

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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Parish Office/Shop Opening hours: Monday: 2.15 pm - 4 pm. Tues & Wednes.: 9.30 am - 1.30 pm & 2 - 4 pm.
Thursday & Friday 9.30 am - 1.30 pm. (Phone contact only 2.15 pm - 4.15 pm). Sat: 10.30 am - 1.15 pm.

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday 1st July 2018

World Meeting of Families

Final Mass in the Phoenix Park on Sunday, 26th August at 3 pm

The World Meeting of Families concludes with the Final Mass in the Phoenix Park on Sunday, 26th August at 3.00 pm. Individuals and families from all over the world will gather together with Pope Francis who will be the main celebrant.

The Parishes of Athy, Narraghmore & Moone have booked six busses with Digan Coaches to bring parishioners to this Mass. These busses have different pick-up points and drop off points as well as different times.

BUS TICKETS are €15 each. It provides transport to and from the Phoenix Park Final Mass. And it includes your **PHOENIX PARK FINAL MASS TICKET** which is required to gain entry into the Phoenix Park. These tickets are FREE. **You do not need to apply separately for a ticket to the Final Mass.** Each person travelling on the bus will be given a ticket on the bus.

The event organisers advise us that there will be at least a four to seven kilometre walk from the coach park. Under 18s must be accompanied by an adult.

A dedicated ticket application process is in place for any person who requires special facilities. To acquire a **Disability Access ticket** you yourself must log onto the *World Meeting of Families* website, www.worldmeeting2018.ie. A ticket will be issued to you and one carer.

Tickets are on sale in the Church front porch immediately after Mass today. They will also be on sale in the Parish Office during the week.

OFFICIAL FAMILY PRAYER FOR WORLD MEETING OF FAMILY 2018 (21-26th August)

God, our Father, We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son,
One family, in the Spirit of your love, Bless us with the joy of love.

Make us patient and kind, gentle and generous,
welcoming to those in need. Help us to live your forgiveness
and peace. Protect all families with your loving care,

Especially those for whom we now pray:

(Pause remembering family members and others by name)
Increase our faith, Strengthen our hope, Keep us safe in your love,

Make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share.

This we ask, through Christ our Lord, **Amen.**

Mary, mother and guide, pray for us.

Saint Joseph, father and protector, pray for us.

Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us.

Saints Louis and Zélie Martin, pray for us.

PARISH NOTICES

Please support Pope Francis Pontifical Charities, Peter Pence collection will be taken up today, Sunday 1st July. It replaces the Share Collection

Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes returns
Thur. 5th July next, at 2 pm
We keep the Pilgrims in our prayers

Collections last weekend:

Parish Dev. - Env. € 672

1st Collection - *Common* - €950.

2nd Collection - *Share* - €723

ST. MICHAEL'S CEMETERY MASS COLLECTION

raised €1,030.05

Many thanks to all who donated

12th ALL IRELAND RALLY FOR LIFE

Belfast, Sat., 7th July, at 2 pm

Speaker Yvonne Morgan, a
mother of twins.

bus travel contact 018730463

www.thelifeinstitute.net

**MASS TIMES: Weekday Mass time 9.30 am. Weekends: Vigil, Sat 6 pm
Sun Masses: 10.30 am & 12 noon, 9.30 am Barrowhouse**

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased: Sheila Doyle
Mary, Nolan, Ballitore, Patricia Coughlan,
died in Cork, Patricia Kemmy Sexton died
in London. Burial in U.K.

Saturday 6 pm Month's mind:

Fr. Pádraig O'Saoraí, Ken Wakeman

Anniversaries:

Bill Horgan, Siobhán Kingston, Patrick &
Dora O'Donoghue, Kathleen Stevens,
Lizzie Kelly, John & Ellen Kirwan, John
Flanagan, Gretta Fennelly, Marian Byrne,
Dec. mem of Byrne & Mulhall families,
Carmel Murray, Percy Pink, Margaret &
Joseph Broderick, Dec. mem. of Broderick
family, Denis Whelan, Michael, Martin &
Bridget Quinn, Sheila Gough, Jean &
Charlie O'Donnell, Jackie Murphy (1st ann)
Brian, William, Sheila & Joan Kelly

9.30 am: Barrowhouse:

John & Margaret Grufferty

Also pray for Leo Mulhare (1st Anniv)

10.30 am: Anniversaries:

Dec. mem of Lenihan family, Kevin Nolan,
Tom & Bridie Harris, Esty Mahon, Bernie
Curtis Kelly, Tommy Kirwan, Paddy
Gleeson, Elizabeth Butler, Betty Redmond

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Stevens, Carmel Haughton, Susan Roycroft
Dec. mem of Candy Family

Mon. 9.30 am: Patrick 'Whack' Mulhall

Tues. 9.30 am

Jackie Murphy, Noel Mulquhen, Dec. mem
of Mulqueen Family, Tom Harris, James
Dayton, Mary & Patrick Morrin, Nan &
Matt Howard (Birthday)

Intention

Wed. 9.30 am:

Susan Page (Birthday rem),
Mary Dolly Phillips (1st Anniv),
Ann & William Doyle, Tom Smith, George
& Winifred Aldridge

AIFREANN NA CLAINNE

A new Mass which has been written by
Tom Conroy, Portarlinton

A group of four choirs have joined together
to sing this Mass. They will sing today
at 12 noon in this parish

WE WALK GOD'S WAY

Join young adults, 20's & 30's, for
reflective hike today Sunday, at 12 noon
around Glendalough. More details on hikes
at st.pauls@dublindiocese.ie
www.facebook.com/wewalkgodsway