



THE PARISH
OF ATHY

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



THIRTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 3RD NOVEMBER 2024

PRAYER

God, you are ever with us,
through Jesus our high priest
and Emmanuel. May we know
his help always. Amen.



PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Recently Deceased:

Richard 'Rickey' Kelly, McDonnell Dr.

Saturday 6pm

Month's mind: Rita Lammon

Birthday remembrance: Anne Casey, Michael Perse
Anniversaries: Bridget & Joe Doyle, Dec. members of
Heffernan family, Patrick Nolan (39th A), Gertie & Tony
Healy, Anne Moran (9th A), Brendan Byrne, Pat McCarthy,
Dec. members of McCarthy family, Maggie Owens (1st A),
Helen Lawler (3rd A), Baby William Lawler, William &
Mary Lawler, Martin & Bridget Quinn, Michael & Noel
Quinn, Barney Doyle, John Finnan, Patrick Kelly, Johnny
Kelly, Eoin Blanchfield, Patricia Kelly, Brian Finn,
Pat O'Gorman

Sunday 9am Barrowhouse: Patrick Daly (39th A)

Sunday 10.30am:

Recently Deceased: *Kieran Woods, England*

Anniversaries: Anthony Mullery, Patricia Kelly, Joe
Maher, Dara Richard O'Rourke, Maggie Owens (1st A),
Helen Lawler (3rd A), Baby William Lawler, William &
Mary Lawler, Martin & Bridget Quinn, Michael & Noel
Quinn, Kathleen & Thomas Stewart, Ned & Margaret
McCormack, Michael ^ Paddy Lanigan, Billy Stewart &
Peter Curtis, Thomas & Anne King

Sunday 12 noon: Altar List of the Dead

Monday 9.30am: Altar List of the Dead

Tues. 9.30 am:

Jim Fogarty (10th A), Ursula Doran O'Reilly (6th A)
Holy Souls, Donor's Intention

Wednes. 9.30 am: Elizabeth Lamon, Patrick Daly (39th A),
David Molloy, holy Souls

Thur. 9.30 am: Golden Book

Friday 9.30am:

Nicola Keogh Kenny (8th A), Lorraine Keogh (Birthday
Remembrance), Jack Brogan
Annual Mass for Deceased members of Athy Garda Sióchána

CHURCH NOTICES

Weekend Mass times: 6pm, 10.30am & 12 noon &
Barrowhouse Sunday at 9 am Weekday Mass times: 9.30
am. Rosary at 9.10 am

We remind the **Area Distributors** that new collection
boxes and letters to parishioners are **ready for collection
and distribution** from behind high Altar.

The NEW Parish Development year BEGINS this
weekend. We remind those who pay their contribution
annually that they can make their contributions now.
The Parishioners who contribute by **weekly box** and have
no area distributor can collect their new box from behind
the Altar after Mass

Parish Finance will be covered at Masses this weekend

Altar List of the Dead Sheets and envelopes are
available at the Church doors, you are invited to take one
to fill out with the names of your deceased loved ones
who you wish to remember at the Masses around on the
First Friday of every month for the next year.
*(An extra Mass, Monday 4th Nov., will be offered for
those on the Altar List of the Dead.)*

Mass to celebrated 60 years since the opening of **St.
Michael's Parish Church** takes place Saturday next,
9th November at 6pm. The chief celebrant
will be Bishop Paul Dempsey.
All welcome



P. Dev.:

€2,897 (of which €2,195 annual & €702 weekly)

Common: €1,190 **Share** €1,015

Thanks to all who contribute

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE DECEASED OF OUR PARISHES

Athy Monday 18th November @ 7.30 pm

Moone Wednesday 20th November @ 7.30 pm

Crookstown Thursday 21st November @ 7.30 pm

Kilmead Friday 22nd November @ 7.30 pm

PARISH OFFICE

Monday: 2.15 pm-4pm

Tue & Wednes 9.30-1.30 & 2-4pm

Thur 9.30am-1.30 pm

Saturday: 10.30am-12.30am

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READINGS

1st Reading:

Deuteronomy 6:2-6

2 nd Reading

Hebrews 7:23-28

Psalm: Ps 17:2-4,47,51

Gospel: Mark 12:28-34

November Cemetery Blessings 2024

Sunday, 3rd November

Kilmeade: after 10.30am Mass
Fontstown: 11.30 am

**Saturday,
9th November 2024**
Tankardstown Cemetery
at 10 am

**Sunday
3rd November**

Barrowhouse Cemetery
after 9 am Mass



ST MARTIN DE PORRES TRIDUUM

Dominican Church, Newbridge, Monday, 4th –6th November
Mass at 10 am & 6pm

ATHY & DISTRICT CARE OF THE ELDERLY A.G.M.

MONDAY, 4TH NOVEMBER,
8PM in Parish Centre, Mount Hawkins
New members welcome



Gaelscoil Átha Í enrolment

for the school year 2025-2026

is now open for junior infants starting school.

Please see our website <https://www.gaelscoilathai.com/> for further information or come into our office for a hard copy of the enrolment form.

Invitation to Meditation: Carlow Meditation Group meets on **Monday evenings from 7 pm to 7:45 pm** in the **Cathedral Parish Centre, College Street, Carlow - excluding bank holidays**. Meditation, the universal practice of silent contemplation, can awaken the heart, deepen our spiritual sensitivity and promote our wellbeing. All are welcome - no experience needed. No need to book – just turn up on any Monday evening! (Noel Keating, 087 2251183)

ACCORD

Accord Carlow Relationship Counselling
at St. Catherine's Community Service Centre Carlow
Phone Mary at 086 4149034 or email accordcarlow@gmail.com

Athy Homeless Clinic

Kildare County Council Housing Homeless Team will host an information clinic on Wednesday, 13th November in Athy Family Resource Centre (R14 NN97) – 2pm to 4pm.

Telephone 045 980576

Anam Cara - supporting parents after bereavement, are hosting their penultimate **Online Bereavement Information Evening** of 2024. The month of November, can be very difficult for bereaved parents and is the month of Remembrance. This **online** event will take place on **Thursday 7th of November** at 7pm. Our guest speaker will be **Diane Clabby**. Diane has a special interest in working with trauma, loss and bereavement, suicide prevention, intervention and postvention. register via the link below. [Register here for Anam Cara Online Bereavement Information Evening 7th November 2024](#)

DONATIONS TO THE PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND

There are several way to donate to your parish
If you wish to set up **standing order** at your bank

Parish Bank details;

Name of A/c: Athy Parochial
IBAN: **IE09 BOFI 9009 6511 1988 17**
BIC: **BOFIE2D**

Branch: Bank of Ireland, Emily Sq.

Or

See **donate button** on
parish website: www.parityofathy.ie

Or

contact your area distributor/Parish office about
organising

weekly boxes Or an annual contribution envelope

You will get a unique donor ID number



Share Appeal Sunday takes place on the weekend of November 9/10, highlighting the important work that is funded by the weekly collection.

In September €651 from
52 transaction was raised from

Tap & Go in Athy Parish for the diocesan collections
Thanks to all who contribute.



Anam Cara

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its monthly Parent Support Evening on Monday 11th November at 7:15pm in the Maldron Hotel, Whitestown Way, Tallaght.

This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or how recent their death was. You do not need to register in advance.

SACRED HEART MESSENGER MAGAZINE

New subscribers welcome for 2025 subscription €30
for monthly magazine
Contact the Parish Office

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