

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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CHURCH NOTICES

Lent is a time of prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Weekday morning Mass in the Parish Church is 9.30 am. Trocaire boxes are available at the doors of the Church.

Congratulations to the children of the Parish who received the Sacrament of Reconciliation over the last two weeks

Collections last weekend
P. Dev.: €1,026
1st Collection-*Common*-€1,445

MERCY ASSOCIATE MEETING
tomorrow Monday,

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT COURSE
12th-14th April in Cork

DUBLIN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK-
Sat., 27th April, 2019

ATHY PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK
Bus will travel from the Parish in June

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT Sunday 24th March 2019

In this Sunday's Gospel we are called to repent. This is not just a call to turn away from evil but a plea to produce the fruits

LENTEN JOURNEY

You are invited to Evenings of Quiet Prayer & reflection for Lent on Wednesday evenings at 7.30 pm;
Kimead-27th March-*Healing*
Athy-3rd April-*Peace*
Crookstown-10th April-*Love*

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH LOURDES PILGRIMAGE 2019

26th June -1st July
Staying in Hotel Padeue
Price €759
Weekly savings option available
Contact Maureen Ryan,
William St.
See notice board.
Spiritual Director;

DATA PROTECTION CONSENT FORMS

All Parish volunteers have received a data protection consent form. Most of these forms have now been returned. If you have not returned your form, please return it as soon as possible.
If you are a volunteer and have not received a consent form please contact the Parish Office. Volunteers are also asked to return Vetting forms as soon as possible.

INFORMATION NIGHT FOR ALL PARISH VOLUNTEERS ON SAFEGUARDING OF CHILDREN & VULNERABLE ADULTS

As part of our ongoing Safeguarding procedures the Parish Grouping of Athy, Naraghmore & Moone are offering a choice of three sessions for Parish Volunteers to attend an information night on safeguarding children and vulnerable adults.

It is a requirement that all parish volunteers attend one information session every three years.
The options are

Thur. 4th April 7.30- 9pm in Scoil Mhichil Naofa, Athy *or*
Mon. 8th April 7.30- 9pm in Scoil Naomh Lorcáin, Crookstown *or*
Thur, 9th April at 7.30pm -9pm in Clanard Court Hotel.

For Parish volunteers who work directly with children (including sacristans, Altar server leaders, etc.); there is a full day training in the Clanard Court on Sat., 13th April from 9.30am-3.30pm. This is in place of the information evening, in other words you are not required to attend the information evening.

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Mary Carbery, Farmhill, Athy

Saturday 6 pm

Month's mind:

Angela Kelly, Artur Merta, Katarzyna Kowlaska
Anniversaries:

Eileen Cusack, William, Brigid & Ellen Kelly, Michael Harris, Thomas & Margaret Flynn, Desmond & John Flynn, Bill & Mary Phillips, Deceased members of Flynn, Johnson & Phillips families, Maisie English (1st Anniv.), Gerry & Rita McGrath, Deceased members of Coyle family, Ciss Conroy, Deceased members of Conroy family, Paddy Kelly, Martin & Margaret Wall, Michael & Mai Cunningham, John Breen, Margaret Breen, Peggy Hicks, Nancy Dooley (birthday rem.), May & Joe Kane, Sean & Jason Dooley, John Hoare, Maggie & Bill Hoare, May, Noel & John Murphy, Ted Ward, Kathleen Mackey, Martin Holohan, Pat Fitzsimons, Marjorie Austin, Dec. members of Kane & Hoare families, Mary Wall, Alice Curtis, Maureen Dalton (birthday rem.), Sr. Vincent Bolger, John Joe Murphy

9 am: Barrowhouse:

Month's mind: John Murphy

10.30 am Shared Mass

Eileen Cusack, Michael Harris, Michael Mullery, Eileen Brock, Eddie Owens, Tony Poole, Peadar Dooley, William & Elizabeth Howard, Phyllis Howard, James & Mary Myron, Margaret Myles Jack Dillon

12 Noon:

Anniversaries:

Michael Harris, Edward Murphy, Denis Timpson (1st Anniv.), Pat Pender, Peg Fingleton

Mon. 9.30 am:

Jack Gregory, Dec. members of Coyle family, Mary Donovan, Florrie Crowe, Patricia & Michael Mahon, Kevyn Fitzgerald, Special Intention

Tues. 9.30 am:

Eddie Dempsey (8th Anniv.), Special Intention
Maureen Dalton (birthday rem.)

Wednes. 9.30 am:

Joseph Maher,
Special Intention, Donor's Intention

MASS TIMES:

Weekday Mass 9.30 am

Weekends: Vigil Sat. 6 pm

Sunday: 10.30 am & 12 noon,
9am Barrowhouse