

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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PARISH NOTICES

Annual Mission Appeal takes place in our parish 14th/15th November by the Little Sister of the Assumption. The Little Sister of the Assumption have been in Ireland since 1891. *Please support.*

November *Altar List of the Dead* sheets and envelopes are available at the doors of the church. These can be placed in church collection bags or handed in to the Parish Office during the week. Those whose names are on the Altar List will be remembered at Morning Mass on the First Friday of each month for the next year.

Annual Mass for all who died since last November takes place on Friday, 27th November, at 7.30 pm. The names of those who will be remembered in the Mass are posted up in the Parish church.

We remind those who pay their contributions annually that they can make their contributions now.

If you have not received your box of envelopes or annual envelope you should contact your area distributor or Parish Office. Some remain behind the high altar in the church.

If you wish to start contributing for the first time you can contact the Parish Office. You can contribute by standing order or arrange for a box of envelopes.

Parish Office will be closed Wednesday next.

Last weekend Collections:
Common Fund, *1st collection:* €770
Share collection: €644
Parish Dev:
€4,204 (comprising of €1,233 weekly envelopes, €2,475 Annual)
October Standing Orders: €729.83

Thanks to all who contributed.

ARTHRITIS IRELAND A.G.M. & INFORMATION EVENING

Tuesday, 10th November, at 7.30 pm in Keadeen Hotel, Newbridge. A dietician will speak on Food Matters.

Recent Arthritis Ireland Church gate collection raised €405 in Athy.

THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8th November 2015

The value of a gift is in the heart and sacrifice behind it.

There is no true following of Christ without self denial.

The Gospel tells us how Jesus weighs us up and judges us.

We are judged on our motives and the hidden intentions behind our actions.

Voice a thought on Sunday, D. Knowles

CHARITY AUCTION

in aid of Cuan Mhuire takes place today at 2.15 pm in Athy G.A.A. Centre
Viewing from 11 am

MAGAZINE SUBSCRIBERS

Those who have ordered the Sacred Heart Messenger & Pioneer magazines are asked to collect them from the Parish Office.
November editions now in.

MERCY ASSOCIATES

(Lay Associates of the Sisters of Mercy)

MEETING

scheduled for the third Monday of the month has been postponed to Monday, 23rd November.

New members welcome.

Meetings take place in Cuan Mhuire at 8 pm.

SENIORS CLUB

meet Monday mornings at 11 am in Athy G.A.A. clubhouse for tea and chat. *All welcome.*

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

Changes in Mass times commencing on 30th November are posted on church notice boards and on Parish website under *About us/latest news*

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Laurence 'Lar' Cunningham, late of Stockport, Manchester and formerly of Paic Bhríde who died in Manchester. Funeral in England.
Sean Dillon, formerly of Barrow Quay.

Anne Moran, St. Patrick's Ave.
Aidan Blanchfield, Cyprian Ave.
Michael Kayes, Nicholastown

Saturday 7 pm

Anniversaries:

Eamon Kelly, Seán McNamara, Brendan Byrne, Patrick Nolan & Deceased Members Nolan Family, Kathleen & Sean O'Neill, Nessa Manley Dooley, Michael & Annie Dargan, Daniel Boland, Peter Nolan, Tom Nolan, Eileen Prendergast, Winifred Kelly
Birthday Remembrance:
Anne 'Nancy' Casey, Michael Perse

8.30 am: Special Intention

10 am: Barrowhouse:

Patrick Daly. *Also pray for* Nessa Manley Dooley

10.30 am Share Mass

Anniversaries:

Ned McCormack, Patrick Daly, Maurice & Kathleen O'Sullivan, Tom Murphy, Patrick & Rosanna Cosgrave, Phil Connell, Rose Ita O'Brien, Fintan Lalor, Tom Stapleton, Joyce McHugh, Leslie Bryan, Birdie & Alf Kane, Winifred Kelly, Kevin Fingleton,

Birthday Remembrance:

Jack Brogan

Recently Deceased:

Jimmy Fennelly, Patricia Kavanagh, Bernie McCreevy, Dickie Flanagan, Anne Moran, Aidan Blanchfield, John Shearer, Johnny Casey, Elizabeth Rowan, Sean O'Halloran, Pascal Larkin, Carmel Kealey, Seán Dillon

12 Noon:

Philomena & William O'Keeffe

Monday 9.15 am:

Denise & Maureen Kerr

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Wayne O'Connell (1st Anniversary)

Wednes. 9.15 am:

Dina Byrne, Josephine Fennelly

Thurs. 9.15 am:

John Smyth (Rec. Deceased)

Friday 9.15 am: Special Intention