

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT Sunday 28th February 2021

1st READING: Genesis 22.1-2.9-13. 15-18. **PSALM** (Ps. 115)
2nd READING: Romans 8.31-34 **GOSPEL:** Mark 9:2-10

CHURCH NOTICES

Lenten Mass at 9.30 am weekday with an additional **7 pm** evening Mass rotating around the churches in Parishes of Athy, Narraghmore and Moone.

Athy church 7pm Mass Mondays & Fridays

Crookstown church 7pm Tuesdays.

Kilmead church 7pm Wednesdays.

Moone Church 7pm Thursdays.

Lenten Prayer Service

The parish of Athy, Narraghmore & Moone will be holding Lenten prayer service for the following Tuesday nights during Lent.

Tuesday, 2nd March at 7.30 pm, Athy

Tuesday, 9th March, at 7.30 pm, Crookstown

Tuesday, 16th March at 7.30pm, Moone

Our Lenten prayer nights will be reflecting on the Sunday Gospel of Lent. Through our live webcams and parish radio we will be able to journey with one another this lent. It will be streamed through the following links; Athy can be found on homepages of-

www.parishofathy.ie

Narraghmore & Moone Parish www.narraghmoreandmoone.ie

Trócaire Boxes for almsgiving are available at the Church doors.

Last weekend: Common: €740 Share: €104 Parish Dev: €1,515

Your contributions are very much appreciated.

RTE NEWS CHANNEL-MASS BROADCAST

RTE will be broadcast 10.30am Mass on Wednes. next 3rd March from Athy Parish Church. Fr. Francis McCarthy will be the celebrant.
(The normal 9.30am Mass will still be celebrated.)

LETS LIVE LENT

Bringing Lenten Gospels to life, five Tuesdays

Tuesday 2nd March Songs of the Sanctuary

Tuesday 9th March Into the Light

Tuesday 16th March Seeds of Hope

Presented by a team from the Office for Evangelisation and the Liturgy Resource Centre. To book: email lisia.cashen@dublindiocese.ie

PARISH OFFICE/SHOP

St Patrick Day greeting cards, emblems and badges available from the Parish Office. **Easter** Mass Bouquets & Easter cards also available.

Parish Office/shop cannot be opened to the public however the parish secretaries are functioning during the normal hours. Secretaries can be reached by phone, email, through Parish Office letter box and through postal correspondence Parish Office, St. Michael's Church, Stanhope Place, Athy, Co. Kildare. R14 CA 26

ALONE COVID 19 HELPLINE

supports for older people who have concerns our queries relating to COVID-19. Professional staff available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line will open Monday to Friday, 8am-8pm, by calling 0818 222 024. To Volunteer your help visit www.alone.ie

You can take a copy of this newsletter from the Church or view on parish website

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Micheál Behan, Leinster Lodge.
Carmel Flanagan nee Tierney, who died in Lucan, formerly of Kilberry

Saturday 6 pm:

Months Mind: Bernadette Duggan nee Byrne

Anniversaries:

Elizabeth Vaughan, Paddy & Paul Foley, Dec. members of Foley family, Christy Tyrrell Brogan (3rd Anniv.), Patrick & Margaret Brogan, Peter, Josephine & Martin Brophy, Dec. members of Phillips family, Mamie Brady, Pearse Dunne, John Foley, Dec members of Foley family, Brendan Burke (1st Anniv.), Vivienne Anderson, Mary 'Molly' Owens, Elizabeth Myles (3rd Anniv.), James & Margaret Lalor, Jim, Josie & Angela Lalor, Michael & Rosanna O'Connor, Martina Lynch, Paddy & May Byrne, Thomas 'Tucker' Carbery, Dec. members of Byrne Family

10.30 am Shared Mass

Month's mind: Terence Dooley

Anniversaries:

Paddy Mullery, Jane Davis, Michael Whelan, Eilish Whelan, Pearse Dunne, Vivienne Anderson, Mai Dooley, Paddy, Eleanor & Pat Dooley, Mary 'Molly' Owens, Theresa Dempsey, Sheila & Brian Kelly, William & Joan Kelly

12.30 am: Anniversaries:

Margaret & James McHugh, Dec. mem of McHugh family, Joe Taaffe, Elizabeth Brennan, Pearse Dunne, Vivienne Anderson, Mai Dooley, Paddy Eleanor & Pat Dooley, Mary 'Molly' Owens

Mon: 9.30 am:

Joe & Bridget Doyle, James Lawler, Billy Ryan

Mon: 7 pm:

Carmel Flanagan nee Tierney (Rec Deceased)

Tues 9.30 am:

Billy, Elizabeth & Patrick Farrelly, Timmy Kelly, Gerry, Michael & William Byrne, Paddy & May Byrne, Dec. members of Byrne family, Mary, Nancy & Michael Ryan, Julia Ryan, Peg Quigley
Birthday Remembrance: Patrick Kelly (70th birthday)

Wednes. 9.30 am: Joe & Mary McDermott, Martina Kilbride, Mary Barry, P.J. Leonard, Annie McDermott

Birthday Remembrance: Denis Redmond

Thurs: 9.30 am: Golden Book

Fri.9.30 am: A Itar List of The Dead

Mass available on live streaming on parish website; www.parishofathy.ie & on radio 107.9 fm.

We can offer the extra 7 pm Monday & Friday Lenten Masses in St. Michael's Athy for named Intentions-please contact the Parish

FAITHFEST

Sat. 5th March 6.30 pm to 8.30 pm.
See online, for more information visit faithfest@dublindiocese.ie

Athy Library Age friendly digital ambassadors

If you would like to access your library on the internet but are unsure how contact Carmel or Ann at Athy libraryathylib@kildarecoco.ie or Ph 045 980555