

## ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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**Opening Hours:** Monday 2.15 -4 pm, Tue-Wednes. 9.30 am-1.30 pm & 2-4 pm  
Thursday & Friday 9.30 -1.30pm. Saturday 10.30 am-1 pm

### FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY 5th JULY 2020

#### Church notices

#### Churches re-opening for private prayer

St. Michael's Parish church, Athy St. Mary's, Barrowhouse  
St Ita's, Kilmadee. St. Laurence, Crookstown

Church of Holy Trinity, Moone

are now open. Following HSE guidelines, a number of restrictions will be in place-enter by one door exit by another door, with a one way system in operation. A section of the church will be opened allowing private prayer and access to shrines to light a candle.

Hand sanitisers are installed at all the doors-please use them.

Please respect social distancing.

#### Public Mass with congregations returned on Monday, 29th June.

At present only 97 people maximum will be allowed in.

This will be on a first come first served basis. Everyone else is invited to attend Mass in their cars or in the car park tuning in the Parish radio or watching live streaming on mobile phones. Holy Communion will be brought outside.

Saturday Mass will be at the usual time of 6 pm.

Sunday Masses will 10.30 am and 12.30 pm. The later time of 12.30 pm is to allow sufficient time for cleaning and sanitising of the church.

Mass in Barrowhouse will be a 9 am.

**Mass is celebrated every weekday at 9.30 am.** Rosary will be prayed at 9 am in St. Michael's Church, Athy. Parish Church will be open until 5 pm every weekday.

#### Baptisms

The Parish is now taking bookings for baptisms.

Baptisms take place in Athy on 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month at 2.30 pm starting in August. Because of the number of Baptisms that were postponed the parish will take bookings for extra Sundays if necessary. Because of Covid-19 restrictions, There will be only 4 babies baptized per ceremony. Each family allowed to bring 20 people. There will be no Baptism preparation meetings. A member of the Parish team will be in contact prior to the Baptisms. For Baptisms in Barrowhouse please contact the Parish Office.

#### The Parish Office/shop is now open.

Parish Office opening hours are posted on the office door & top of this page.

#### Contributions

Parish Office has envelopes from the diocese for **Share and Common Fund collections** for those who wish to make up for weekends missed. If paying by cheque, cheques payable to Share A/c & Common Fund A/c respectively.

Last weekend's **Athy Parish Dev:** €1,100

If you would like to make up for the past 17 weekends for which the Church could not take up collections we would remind you to multiply your usual weekly contribution by seventeen and place it to the current dated envelope in your box. If possible please use cheque payments to *Athy Parochial a/c* or use notes instead of coins and drop it to the Parish Office or bring it with you on return to Mass.

*Your contributions are very much appreciated.*

### PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

#### Recently Deceased:

*Jeremiah Robinson, St. Dominic's Park.*

*Bridget Flynn, Manchester, funeral arrangements later*

*Mary Cannon, Leinster Court funeral in Mayo.*

#### Saturday 6 pm:

#### Anniversaries:

Ned & Mer Farrell, Tom Smith, William, Ann & Margaret Doyle, Dolly & Jack Phillips, Jackie Murphy (3rd Anniv.), Danny Kane (4th Anniv.), Mary Delaney, Dec members of O'Brien Family, Jean & Charlie O'Donnell, Jane & Patrick McLoughlin

#### Birthday remembrance:

John Harris, Susan Page

**9 am Barrowhouse:** John Howe, Gerry Howe

#### 10.30 am Shared Mass:

**Anniversaries:** Dolly & Jack Phillips, Pat Fennin, Thomas Kosyl, Tom Harris, Susan Page (Birthday Rem) Brid Heffernan, Stephen Doyle, Kachapilly family, Jack & Margaret Murphy, Brendan Murphy, Mary & Jim O'Mara, John Kilfeather, Nonie Heartherly, Special Intention

**12 Noon:** Patricia Doyle (**Months Mind**), Special Intention

#### Mon: 9.30 am:

William, Ann, Margaret & Tony Doyle, George & Winifred Aldridge, Tom Smith, Pat Fennin, Special Intention, Donor's Intention

#### Tues 9.30 am:

Fr. Martin, Bolton Abbey, Annie Earls, Michael Donovan

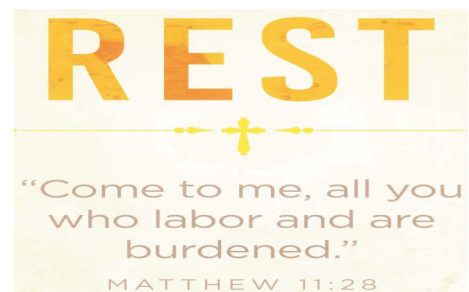
**Wed: 9.30 am:** Mary Lalor, Betty Connell, James Dayton, Special Intention

#### Thur: 9.30 am:

Mary O'Sullivan, Molly Condron, Carmel Haughton

**Fri: 9.30 am:** Anna O'Keeffe, Edward Delahunt, Mary Delahunt, Thomas James, Ned Farrell, Andy McConville, Special Intention

Mass available on live streaming on Parish website; [www.parishofathy.ie](http://www.parishofathy.ie)  
Also available on radio 107.9 fm



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### Readings, Sunday, 5th July

**FIRST READING:** Zehariah 9:9-10  
**R. PSALM:** Ps 144:1-2, 8-11, 13-14  
**SECOND READING:** Romans 8:9.11-13  
**GOSPEL:** Matthew 11: 25-30

### ALONE COVID 19 HELPLINE

supports for older people who have concerns relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus) in Ireland  
Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary.  
The support line will open Monday to Friday, 8am-8pm, by calling 0818222024,