masses today or to the Parish Office during the week. Thanks to those who have already contributed.

Current envelope year finishes this month. Distributors will be invited to attend a meeting shortly.

*Last weekend's collections:*

Common Fund, 1st collection: €888

Share 2nd collection: €840

Parish Dev: €748

*Thanks to all who contributed.*

## National Maternity Hospital REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

takes place today at 3 pm in the Church of St. Andrew's, Westland Row, Dublin 2, in memory of babies who died in the hospital through miscarriage, still birth or shortly after birth.

## For enews

See [www.evangelisation.ie](http://www.evangelisation.ie)

[www.dublindiocese.ie](http://www.dublindiocese.ie)

Google: [Frmorty.blog](http://Frmorty.blog)

## NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER FOR CHILDREN

Friday next, 9th October

Parishes and schools are invited to bring children together for Mass, Prayer Service or Mission Rosary.

Visit world mission Sunday at

[www.wmi.ie](http://www.wmi.ie)

## ATHY COLLEGE ENROLMENT

Athy college is now accepting enrolment for September 2016  
Forms available from college office

[www.athycollege.ie](http://www.athycollege.ie)

Closing date 23rd October.

## TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 4th October 2015

This Sunday's Gospel calls us to reflect on the dignity of marriage and on the permanence of marriage commitment.

## INSTALLATION MASS

Fr. Frank McEvoy will be installed as Athy Parish Priest by Bishop Eamonn Walsh on **Saturday next, 10th October, at 7 pm Mass,** in the Parish Church. Refreshments afterwards. All welcome.

## DOMINICAN CELEBRATION on

**Wednes. next at 7.30 pm**  
Archbishop Charles Browne, Papal nuncio, will celebrate Mass in St. Dominic's Church to mark 70 years of religious life of Fr. J. Candon, Fr. G. O'Keeffe, and Fr. J. Heffernan  
*All welcome.*

## ATHY LYONS CLUB CONCERT

on Tuesday next, 8 pm. in the Dominican Church featuring the Garda Band and various schools.  
Admission €5

October *Pioneer* and *Messenger* magazines are now ready for collection from the Parish Office

## Irish Classes for adults

starting Monday, 5th October, at Gaelscoil Átha Í, Tomard  
Beginners 7-8pm  
Improvers 8.15-9.15 pm

## ACCORD Carlow

See [www.accord.ie/](http://www.accord.ie/) Ph. 059 91 38738

"The 8th amendment a pro-life beacon for tomorrow"  
See: [www.prolifecampaign.ie](http://www.prolifecampaign.ie)

## PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

### Recently Deceased:

*Michael O'Keeffe*, Dominic's Park Reception of remains and funeral Mass at 11 am tomorrow, Monday. Burial in New St. Michael's Cemetery.  
*Des Noonan*, Rheban Ave. formerly Leinster St. Funeral Mass at 2 pm tomorrow, Monday. Burial in New St. Michael's Cemetery.

### Saturday 7 pm

#### Anniversaries:

Con Goulding, Mai & Joe O'Neill, Des & Michael O'Neill, Bridget & Ned Timpson, Jim & Mary O'Neill, Gertrude & Michael Ramsbottom, Anne Wall, Ronan Friel, Baby Cian Flynn O'Brien, Joseph & Margaret Delaney, Dec. Members of Delaney Family, Margaret Barry, Mary & Emer Haughton, Peter Kelly

### 8.30 am:

Ellen & Timothy Buckley

### 10 am: Barrowhouse:

Kevin Bowden

### 10.30 am Share Mass

#### Anniversaries:

Andrew Smith, Ronan Friel, Baby Cian Flynn O'Brien, Johnny & Mollie McMahan, Tony Mortimer, Edward Doyle, Johnny Mulhall, Kit Houlihan, Peter Kelly, Mark Molloy, Anne Wall

#### Recently Deceased:

Fred Holligan, Michael Sheehan, James Kealy, Ety Battersby, Margaret Nolan

### Monday 9.15 am:

Special Intention

### Tuesday 9.15 am:

Elizabeth & Michael Mangan

### Wednes. 9.15 am:

James Byrne (34th Anniversary)

### Thurs. 9.15 am:

John & Isobelle Donnelly

### Friday 9.15 am:

Mary Anne Dowling

**Normal week Day Mass** 9.15 am

**Normal Weekend Mass Times:**

Sat 11 am & Vigil Saturday 7 pm

**Sunday Masses:**

8.30 am, 10.30 am & 12 noon

10 am Barrowhouse

**Confessions:**

Saturdays, after 11 am & 7 pm Mass