

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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PARISH NOTICES

Parish Office will be closed Tuesday next.

Last Weekend's collections:
Common Fund, 1st collection: €813
Share: 2nd collection: €657
Parish Dev Fund: €752
Thanks to all who contributed

PARISH WEBSITE

Photographs taken at Rally for Life in Dublin on 4th July 2015 are now posted on Parish website. See www.saintmichaelsathy.net click: About our Parish/parish photos/ Rally for Life 2015

ACCORD Carlow Pre marriage courses

Currently taking bookings for
11th & 12th September
9th & 10th October
6th & 7th November

2016 courses are printed on church notice boards.
See www.accord.ie / Ph. 059 91 38738

ANCHOR

Leadership Course for young adults (18 years plus)
This course offers skills for life that will benefit the individual and their parish.
For more information check www.evangelisation.ie or email wyd@dublindiocese.ie

RELAY FOR LIFE KILDARE

Fight against cancer takes place 15th/16th August.

Walk, celebrate survivors, inspire sufferers.

Phone Peter 087 1232901 or Susan 085 1376341

For information see [facebook.com/RelayForLifeKildare](https://www.facebook.com/RelayForLifeKildare)

Bus to Our Lady's Island, Wexford

15th August, Feast of the Assumption,
Departing from back of Emily Sq. Athy, at 11 am. Cost €15.
Return time 7.15 pm approx.

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

19th July 2015

Christ took pity on the crowd who were like sheep without a shepherd.

By virtue of our baptismal calling, all of us have Christian responsibilities and a certain amount of shepherding to do.

Growing children, if not given proper direction, will wander aimlessly through life with no purpose.

Unless we are linked to Christ in prayer we run the danger of wandering off.

Today's Gospel calls us to listen to the healing voice of God and refresh ourselves spiritually.

Voice a thought on Sunday, D. Knowles

NEW APPOINTMENT

Fr. Gerard Tanham P.P has been appointed to Howth Parish to take effect from the beginning of September.

We thank him for his work in Athy and wish him well in his new appointment.

Fr. Tanham will remain in Athy until end of August.

He will be replaced by Fr. Frank McEvoy, who is currently Parish Priest of Narraghmore Parish. Fr. McEvoy has already served as curate in Athy.

YOUTH 2000 SUMMER FESTIVAL

Cistercian College, Roscrea,
Co. Tipperary

Thursday 13th - Sun. 16th August

For young people age 16-25 years.
Donation only retreat. Free buses.

Phone 01 6753690

On line booking at www.youth2000.ie

Talks, workshops, games, concert, sharing, drama

SVP

Society of Vincent de Paul, Dublin are seeking volunteers 3/4 hours per week. Volunteers needed for home visitations and Vincent's shops
Contact 01 8198414
siobhan.tyrell@svpeast.ie

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Donal Murphy, Sunnyside.
Reception of remains and funeral Mass on Monday at 2 pm.
Burial in New St. Michael's Cemetery.
Helen Hyde, who died in Manchester.
Mary Jennings nee Dunleavy, formerly of Foxhill, who died in Manchester.
Patty O'Nuallain nee Whelan, formerly of William St. who died in Dublin

Saturday 7 pm

Anniversaries:

Peter Fitzsimons, Dec. Members of Fitzsimons Family, Christina Bowden, Tony Clarke, Bertie Kelly, Elizabeth Kavanagh, Elizabeth & Peggy Hicks, Aoife Phillips

8.30 am: Paddy Robinson

Barrowhouse:

Frank & Paddy Joe Bowden
Pray for Kevin Bowden (Birthday Remembrance). Also pray for Peggy Lawler

10.30 am Share Mass

Anniversaries:

Paddy Robinson, Mary O'Brien, Thomas & Sheila Dunne, Eileen Fogerty, Bill & Cis Tierney, Billy Tierney, John & Christina Creed, Josie Fennin, Deceased Members of Fennin Family, Elizabeth Murphy, Thomas Murphy, Kathleen Cullen, Hugh & Eddie Owens

Recently Deceased:

Seamus Davis, Lizzie Kelly, Margaret Kennedy, Liam White, Helen Hyde, Joann Curran

Monday 9.15 am:

Jim & Elizabeth Fegan

Tuesday 9.15 am:

Bernadette Carroll (7th Anniversary)

Wednes. 9.15 am: Special Intention

Thurs. 9.15 am:

Mary Reeves (1st Anniversary)

Friday 9.15 am:

Paddy O'Nullain nee Whelan

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