

## ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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### TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday 16th September 2018

#### CHURCH NOTICES

Area Distributors are reminded that the Harvest Dues bundles for their areas are now ready for collection from behind the high Altar.

CROSSCARE –Social Support Agency of the Catholic Archdiocese of Dublin-Annual Collection for Community & Homeless Services will be taken up at all the Masses this weekend. It will replace the normal Share collection.

**Collections** last weekend  
*Parish Dev.* - Env. €863 weekly  
1st Collection – *Common*– €1,410  
2nd Collection– *Share* - €1,176  
Thanks to all who contribute.

**MERCY ASSOCIATE MEETING**  
takes place tomorrow,  
Monday, 17th Sept. at 8 pm  
in Cuan Mhuire  
New Associates welcome.  
Phone Elaine 085 1801 391 or  
Phil 086 1509619

Mercy Associates are lay associates of the Mercy Sisters. Meetings focus on the life and charism of Catherine McCauley, Foundress of the Mercy Order.

**LAY DOMINICAN MEETING**  
Athy Chapter meeting Wednes.  
19th Sept, at 7.30 pm in  
St. Michael's Church Old Baptistery.  
All welcome.

**GOD IS IN THE HOUSE**  
Clonliffe College will participate in Culture night on Friday 21st Sept.  
6 pm to 9 pm  
Open exhibition on the 1979 Papal visit of St. John Paul and of Pope Francis visit to Ireland with photographs, letters and Memorabilia. Songs of Praise in the College Church with the Dublin Diocesan Music Group joined by young singers from Laudate and Emmanuel Liturgical Music Primary and second level school programmes, including brief interviews with inspirational people.

#### KNOCK Dominican Pilgrimage 14th October 2018

Bus to Knock departs from outside Parish Church carpark, Athy, at 8.30 am. (one stop on route)  
Advanced booking required.  
Cost €22  
Tickets available from the Parish Office, Athy, from Friday next.

#### PATHWAYS Exploring faith and ministry Programme

suitable for adults who wish to explore faith, ministry, nature of belief.  
This is a 2 year evening course taking place on Thursday evenings.  
Booking is now open.

[pathways@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:pathways@dublindiocese.ie)  
[www.evangelisation.ie](http://www.evangelisation.ie)

#### SHANGANAMORE N.S. RE-UNION on

Sunday, 23rd September 2018  
at 1 pm in Barrowhouse Hall  
Bishop Eamonn Walsh will celebrate Mass at 2 pm in adjoining Church.

#### PIONEER ASSOCIATION

The association has recently moved address and contact details have changed contact  
New email: [info@pioneers.ie](mailto:info@pioneers.ie)  
New Ph no. 018054226  
[www.pioneerassociation.ie](http://www.pioneerassociation.ie)

#### THE JOY OF LOVE

A Marriage Enrichment Weekend offers married couples of all age ranges private time to rekindle the joy of their love. The next weekend will be from 5th to 7th October 2018 at the Dromantine Conference Newry  
visit [www.marriagecounter.ie](http://www.marriagecounter.ie)  
01 8453517

### PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

#### Recently Deceased:

*Kevin Fingleton*, formerly Castlemitchell, died in Manchester. *Debbie Harris*, late of U.K. *Sr. Assumpta Bolger RSM*, late of Dun Laoghaire and formerly Convent Athy. *Judy Lawler*, Cowparks, Barrowhouse. *T.J. Shenkins*, Newbridge  
*Bridie Harty nee Heffernan* formerly of Fontstown.

#### Saturday 6 pm

**Prayer Service** for Kevin Fingleton, Manchester & formerly Castlemitchell followed by Burial of Ashes in New St. Michael's Cemetery.

**Month's mind:** Pat Maher

#### Anniversaries:

Dora & Patrick O'Donoghue, Johnny Morrissey, Kathleen Stevens, Mary & Daniel O'Connor, Annie Foley, Dec. members of Foley family, Mary Stynes nee Fox, Thomas & Maria Bracken, John Bracken, Annie & William Doogue, Sheila & Brian Kelly, Lizzie & James Hutchinson, Sheila Moore, Arty O'Connor, Dec. members of Kelly family, Lil & Martin Kelly, Agnes & Thomas McCarthy, Dec. members of McCarthy family, Anthony Fingleton, Mary Behan

**9 am: Barrowhouse:** John Malone

#### 10.30 am Shared Mass

David Loughman (Months Mind)  
Mary & Daniel O'Connor, Mary Stynes, Dec. members of Stynes & Fox families, Sheila & Brian Kelly, John, Bridget & Ned Moore, Kathleen & Tony Stewart, Nazareth Johnson, Sheila Chandlers, Jack, Elizabeth & Jodie Bannon, Michael, Mary & Nora Dooley, Helena Hutchinson, Dec. members of Hutchinson family, Mary Elizabeth Dargan, Annie Fingleton, Mary & Michael Doody, Paddy Barry

**12 Noon:** Mary & Daniel O'Connor

**Mon. 9.30 am:** Dec. mem of Murphy & Aldridge families, Annie Foley, Edel Foley, Dec. members of Foley family, Kathleen & Tony Stewart, Joseph & Hester May

**Tues. 9.30 am:** David Bolger, Albert Rotherham, Betty Byrne

**Wednes. 9.30 am:** Mary Stynes, Lizzie Johnson & Dec. members of Johnson family

**MASS TIMES: Weekday Mass time:** 9.30 am. **Weekends:** Vigil, Sat 6 pm  
**Sun Masses:** 10.30 am & 12 noon, 9 am Barrowhouse

**Thurs. 9.30 am:** Louie Kelly Snr. Ellen  
Kelly

**Friday 9.30 am:** Michael & Mary Doyle  
Michael & Patricia Mahon, Matt Howard & Nan Maher, John Murphy