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SUNDAY 4th March 2018

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.

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Elizabeth Myles, Cardenton

Christy Tyrrell Brogan, Castlepark

Pat Walsh, The Moate, Ardscull.

Reception of remains Monday, at 7.30 pm
in Crookstown. Funeral Mass Tue. at 11 am
Burial in Crookstown Cemetery.

Saturday 6 pm Month's mind:

Mary Whelan, Renee Jones, Rosaleen

Ward, Sr. Cecilia Hall, Nora P Walsh

Anniversaries:

Pat Dunne (1st Anniversary), Gerry

Conroy, Dickie Kelly, Dom Moloney,

Padraig Healy, Billy Farrelly, Tim Kelly,

(5th Anniversary), Paddy & Mary Flynn,

John & Mary Fitzpatrick, Michael & Anne

Flynn, Thomas Moran, Jane Davis, Nano

Donnelly, James Eaton, Marie Hayden

Clancy, John Foley, Dec. mem of Foley

family, Sheila Moore, Michael & Bridget

Sullivan, Michael Sullivan Jnr., Dec. mem

of Sullivan family, Margaret 'Peg'

Robinson

9.30 am: Barrowhouse:

Jim Malone (6th Anniversary) *also pray for*
Billy Ryan

10.30 am:

Anniversaries

Padraig Healy, Sheila Stynes, Ellen Byrne,

Richard, Mary & Marcella Hendrick,

Michael, Mary & Willie Corr, Paddy Reid,

Dec. members of Reid & Foley families,

Nancy, Julia, & Michael Ryan, Margaret

Wheatly, Michael & Bridget Sullivan,

Michael Sullivan Jnr., Dec. members of

Sullivan family, Margaret 'Peg' Robinson

Martina Lynch

12 Noon: Month's mind: Mary Whelan

Anniversaries:

Paddy Mullery, James Lawler, Sheila

Stynes, Michael Doyle (2nd Anniversary)

Austin Breen, Elizabeth Murphy, May

Dooley, Elanor Dooley (birthday remb.)

Michael & Bridget Sullivan, Michael

Sullivan, Dec. members of Sullivan family

Mon. 9.30 am: Theresa Roycroft,
Germiaha, Michael & William Byrne, Rose
& Michael Robinson, Billy Farrelly, Mattie
Carroll

Tues. 9.30 am Mary McDermott, Annie
McDonald

Wed. 9.30 am: Ellen Byrne, Gertie Gray,
James Eaton

Thurs. 9.30 am:

Fri. 9.30 am:

PARISH NOTICES

The 9.30 am Mass in Barrowhouse
and the 10.30 am Mass in the Parish
today are *Do This In Memory*
preparation Masses for First Holy
Communion.

Congratulations to the children who
made their First Reconciliation during
the week. The First reconciliation
of Scoil Padraig & Scoil Mhichil
Naofa were postponed due to bad
weather. They will take place at a
later date.

Confirmation will take place in St.
Mary's Church, Barrowhouse on
Saturday next, 10th March, at 11 am.

Collections last weekend:
Parish Dev. - Env. € 757 (weekly)
1st Collection - *Common* - €1,235
2nd collection - *WMOF* - €2,120
Thanks to all who contribute.

CHARITY CONCERT

presented by Athy Lions Club
St. Michael's Church 16th March at
8 pm. Tickets €10 available from the
Gem & Winkles. Funds in aid of
Snozelen Room
St. Vincent's Hospital.
Hospital

ATHY & DISTRICT CARE OF THE ELDERLY MEETING

has been postponed to the 20th March
from 13th March

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORIE

14th - 20th June.
Group leader John Early,
Contact: 086 2437882

LENTEN REFLECTION

Tuesday nights during Lent at 8 pm

Moone: 6th March,
Castledermot: 13th March
Crookstown: 20th March

SAVE THE 8th RALLY FOR LIFE

Saturday next, 10th March,
in Dublin City Centre starting at
Parnell Sq. at 2 pm.

A

Pro life Mass

will be celebrated at 12.30 pm in
St Saviour Church, Dominic St.

Celebrant: Fr. Maurice Colgan O.P.

Group travelling from Athy

Bus contacts

Elaine 085 1801391

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SCOIL NAOMH TREASA, BALLYROE

Applications forms for enrolment
2018/19 available. Phone 8632522

CHURCHTOWN N.S.

now enrolling Junior Infants 2018.

Please call to school

office for application forms .

Birth and Baptismal certificates

will be required .

ACCORD PRE-MARRIAGE COURSES

13th/14th April, 11th & 12th May
8th & 9th June

Couples getting married in
Summer or Autumn should book
courses now

There are no courses in Jul/Aug
On line booking www.accord.ie

ST. MICHAEL'S MASS TIMES

Weekday Mass time 9.30 am

Weekend Mass Times: Vigil Sat 6pm

Sun Masses: 10.30 am & 12 noon,
9.30 am Barrowhouse