

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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CHURCH NOTES

The Parish Staff wish you a **Happy and Holy Easter.**

We wish to thank all who made the Ceremonies so meaningful, the Choir, the Eucharistic Ministers, the Collectors, the Altar Servers, the Readers, those who decorated the altar and the church and all those who helped in anyway. Most of all we would like to thank all you who came to pray and celebrate during this Holy Week and all during the year.

Masses today are at the usual Sunday times, 8.30 am, 10.30 am & 12 noon. There will be Mass as usual in Barrowhouse at 9.30 am.

Easter Dues may be handed in at any of the Masses today.

Tomorrow, Monday is a **Bank Holiday.**

Masses during this week are at **11 am**

The Parish Office will open this Tue. & Wednes. 9.30-1.30 pm & 2-4 pm
Friday 10.30-1.30 pm.

Trocaire boxes can be returned to the Parish Office.

DOMINICAL LAITY MEETING

Wednesday, 19th April
at 7.30 pm
in Old Baptistry of Parish Church.

CROSSCARE YOUTH SERVICE wish to thank Athy parishioners for their support to their annual collection on 18th/19th March
€2108
was contributed from Athy parish.

LOUGH DERG

Pilgrimage season opens
Monday 1st May
For more details see notice boards

ATHY PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

1st-6th July. Cost €729
Places still remaining.
deposits now due to Maureen Ryan,
6 William St.
Phone: 059 86 31987

Easter Sunday 16th April 2017

Life depends on how we look at it. It can be seen as an empty tomb, full of bitterness and confusion or full of joy and hope.

The challenge is to appreciate God and to see his plan in the ordinary events surrounding us. Tuning into Jesus and switching on to his power will help us to find the face of God.

The best way to give thanks this Easter is by opening our hearts to the risen Jesus.

'Voicing a thought on Sunday'

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

23rd April
celebrations
takes place
in

Parish Church, Athy
on Sunday next, 23rd April.
commencing at
with Exposition at 2 pm
Confessions, Rosary
Chaplet of Divine Mercy
Mass at 3 pm
celebrated by
Very Rev. Fr. Tim Hannon
All welcome.

FOCOLARE FAMILY EVENT

invites you to a day-meeting dedicated to the theme of family.
Saturday 29th April, at South Campus, Maynooth University.
€10 for individuals and €20 for a Family.
Contact 045-840410 / 01-4922709

SOLEMN NOVENA

to
Our Lady of Perpetual Help

9 Mondays
24th April –19th June
7.30 pm
(Rosary at 7.10 pm)
in
St. Clare's church,
Graiguecullen

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Sr. Ann Guinan, Church Crescent
Helen Hutchinson, London
Laurence Moran, Ballybough Lane
Funeral Mass Monday at 2 pm

Easter Day List

All Easter Masses will be offered for the Living and Deceased for whom we have been asked to pray

Barrowhouse:

Michael & Mai Phelan, Paddy Bolton
Thomas McDonald, Patrick & Clare Daly
Parish:

Christy Byrne, Kathleen Stewart, Thomas Stewart, Kathy McHugh, Joyce McHugh, Jimmy Connell, Josie & Jimmy Wright, Elizabeth & Joseph Donnelly, Patrick Donnelly, Rita & Bobby Flood, Eddie, Seamus & Eugene Dempsey, Dec. memb. Dempsey & Conway families, Michael Doogue, Dec. Doogue & Delaney family, Kathleen & Patrick Donnelly, Kitty O'Brien, Bernadette Dunne, Michael & Elizabeth Mangan, James & Maria Davis, Michael, Kathleen, Lar & Jimmy Curtis, Bernie Kelly, Billy Harrington, Michael Harris, Norman Glynn, Dec. mem O' Connor, Foley Lynch families, Paul Stynes, Michael Costello, Dec. Stynes, Costello & Keogh families, Mary Geraghty, Dec. Dominican Frs. Mick, Marcella & Pauline Loughman, Jack, Mary & Nicola Keogh, Brian & Sheila Kelly, Willie & Joan Kelly, Fintan Lalor, Mona & Paddy Kelly, John Cummins, Christina & Patrick Kavanagh, Patricia, John & Patrick Kavanagh, Philomena Hyland, Kevin Dooley, Anne & Michael McKenna, Kathleen Derring, Dec. mem. of Thorne family, John & Mary Foley, Chris Byrne, Mick Doherty, Pat Daly, Ciss & Billy Tierney, Bridie & Jack Chambers, Ellen Noel Kenny, Kate Solby, John Maloney, Dickie Kelly, Stephen Kelly, Patrick & Maisie Kelly, Dec. mem. of Moloney & Cloney family Martin Dalton, David & Frances Dalton, Jimmy & Paddy Byrne, Christopher & Catherine Byrne, James, Nora, Kay & John Cassidy, Eileen Rowan, Laurence Berry, Theresa & John O'Sullivan, Billy O'Sullivan, Karen Long, Andy & Mary Owens, Andrew Owens, Betty Redmond, Michael & Patricia Mahon, Joseph & Hester May, Mary Lalor, Dec. Bowen Family, Mary McCarthy, Dec. McCarthy fam. Charlie & Loretto Prendergast, Kathleen & Henry Foley, Dec. Foley family
(additional names on Easter Altar List)

Monday 11 am: Danny Flanagan, Martin McDonnell, Martin Brophy, Norman Glynn

Tuesday 11 am: Charlie & Loreto Prendergast, Edward & Anne McManus

Wednes. 11 am: Patrick & Jane Kavanagh, Bridget & John Clowry

Thurs : Chris Byrne, Joseph Delahunt, Patrick & Jane Kavanagh, Mary Kirwan

Friday 11 am: Edward & Margaret Conway, Sr. Margaret Conway, Anthony O'Sullivan, Don Moran