

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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PARISH NOTICES

Today is Pentecost Sunday.

First Communion takes place as follows;

15th May: Churchtown, Kilberry & Ballyroe at 12 noon.

22nd May: Scoil Mhichíl Naofa at 12 noon.

29th May: Barrowhouse school in St. Mary's Church at 10 am. Scoil Pádraig Naofa at 12 noon.

The Annual Collection for CROSS-CARE Youth Services—Social Support Agency of the Catholic Archdiocese of Dublin will be at all Masses this weekend.

The Annual Festival of People will take place today, in St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough St. at 6.30 pm. Celebrant Archbishop Diarmuid Martin.

Lay Dominican Athy

Chapter of St Dominic & St Michael meeting today, 15th May, at 1 pm in Old baptistery St Michael's Athy. Fr John Heffernan in attendance. Contact Tom King 086 24108224

ACCORD PRE MARRIAGE COURSE

June 10th/11th last course before the Autumn. For further information phone 059 91 38738

Youth 2000 Festival

Youth 2000 Summer Festival takes place Thurs. 7th - Sun. 10th July for young people aged 16-35. Free buses available from all around Ireland. For more information and to book on line, see www.youth2000.ie or phone 01 6753690

Job vacancy -Youth Ministry

Contact Presentation Brothers
www.PresentationBrothers.org

Mass times in St. Michael's, Athy

9.30 am weekday mornings

Weekends: Saturday: vigil 6 pm immediately followed by **confessions.**

Sunday: 8.30 am, 10.30 am & 12 noon & Barrowhouse 9.30 am.

Holydays: 8.30 am & 12 noon

PENTECOST SUNDAY

15th May 2016

This feast marks the beginning of the infant church as an active missionary Community. The Gospel suggests that we should allow the Holy Spirit to enlighten our minds with hope and form Christ in us.

*Resource: Voicing a thought on Sunday
Desmond Knowles*

KNOCK PILGRIMAGE

Pilgrimage to Knock,
led by Rev. Frank Canon McEvoy,
Bus will leave from outside
St. Michael's Parish Church grounds
on Sunday, 5th June,
at 8.30 am stopping en route in Moate,
Co. Westmeath.
approx return time 9.10 pm.
Cost €22.

Pre booking/payment essential.
Tickets available from Parish Office
059 86 38391 & Maureen Ryan,
William St. 059 86 31987

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

21st - 26th June 2016

Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes,
led by Rev Frank Canon McEvoy,
takes place from 21st -26th June
Staying at Hotel Padoue €719 per
person sharing. Full payment now due.
Contact: Maureen Ryan, William St.

2016 CEMETERY MASSES

Churchtown
Wednesday 1st June 7.30 pm
Old St. Michael's
Thursday 2nd June 7.30 pm
New St. Michael's
Friday 3rd June 7.30 pm
Kilberry
Tuesday 7th June 7.30 pm
Nicholastown
Wednesday 8th June 7.30 pm
Barrowhouse
Sunday 12th June 9.30 am

Junior Faith Fest@Tallaght on 10th June, 6 pm-9.30 pm. 6th class only. Cost €2.
See church notice boards

Celebrate the 8th amendment Saturday, 4th June,

3-4 pm Molesworth St. Dublin.

Stories of hope and survival against the greatest of odds -a positive expression of Ireland's Right to Life amendment which is currently under threat. Group of people travelling together from Athy. For information contact Carmel at 087 9132950 or Elaine at 059 86 38391

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

John Davis, Bray

Saturday 6 pm Anniversaries:

Michael & Patrick Doogue, Patrick & Theresa Delaney, Edward Myles, Marian Sherlock, Tom Darby, Deceased members of the Darby Family, Micheál Myles & Deceased members of the Myles family, Paul Perse, Edward Myles, Thomas McDonald, Dan Foley, Deceased members of the Foley family, M.V.Thomas, Michael Dooley, Paddy Delaney, Molly Hughes, Patrick Whelan, Jane Reid, Deceased members of the Reid & Foley families, William Lawler, James Delaney, Kathleen Shiel, Fr. Peter Hickey O.P., Bridie Harris, James, Mary Anne & Elizabeth Brennan, James, Eddie & Mchael Robinson, Dec. Members of Robinson & Brennan Families

8.30 am: Patrick Lawler (20th Anniv.)

Barrowhouse: Patrick Daly

10.30 am Shared Mass Anniversaries:

Michael & Patrick Doogue, Patrick & Theresa Delaney, Mary McDonald, George Payne, Mary Elizabeth & Anthony Davis, Sheila Bergin, Margaret Brady, Catherine McCarthy, Martha Carolan, Fr. Peter Hickey, Bridie Harris Kathleen Keogh (Recently Deceased)

12 noon: First Holy Communion

Kilberry, Churchtown & Ballyroe Schools

Mon. 9.30 am: Robert Eston (5th Anniversary)

Tues 9.30 am: Joe Joe Dunne, Bridget Malone, Dan Foley, Deceased members of the Foley family

Wednes. 9.30 am: Chris Byrne (Birthday Remembrance)

Thursday 9.30 am: Jimmy Hickey (Birthday Remembrance)

Michael & Mary Keating, Deceased members of the Keating & Carolan families, Special Intention

Friday 9.30 am: Mary Foley, Deceased members of the Foley Family, Martin Keeffe (Recently Deceased)