

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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PARISH NOTICES

Annual Accord collection takes place today. This collection replaces the Share collection. ACCORD Dublin throughout the Diocese offers: Marriage preparation courses, Counselling and relationship programmes in schools. ACCORD need your support.

Next Sunday is a Day of prayer for Temperance

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday 19th February

In this Sunday's Gospel we see Christ's message of forgiveness, pardon and generosity. We must not harbour grudges.

When we offer pardon and show forgiveness we rise to the level of Christ.

Resource: Voice a thought on Sunday

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Hughie Owens, Dominic's Park
Breda Mullaney nee Maher, Portarlinton
John Day, Dooley's Tce.

Sat. 6 pm: Month's mind:

Wynne O'Neill

Anniversaries:

Janet Ryan, Sr. Paul Flanagan, Jim, Alice & Michael Fitzpatrick, Johanna Smyth, Mary Hayden, Sean Fanning, Allan Wallis, Margaret Watts, Patrick & Dora O'Donoghue, Mary Germaine, Tom McEvoy, Peter Grant, John & Kathy Miller, Martin Miller, Mary Miller, Lucy Ross, Josie McEvoy, Tony Campbell, Lil Kelly, Laurence Kelly, Eileen Roche Thomas Kucker Carbery, George Roche, Mary Roche, Kathleen Kelly, Marell O'Keeffe

8.30 am:

9.30 am Barrowhouse:

10.30 am: Anniversaries:

Thomas Moran, Nell McCormack, Madge & Patsy O'Neill, Cyril McGovern, Christopher, Jane & Paul Dunne, Isabella Mullery, Michael Doody, Robert & Mira Osborne, Carmel & Jimmy Ryan

12 Noon:

Michael Wall (Month's Mind)

Anniversaries:

Patrick & Mary Roche, Declan Roche, Christine Armour, Delia & Michael Connolly, Joseph & Mary McDermott, Martina Kilbride, P.J. Leonard, Mary Barry, Dec. members of Roche & McDermott families, Aodhán Holohan, Thomas Kucker Carbery

Mon. 9.30 am:

Elizabeth Carroll
Joseph Kenny (Recently Deceased) who died in London

Tues. 9.30 am

Wed. 9.30 am:

Mary Owens

Thurs. 9.30 am:

John Cummins
Geraldine Kelly (Birthday Remembrance)

Fri. 9.30 am:

Frank, Sarah & Jane Carolan
Mary Jo Mulhall Gray

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Eucharistic Adoration began six years ago in the Parish on 28th February. More people are always invited to commit one hour in Adoration on Monday 10 am - 6 pm or Thursday 10 am - 2 pm.
Contact Peggy 086 8492381

LENTEN CHALLENGE

Many people abstain from alcohol and take the short term pledge for the duration of lent.

If you are interested in the Pioneer pledge contact

Elaine at Parish Office or visit www.pioneerassociation.ie

(Small fee for prayer & pin)

Pledges can be taken after morning or evening Mass on Ash Wednesday, 1st March.

AWAKE MY SOUL RETREAT

Join other young adults for prayer & reflection on weekend retreat

Fri. 24th - Sun. 26th Feb in Mount St. Anne's retreat centre. Dublin Diocese initiative. Contact michelle.manley@dublindiocese.ie

PARISH BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

A confidential support group where you can find help and healing for the hurt of losing a loved one. For more information Contact Anne 086 7810456

MERCY ASSOCIATE MEETING

takes place tomorrow, Monday, at 8 pm in Cuan Mhuire.

BINGO

in aid of Kilberry National School, Sunday, 26th February, in Athy G.A.A. Clubhouse at 3 pm

SOLEMN NOVENA

to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
St. Peter & Paul's Church,
Monasterevin 1st March - 5th April
7.30 pm (Rosary at 7 pm)

ANNIVERSARY MASS

Friday, 3rd March, 10 am
St. Brigid's Church, Curragh Camp
For deceased civilian employees of Defence forces. See notice boards.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 3rd March 2017

An international ecumenical Christian lay women initiative

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

THE DUBLIN 40 SOMETHINGS

organise spiritual and social events for people in their 40s in and around Dublin who have a Catholic ethos. next gathering Friday 3rd March at 8.30 pm. For more details dublin40somethings@gmail.com or 087 7608268