ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday 14th October 2018

CHURCH NOTICES

Harvest dues can be placed in the baskets at Mass or handed in to the Parish Office during the week.

Eucharistic Minister Rosters will be available from behind the high altar from Tuesday next.

November Altar List of the Dead envelopes & sheets are available at the doors of the church. The list can be handed in before All Souls Day, 2nd November. Those named will be remembered in Masses around All Souls day. Mass on the First Friday of the month will be offered for those named until next October 2019.

We are near the end of our Parish Development year and we remind those who pay their subscriptions annually that they can pay their subscriptions now.

Area distributors will have new boxes for distribution from the weekend of 27th/28th October.

Collections last weekend Parish Dev. - Env. €800 weekly 1st Collection – Common– €1,155 2nd Collection—Share- €1,053

Parents/Guardian meeting for the **Sacrament of Confirmation 2019**

A meeting for all parents/guardians whose children will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation in St. Michael's Parish 2019 will be held on Tuesday the 16th of October in Scoil Mhichíl Naofa at 7:30pm.

It is important that you attend this meeting in preparation of the Sacrament of Confirmation.

However, if your son/daughter has not been baptised or has not received the Sacrament of First Reconciliation or First Holy Communion and you wish them to do so,

please contact Natasha Geoghegan by phone on

KNOCK Dominican Pilgrimage today,

14th October 2018

Digan's Bus departs today, at 8.30 am from outside Parish Church car park

> Next Sunday 21st October is Mission Sunday

A special collection will be taken up at weekend Masses.

DOMINICAN LAITY **MEETING**

Wednes. 17th October, at 7.30 pm in the Old Baptistery Of St. Michael's Church.

ATHY CAMOGIE CLUB Clothes collection

26th October

Drop clothes to Athy GAA Clubhouse between 3-4pm

PRE-HALLOWEEN FANCY DRESS

Saturday, 20th October

Raising funds for Cuisle Cancer Support Group in Portlaoise. Hosted by East Laois Macra at Flemings, Ballylinan Tickets €5

NOVEMBER PIONEER PLEDGE

If you wish to take the short term pledge to abstain from alcohol the month of the Holy Souls Please contact 085 1801 391

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Freya Huckstepp, Kent, Funeral Mass tomorrow, Monday, at 11 am. Burial in new St. Michael's Cemetery.

Saturday 6 pm Month's mind:

Anniversaries:

Margaret Murphy, Jim 'Pop' Kelly, Mary Dempsey Leech, Dec members of Leech & Dempsey Eccell, Dec Incliners of Eccell of Dempsey family, Bridget Walsh (1st Anniv.), Breda Dunne (9th Anniv.), Niall Dunne, Tommy English (5th Anniv.), Eugene Mahon, Paddy Kane, Michael Keogh (birthday remembrance), Andrew 'Na' Owens, Ger Davis, Paul Stynes (4th Anniv.), Maureen Dalton, Mary Murphy, Michael May, Joan Howe, Molly Doogue, Lil & Martin Kelly

9 am: Barrowhouse:

William & Mary Ann Whelan, Kevin Bowden, Mary Anne Dowling, Sean Flynn

10.30 am Shared Mass

Richard Walsh, Tommy English (5th Anniv.) Mary Ann Rowan, Dec. members of Rowan family, Ger Davis, Paul Stynes, Patrick Stynes, Margaret McDonald, Jack Bradshaw, Tim Byrne, Michael May, Michael & Margaret Byrne, Geraldine Solon nee Daly

12 Noon:

Anniversaries:

Guss Prendergast, Tommy English (5th Anniv.), Ger Davis, Michael May, Elizabeth & Johnny Dunne

Mon. 9.30 am:

Greg Kavanagh, Kathleen Bradley, Jim Shannon, Kathleen Coburn, Agnes Donovan

Tues. 9.30 am: Jim'Pop' Kelly, Breda & Niall Dunne, Betty & Paddy Brennan, Eugene Mahon, Paddy Kane, Geraldine Solon nee Daly, Rita Doyle,

Wednes. 9.30 am:

Kathleen Bradley, Mary Ann Rowan, Dec. members of Rowan family

Thurs. 9.30 am:

MASS TIMES:

Weekday Mass time: 9.30 am.

Weekends: Vigil, Sat 6 pm. Sun Masses: 10.30 am & 12 noon, 9 am Barrowhouse