

## ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY

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### PASSION SUNDAY Sunday 28th March 2021

#### CHURCH NOTICES

Sunday **12.30 Mass** is now temporary suspended during covid 19 Level 5 restrictions. It will resume immediately when congregations are allowed.

Today is Palm Sunday. Blessed palm crosses are available inside all church doors. Also available are Holy Week and Easter schedules and St. Joseph prayer cards. *Please take one.*

#### Holy Week & Easter Ceremonies

Because of Covid level 5 restrictions all ceremonies for Holy Week and Easter will be online and on parish radio.

Holy Week and Easter schedule is posted on Church doors and on parish website [www.parishofathy.ie](http://www.parishofathy.ie)

**Area Distributors** are reminded to collect their Easter bundles of Easter schedules, Dues envelopes, palm crosses & prayer cards from behind the high Altar.

**Lenten Mass** at **9.30 am** weekdays with an additional 7pm Mass in **Athy** church 7pm Monday.

**Crookstown** church 7pm Tuesday.

**Kilmead** church 7pm Wednesday.

Next Friday, Good Friday is a **Day of Fast & Abstinence.** (Three meals and abstinence from meat)

**Last weekend: Common: €217 Share: €151 Parish Dev: €749**  
*Your contributions are very much appreciated.*

#### READINGS

**1st READING:** Isaiah 50: 4-7  
**PSALM** Ps.21:8-9, 17-20.23-24  
**2nd READING:** Philippians 2:6-11  
**GOSPEL:** Mark 14:1-1547 or 15:1-39

#### CONGRATULATIONS

to  
Fr. Phil Dennehy  
who celebrated his 90th  
Birthday yesterday  
We send him our Blessings and  
Good Health

#### PARISH OFFICE/SHOP

If you would like to include your deceased loved one on the **Easter Sunday** Altar List please contact the Parish Office  
**Easter** Mass Bouquets & Easter cards are now 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](http://www.alone.ie)

#### PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

##### Recently Deceased:

*Stephaine Bland, nee Mulhall*, Butlers Lane, *Tom Shaw, St. Martin's Tce.*

##### Saturday 6 pm:

##### Months Mind:

##### Anniversaries:

Fergus Dunne, William, Brigid & Ellen Kelly, Denis Redmond, Jean Burrow nee Kavanagh (1st Anniv.), Patrick Myles, Dec. members of Myles family, John & Kathleen Hyland, Peter & Agnes Gilmartin, Mary, Jimmy & Noelle Sweeney, Margaret Breen (47th Anniv.), John Breen, Peggy Hicks, Nancy Hennessy, Eddie Dempsey (15th Anniv.), Denis Timpson (3rd Anniv.), Ann Timpson, James & Marell O'Keefe, Carmel Reddy, Sheila Carton  
**Birthday Rem. & Anniversary;** Joe Pender

##### 10.30 am Shared Mass

##### Anniversaries:

Edward Murphy, Fergus Dunne, Michael Mullery, George Higginson, Christy Johnson (1st Anniv.), William Murphy, Patrick Myles, Dec. members of Myles family, Michael & Annie McKenna, Gordan & John Thorne, Mary, Jimmy & Noelle Sweeney, Mary Brennan (4th Anniv.), James & Mary Brennan, Mary Ellen O'Sullivan, Margaret Breen (47th Anniv.), John Breen, Peggy Hicks, Nancy Hennessy, Jack & Margaret Murphy, Mary & Jim O'Mara, Brendan Murphy, John Kilfeather, Nonie Heatherley, Michael Harris, Patrick Myles, Sheila Carton  
**Birthday Rem.** Sean O'Neill

##### Birthday Rem. & Anniversary:

 Joe Pender

**Mon: 9.30 am:** Sheila Carton, Intentions of all who sympathised with the family of the late Johnny Wall, Recently Deceased,  
Donor's Intention

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**Tues 9.30 am:** Michael Smyth, Jimmy Harris, Lily Kachabilly

**Wednes. 9.30am:** Mary Prince Bolger, Dec. members of Bolger & Prince families, Colm Crowe, Mossy O'Reilly, Rose Keogh, Judy Mahon

**Birthday Remembrance:** James McDonald

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

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