

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, ATHY, 6TH JUNE 2021



COPRUS CHRISTI
6th June 2021

Prayer

God of welcome and compassion:
we thank you the Holy Eucharist, in which we know
again your love and compassion. Help us to become
what we have received. Amen. *Fr K O'Mahony*



THE PARISH
OF ATHY

Comprising the Faith Communities of:

ST MICHAEL'S, ATHY

&

ST MARY'S, BARROWHOUSE

CHURCH NOTICES

Churches are now open with congregations;

Mass Times: Weekend Mass times in the Parish Church are as follows;
Sat. 6 pm Vigil, 10.30 am & 12.30 pm, 9 am in Barrowhouse.

Weekday Mass in Athy parish is at 9.30 am preceded at
9 am with rosary. (Except Bank Holidays)

Monday next is a bank holiday. Mass in the Parish
church is at 11 am. (rosary at 10.30am.)



The capacity of 50 people in one pod is to be adhered to.

The government guidelines allow for a capacity of greater than 50 where
the size of the premises makes it possible. The capacity of Athy church is
90.

Please;

- Wear face masks.
- Hand sanitise on entering the church
- Respect social distancing
- Remain in your pod and not move from
one pod to another
- enter by one door and exit by another, following the stewards directions.

Last weekend: Common: €865 Share: €277 Parish Dev: €1,026
Your contributions are very much appreciated.

Mass available on live streaming

Parish website: www.parishofathy.ie & on 107.9 fm.

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased: *James 'Dom' Kelly*, Dooley's Tce.
Funeral Mass tomorrow, Monday at 12.30 pm. Burial in
New St. Michael's Cemetery.
Baby Joseph William McHugh, Greenhills

Saturday 6pm Vigil

Months Mind: John Keogh, Jim McEvoy
Anniversaries Mark Carroll, Veronica
McConville, John Flanagan, John & Ellen
Kirwan, Patrick May, Des Howard, Micheál
O'Neill, Mary Eaton, Edel Foley (5th Anniv.),
Thomas Casey, Dec. members of Foley family,
Brian & Sheila Kelly, Leo Byrne, Delia Black,
Mary Whelan, Michael Shortell (15th Anniv),
Birthday Remembrance: Daniel Foley

9 am Barrowhouse:

10.30 am Shared Mass

Anniversaries:

Veronica McConville, Cyril Osborne, Joseph &
Ellen Bergin, David Bach, Ann Deering, Micheál
O'Neill, Thomas Casey, Ambrocía Vicente, Joe
Butler, Tom & Claire Broughall, Patrick Smyth,
Fr. Padraig O'Saoraí, Noel Byrne, Dec mem of
Thorpe & Hennessy Families, Michael Dooley

12.30 pm Anniversaries:

Patricia Doyle (1st Anniv.), Michael O'Neill,
Basia iMarian Jankowski, Thomas Casey,
Ambrocía Vicente, Julia Fleming, Donal &
Margaret Kennedy, Fr. Padraig O'Saoraí, Pat
Gilligan (Remb) Kathleen O'Keefe (Rec. Dec.)

Mon. 11 am: Month's mind: John Keogh,
Anniv: Michael Brady, Ann Deering, Jackie
Johnson, Dec. mem of Johnson family, Pat
Pender

Tues 9.30 am: Cyril Osborne, Ita Moran
Wednes. 9.30am: Martin Mullin, James &
Eileen Hanratty, Gay Coffey, James
Prendergast

Thurs. 9.30 am: Tony Byrne
Fri. 9.30 am: Joan Rice, Michael Smyth,
Eileen Mahon, Ann Murphy

Holy Hour will take place in St. Michael's Church
every Monday, Wednes. & Fri from 2-3pm for the
month of June. All welcome

Readings 6th June '21

1st Reading: Exodus 24: 3-8

Psalm: Ps. 115

2nd Reading: Hebrews 9: 11-5

Gospel: Mark 14: 12-16. 22-26

JOBSEEKERS:

Kildare Local
Employment Service
Athy 059 8632685

EXAM INTENTIONS

It is Exam time again. An intention
box is placed on a table at the side
of the sanctuary for those who
which to place an intention.
Be assured that the parish will pray
for you throughout your exams and
your intentions will be placed on the
Altar at each Mass.

copies of
newsletter
available
from
Church or
see
parish
website

BAPTISMS

Following Government guidelines
on easing of restrictions we hope
to return to celebrating Baptisms
after 5th July. Further information
next weekend when the Parish
team meet to plan how to deal with
backlog and bookings for new
baptisms.

Building Hope

Archbishop Farrell asks for your
input on the future of our Diocese &
Parish. As you may be aware,
Archbishop Farrell has established a
task force entitled 'Building Hope'.
The objective of the Task Force is to
begin a listening process within the
Diocese about how we can move
forward as a parish and as a
diocese. Covid-19 has not only
challenged us as a church but has
also provided an opportunity for
positive change. As we seek to learn
from our experience of the
pandemic, what can we do now to
ensure that we will be a
vibrant faith community in 10 years'
time? The Task Force have begun a
consultation process with parishes,
various groups and individuals
within the diocese. All the Parish
Pastoral Council and Parish Finance
committee are included in the
consultation.

Archbishop Farrell is asking you for
your input. In the coming weeks a
consultation questionnaire will be
made available on our parish and
the Dublin Diocesan website. We
urge you to seize this opportunity.
Your input will help shape the future
as together we build hope.

ALONE COVID 19 HELPLINE www.alone.ie



Keeping the song alive

Celebrating & Supporting
the Work of Cantors in our
church

The advisory committee on
church music invite you to
take part in celebration by
zoom on Wednes. 16th June,
7.30-8.30pm

To Register

<https://www.eventbrite.ie/keeping-the-song-alive-the-advisory-committee-on-church-music-tickets-155812189453>

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Call in during the following hours:

Monday 2.15pm -4 pm,
Tue -Wednes. 9.30 1.30 pm,
2 -4pm
Thur. & Fri 9.30-1.30 pm.
Saturday 10.30 am-1pm