

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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PARISH NOTICES

Meeting of envelope distributors takes place Tuesday next, 11th October, in the Parish Office at 7.30 pm to discuss new collection year commencing in November.

Those who contribute annually are reminded that they can make their payment now.

Altar List of the Dead sheets and envelopes are available at the doors of the church.

Mass on All Souls Day, 2nd November, and First Friday Masses during the year are offered for those whose names are on the Altar List of the Dead.

Meeting of parents for 2017 Confirmation takes place Wed. 19th October at 7.30 pm in St. Michael's Parish Church.

JOIN THE PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY CRUSADE

As we all know Ireland is in great need of public prayer, repentance and conversion.

We must ask God to save Ireland through the Rosary of his Most Holy Mother.

Please join in praying for our nation on Saturday, 15th October, Emily Sq at 4 pm (See notice board)

HORSE BYELAWS

Draft Control of Horse Byelaws

Proposed new council byelaws will restrict the keeping of horses within the town area and environs.

Have your say

Kildare County Council-
Environment section

045 980588

Closing date for written
submissions 4 pm
20th October 2016

TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 9th October 2016

This week's Gospel deals with ingratitude.

We can feel pain from the coldness of those for whom we have done our best.

We are often unaware of our own ungratefulness.

We have to remember to thank God.

This is an essential part of our own worship and prayer life. Our love for God is shown in our ability to recognise the countless blessings which come our way daily.

Resource:Voicing a Thought on Sunday

DOMINICAN KNOCK PILGRIMAGE

Closing of the Pilgrimage season

Bus departs at 8.15 am
from outside Parish Church Car Park
Cost €20
Approx return time 9.20 pm.

St. Martin Novena

St. Martin Novena takes place in St Michael's Parish from Thur. 3rd - Sat., 5th November. Mass on 5th November at 6 pm will include Anointing of the Sick.

LIVING WITH LOSS

An information meeting for the public about bereavement takes place Thur. 3rd Nov. from 5.30 pm - 8 pm Alexander Hotel, 41-47 Fenian St. (off Merion Sq.) Dublin 2 This is a free public event. Guess speaker John McAreavey (Michaela Foundation)

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

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Tommy Keyes, Raheny, formerly of William St. Funeral Mass on Monday, at 11 am. Burial in New St. Michael's Cemetery.

Jim Bolger, Mc Donnell's Drive, *Claus Schmidt*, Tonlauge Lawn,

Saturday 6 pm

Anniversaries:

Ronan Friel, Noel, John & Patrick Kirwin, Elizabeth Mangan, James Davis, Kay Moriarty, Tim O'Sullivan, Anne Wall, Anna Bolger, Michael, Nancy & Julie Ryan, Jack & Annie Doyle, Yvonne Conway, Kevin Conway, Tommy & Katie Kemmy, Andrew 'Na' Owens, Tom Norton, Lil Kelly, Frank Fitzpatrick, Joe & Mary O'Neill, Des, Michael, Brigid & Edward Timpson, Michael & Gertrude Ramsbottom, Carmel & Declan Ayres, Deceased members of the Ayres family, Deceased members of the Leonard family

8.30 am: Joe McDermott

9.30 am Barrowhouse:

Kevin Bowden (2nd Anniversary)
Also Pray for Mark Molloy, Mary Anne Dowling

10.30 am Shared Mass:

Month's mind: James Prendergast

Anniversaries:

Richard Walsh, Mary Anne Dowling, Patrick & Elizabeth Brennan, Eddie Hughes, Edward Doyle, Helena Hutchinson, Mary Elizabeth Dargan, Johnny Mulhall, Pat & Paul Stynes, Joe Gannon, Kay Moriarty, Mary & Emer Haughton

12 Noon: Tim O'Sullivan, Geraldine Salon nee Daly

Mon. 9.30 am:

Special Intention,
Eddie Hughes,
Rose, Charles & Lar O'Toole

Tues. 9.30 am:

Thanksgiving,
Kay Moriarty,
Kevin Bowden

Wednes. 9.30 am:

Thomas Stewart

Thurs 9.30 am:

Special Intention,
Isobella Donnelly, M.V. Thomas, Anna Varghese Veliyath, Varghese Veliyath, Mary Murphy, Geraldine Salon nee Daly

Friday 9.30 am:

Special Intention,
Thanksgiving,