



SEVENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR - 20TH FEBRUARY 2022

CHURCH NOTICES

Weekend Mass times:

Athy Church: Saturday 6 pm Vigil, Sunday 10.30 am & 12 noon

Barrowhouse: 9 am

Weekday Mass in Athy parish is at 9.30 am preceded at 9 am with rosary.

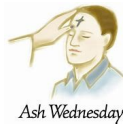
Next Sunday is Day of Prayer for Temperance
A day to consider what we will do for Lent.

Lent begins 2nd March, Ash Wednesday.
Ash Wednesday is a day of Fast & Abstinence.
Lent is a time of prayer, fast and almsgiving.
Blessed Ashes will be distributed at all The Masses.

The Collections weekend:

P. Dev. € 936 Common € 965 ACCORD €735

Thanks to all who contribute.



Ash Wednesday

'Be compassionate as your Father is compassionate'
(Luke 6:36)

As Synodal gatherings begin in parishes, this line from today's Gospel reminds us that the quality of our attention to one another will be crucial in the Synodal pathway. Careful listening helps us to understand the other person, to stand in their shoes. When we really listen, we listen to understand in an open, loving and compassionate way.

Holy Spirit, as we gather together in your name.
Guide our listening that we may receive others with respect, for we are to love our neighbour as ourselves.

Synodal Resources are available at:
www.dublindiocese.ie



The PTAA encourages prayer to the **Sacred Heart of Jesus** as an aid to resisting the temptation of alcohol.

If you wish to take a **Pioneer pledge** on Ash Wednesday for the duration of Lent or for a longer duration, please contact Elaine 085 1801 391 or any of the priests or See www.pioneerassociation.ie

Pledges can be taken after Mass Ash Wednes. or at another agreed time. Advanced notice advised

**Mass available on live streaming on
Parish website: www.parishofathy.ie &
on radio 107.9fm.**

PRAYER

O God, you call us to compassion, even towards our enemies. Give us your healing grace that we resist the temptation to vengeance and instead be magnanimous even to our enemies.

Amen.

www.tarsus.ie



READINGS

1st reading:

1 Samuel 26:2,7-9,12-13,22-23

Psalm: Psalm 102

2nd reading:

1 Corinthians 15:45-49

Gospel: Luke 6:27-38

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Christy Myles, Kilberry

Michael Dooley Carlow

Catherine 'Kay' Kelly nee Molloy, Kilberry

Johnny Haskin, McDonnell Drive

Margaret 'Gretta' Dunne, St. Dominic's Park

Terry Doyle, Carlow Road

Maura Coughlan nee Wall, Oaklawns

Saturday 6pm Vigil:

Month's mind: Shelly Kelly, Michael Doyle,
Anniversaries: Alice Fitzpatrick, Mary Hayden, Joanna Smyth, Sean Fanning, Angela Kelly, Ger Molloy (1st A), John Mulhall, Paddy Mulhall, Thomas Moran, John Fitzpatrick, Dec members of Fitzpatrick family, John Lammon, Deceased members of Lammon family, Eileen Bolger, Annie Coogan, Noel Easton, Declan & Danny Ayers, Dec members of Ayers family, Stephen Leonard, Deceased members of Leonard family, Walter Clancy, James & Maureen Clancy, Michael Clancy, Elizabeth Carroll, Patricia Harris, Towell, Seán Kavanagh, Sheila & Brian Kelly, Baby Brian Kelly, William & Joan Kelly, Mai Germaine, Quintan Doran O'Reilly, Special Intention

9 am Barrowhouse: John Murphy, Michael & Eilish Whelan, Ger Molloy (1st A),

10.30 am

Month's mind: Shelly Kelly

Anniversaries: Mick Leahy, Nell & Michael McCormack, Robert & Mira Osborne, Noel & Rosaline Ward, Elizabeth Carroll, John Hickey Snr., Patsey O'Neill, Monica Breen, Austin Breen, Dora Phelan

12.00 noon

Anniversaries: James Fleming (10 th A), Bridget Harris, Deceased members of Harris family, Denis, Margaret, Ned & Jack Watts, Elizabeth Carroll Peggy Doyle

Mon: 9.30 am: Fr. Richard Cremins, Donors Intention, Special Intention

Tues: 9.30 am: Angela Kelly, Bridget Harris, Michael Wall (3rd A)

Birthday remembrance: Jimmy Connell

Wednes: 9.30 am: Noel Easton, Damian Doran O'Reilly, Maura Coughlan (Rec. Dec.)
Special Intention

Thurs: 9.30 am: Mary Gray nee Mulhall, Dec. mem of Mulhall & Brohoon families, Florrie Crowe

Birthday remembrance: Winifred Cunningham

Fri: 9.30 am: Cyril McGovern, Special Intention

Birthday remembrance: Kathleen Whelan & Elizabeth Lawlor

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