



Comprising the Faith Communities of:
ST MICHAEL'S, ATHY
&
ST MARY'S, BARROWHOUSE



PENTECOST 5TH JUNE 2022



PRAYER

Pilgrim God, we give you thanks and praise. May the Holy Spirit, working in and through us do much more than we can dare to imagine as we live out our baptismal calling in humble and loving service. Amen

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 at 9.30 am preceded at 9 am with rosary.

This Sunday, Pentecost Sunday, June 5, is a Day of Prayer in Thanksgiving for the Diocesan Phase of the Universal Synod.

We congratulate the children from Scoil Mhichíl Naofa who received their Confirmation during the week. We pray for them.

Last Weekend Collections:

P. Dev. €929 Common: €1,025 Share: €770

Thanks to all who contribute.

Re-establishing Sunday Mass

Coming together as a community to celebrate the Lord's Day, participation in Sunday Eucharist

“While the webcam and other technological supports were most helpful during the pandemic, and have their place now too, it is time to re-establish Sunday Mass as the source and summit of our Christian commitment, and of communion with the Lord and with each other” *Archbishop Dermot Farrell*

CEMETERY MASSES

Churchtown Cemetery -
Wednesday June 1st at 7:30pm

Crookstown Graveyard -
Saturday June 11th at 7:00pm

Moone Graveyard -
Sunday June 12th at 12 noon

St Michael's New Cemetery -
Thursday June 16th at 7:30pm

Barrowhouse Graveyard -
Sunday June 19th at 9am

Kilmead Graveyard -
Sunday June 19th at 10:30am

St Michael's Old Cemetery -
Thursday June 23rd at 7:30pm

Kilberry Cemetery -
Friday June 24th at 7:30pm

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Charlie McDonnell, Kilberry
Moling' Mono' Gahan, Woodstock Close
Reception & Funeral Mass tomorrow, Monday, at 11am followed by cremation in Mount Jerome

Saturday 6pm Month's mind:

Anniversaries:

Patrick, Mary & Des Howard, Patrick & Rose Phillips, Tom Phillips, Dec. mem of Flynn Family, Phillips & Johnson families, Thomas & Julia Nolan, Michael Doogue, Julia Nolan Jr., Tom Casey, Nel McEvoy, Edel Foley (6th A), Ann & Arthur Murphy, Dec. members of Murphy family, Winifred Cunningham, Micheál O'Neill, Leo Byrne, Peter & Kate Byrne, Delia Byrne, Mary Whelan, Patricia Ruske, Mary Bennett, Dec. members of the Foley family, Fr. Pádraig O'Saorá, Sheila & Brian Kelly, Mary Foley, Dec mem of Foley Family, Special Intention
Birthday remembrance: Dan Foley, Joe O'Neill

9 am Barrowhouse:

10.30 am Anniversaries:

Ann Deering, Edel Foley (6th A), Ann & Arthur Murphy, Dec. members of the Murphy family, Winifred Cunningham, Patricia Doyle (2nd A), Elizabeth Lysak, Micheál O'Neill, Matt & Mary Lawler Snr. & Jr., John, Sean & Ted Lawler, Tom & Clair Broughal, Christopher Carolan
Birthday rem: Joe O'Neill

12.00 noon Anniversaries:

Patsy & Paul O'Kane, Edel Foley (6th A), Ann & Arthur Murphy, Dec. members of Murphy family, Winifred Cunningham, Micheál O'Neill, Leo Byrne, Fr. Pádraig O'Saorá, John Ryan, Julia & Michael Hurley, Michael & John Raggett, Eddie Raggett, Mamyi Ashu, Christopher Carolan, Alicja Sliwinska
Birthday rem: Joe O'Neill

Mon 9.30 am: Jackie Johnson, Dec. members of Johnson family, Tomasz Oszkiwski, Donal Kennedy, Alicja Sliwinska, Special Intention

Tues 9.30 am: Michael Brady, Cyril Osborne, Ann Deering (6th A), Alicja Sliwinska, Special Intention

Wednes. 9.30 am: Joe & Ellen Bergin, Ann & David Bach, James Hanratty, Special Intention, Gay Coffey, Alicja Sliwinska

Thursday 9.30 am: James McDonald, Anthony Lawler (1st A), Alicja Sliwinska, Special Intention

Friday 9.30 am: Tony Byrne, Special Intention, Alicja Sliwinska, Donors Intention,

READINGS

1st reading: Acts 2:1-11

Psalm: Psalm 103

2nd Reading: Romans 8:8-17

Gospel: John 14:15-16,23-26

Athy Parish Office:

Open Tue, Wednes: 9.30-1.30pm & 2-4pm, Thu & Fri: 9.30-1.30 pm. Sat 10.30-1pm
(closed bank holiday) Phone 059 86 38391 email: athyparishrc@eircom.net


PARISH PASTORAL CENTRE RE-LOCATED

Parish of Athy Finance committee decided to cease renting a unit on Stanhope Place with effect from 31st May. The Parish will be applying to Kildare County Council seeking planning permission to convert Fr Dennehy's Old Presbytery into a Parish Centre.

ATHY CARE OF THE OF THE ELDERLY

annual church gate collection raised a total of €1,070;
St Michaels Church Athy €823
St. Marys Church, Barrowhouse €247
Sincere thanks to all who gave so generously.

ACCOMMODATION FOR UKRANIAN FAMILIES

Two Ukranian families in Athy need accommodation. One a mother with two children, and another a mother with three children.
If you consider that you might be able to give them accommodation, please contact Fr. Liam Rigney  087 2607377 or leave your name at the Parish Office.

Expression of interest in World Youth Day 2023

Parishes and Individuals are now invited to register their interest in either attending WYD Lisbon or organising a parish group to participate.
World Youth Day will take place 1-6 August in Lisbon 2023. Package options and costs are still being determined and the registration system will open in September. At present it is intended to have the option for teenagers aged 16-18 to participate as well as those aged 18-29.
The Archdiocese of Dublin has a great tradition in participation at World Youth Day. This is a great opportunity to reach out to young people and connect them to young people in many parishes that will participate at WYD. A full pastoral programme for all pilgrims will also commence later in the year, with opportunities for leadership roles as well.
If you are interested in knowing more about World Youth Day or interested in going, contact Natasha Geoghegan on 087 67 30 300 or email. natasha.curran@dublindiocese.ie
Get In touch and keep in touch!
Dublin Diocese Registrations for WYD Lisbon will open in late August 2022.

Mass in honour of the Little Flower takes place Thur. 9th June, at 7.30pm in St. Joseph's Church, Ballyadams, Co. Laois
Individual Blessing with relic. All welcome

PARISH TEAM

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

Children's liturgy sheets are available at church doors



"Mother of the Church"

In 2018 Pope Francis added a feast day under this title for the Monday following the solemnity of Pentecost – considered the birthday of the Church. In 2022, the memorial is on **June 6**.

The title "Mother of the Church" ... reflects the deep conviction of the Christian faithful, who see in Mary not only the mother of the person of Christ, but also of the faithful. She who is recognized as mother of salvation, life and grace, mother of the saved and mother of the living, is rightly proclaimed Mother of the Church.

Covid-19 RESTRICTIONS are now lifted

There is no requirement for **mask** wearing but if you feel more comfortable with a mask do continue to wear your mask

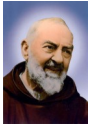
We will continue to use hand sanitiser and for the moment, sign of peace will not be introduced

All restrictions regarding choir, altar servers and processions are now lifted.

PADRA PIO GLOVE

St Pio's Glove will be in Fitzpatrick's House, Kilberry, on Saturday next, 11th June, 11.30-4.30 pm.

Items of St. Pio will be available on the day.
For information call Ann 085 1696189. All welcome



Rally for Life 2022 will start to assemble from 1pm on Saturday July 2nd at the Garden of Remembrance on Parnell Square in Dublin city centre. It will start to march at 2pm. www.rallyforlife.net

For details on pro life regional marches see www.marchesforlife.ie



PILGRIMAGE TO PRAY FOR FREEDOM FROM ADDICTIONS

Do you or somebody you know suffer from addiction? Addiction to Alcohol, Drugs, Gambling, Pornography, Food, Internet etc. steals life from so many people. Please come to the shrine of Matt Talbot in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Sean McDermott Street, Dublin, on **Sunday, June 12**, at 2pm and join the annual national pilgrimage to pray for the miracle of freedom from all these addictions.

For more information, visit www.matttalbotprayersociety.com or contact vita@matttalbotprayersociety.com or 048 71262894

HOLY HOUR

Every Tuesday from 2-3pm in Parish Church
Ever Tuesday in St. Mary's Barrowhouse at 7-8 pm



Culture Night Friday, 23rd Sept from 4 pm

If you are a Kildare-based artist, performer, organisation or community group, we are keen to hear your proposals for this nationwide celebration. Applications from new participants who are representative of all Kildare's communities are particularly welcome.

For enquiries, please contact Culture Night Kildare Coordinator, Sheena Malone at culturenightkildare@gmail.com, or phone 045 80872. The deadline to be considered for the County Kildare Culture Night programme is **Friday 24th June 2022, 5pm**. Applicants will be notified of decisions during the week starting Monday, 11th July.