

## THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday November 11th 2018

### IN NOVEMBER WE REMEMBER...

Thank you to all who have returned their List of the Dead and thank you for your generous donations. Any additional Lists will be very welcome. Masses on the Feast of All Souls, November 2<sup>nd</sup> and on the First Fridays throughout the year are offered for those on the Parish List of the Dead.

#### BEREAVEMENT CEREMONY

takes place on Sunday November 25<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm. The ceremony will be led by St James' Choir and the Athboy Church Folk Group. It is hoped that this prayerful ceremony will help us all on a journey through bereavement following the loss of a loved one during the past year or at any time in the past. All welcome.

*Remember, Lord, your servants who have gone before us with the sign of faith and rest in the sleep of peace.*

*Grant them, O Lord, we pray, and all who sleep in Christ, a place of refreshment, light and peace.*

#### SUNDAY MASS TIMES:

Athboy Saturday Vigil 6.15pm  
& Sunday 11.30am  
Rathmore Sunday 9am  
Rathcairn Sunday 10.15am

**WEEKDAY MASSES:** Mon 8am,  
Tues & Thurs 7.30pm,  
Wed & Fri 9.30am,  
Sat 10am.

#### MASS INTENTIONS this week:

Sat Vigil: Phil Browne, Frank & Kitty Ennis.  
Sun 9am: Christopher & Elizabeth Gill & Julia Ennis.  
Sun 11.30am: Sheila, Seamus & Barry Castles, Kathleen Fitzsimons.  
Sat Vigil: Francis & P J Connell & son Val, Christopher & Catherine Ennis, Brigid Bracken.  
Sun 9am: Tom Finn  
Sun 11.30am: Rosaleen & Philip O'Callaghan & Dec'd Family, Mary Morgan.

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturdays 5.45pm

**BAPTISM:** By appointment. Next Baptism Preparation Meeting Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> December, please enrol in advance to the Parochial House.

#### MINISTERS OF THE WORD:

Vigil (Nov 17th) Ita McGuigan  
11.30am (Nov 18th) Lesley Murtagh

#### MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Vigil (Nov 17th) Mairead Farrell, Enda Kelly, & Susan Kenny  
11.30am (Nov 18th) Joseph McGovern, Dawn Finnegan, Anthony Leavy & Finula Garrahy.

**COLLECTIONS:** Athboy €870,  
Rathmore €115, Rathcairn €150.  
Many thanks.

**OFFERING DAY:** This Sunday, November 11<sup>th</sup> is an Offering Day for the support of the priest in our parish.

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:** on  
Fridays after morning Mass until late.

#### FEASTDAYS during the week:

Tues Nov 13<sup>th</sup> – St Frances Xavier Cabrini  
Wed Nov 14<sup>th</sup> – St Laurence O'Toole  
Thurs Nov 15<sup>th</sup> – St Albert the Great  
Fri Nov 16<sup>th</sup> – St Margaret of Scotland.  
Sat Nov 17<sup>th</sup> – St Elizabeth of Hungary.

**REST IN PEACE:** Your prayers are requested for Mary Bartley, Walkinstown (Richard's mother) and

**DO THIS IN MEMORY OF ME PROGRAMME** continues at all Masses this weekend. We warmly welcome the parents and the children who are preparing to receive Communion for the first time.

**SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION:** The enrolment ceremony for Confirmation takes place at all Masses next weekend. Children who are preparing to receive the sacrament of Confirmation must attend.

**BINGO** in aid of Church funds takes place on Sunday November 18<sup>th</sup> at 3pm in the Darnley Lodge Hotel. All welcome.

**NATIONAL COLLECTION FOR THE WMOF:** Next weekend part of the Offertory collection will be used to defray the cost of the visit of Pope Francis and the World Meeting of Families last August. Your support would be appreciated.

**OUR NEW BISHOP TOM DEENIHAN** will meet the priests of this Deanery on Tuesday evening next in Athboy.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE** meeting next Thursday Nov 15<sup>th</sup> at 8pm in the Parochial House.

**WEEKDAY MASS READERS:** If you attend weekday Mass and would be willing to read at Mass, please contact the Parochial House and a rota will be drawn up.

**WEEK OF GUIDED PRAYER:** Sunday Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> – Friday Dec 7<sup>th</sup>, Mercy Place, 2 St Brigid's Court, Connaught St., Athboy. A time of prayer and reflection based on Scripture in preparation for Christmas. For info phone 046 9430047/9432371.

**HOSPITAL VISITS:** If you have a family member in hospital and they would like Fr. Pdraig to visit them please contact the Parochial House.

**IRISH CATHOLIC** for sale at the back of the Church. Price: €1.80

**IS GOD CALLING YOU TO BE A PRIEST?** A Come and See, Exploring Priesthood Retreat will take place 23/24 Nov in Mount St. Anne's Retreat Centre, Portarlington, Co. Laois. For more info see vocations.ie or contact Fr Shane 057 9321587.

**CHY 4 FORMS:** If you have received a CHY 4 form from the Parish Office, we would be very grateful if you would return it as soon as possible. The Revenue Commissioners offer a tax rebate to charities for donations over €250 per year from any individual. Spare forms available from the sacristy.

**ACTIVE RETIREMENT GROUP:** Club meeting to take place on Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Nov 2.45pm-5pm. Kurling and Boccia on Thurs 15<sup>th</sup> Nov 2.30-5pm in St James' Hall.

**CHRISTMAS FAIR** Coláiste Pobail Ráth Chairn Sun 25<sup>th</sup> Nov 11am-2pm. Tables €20.  
For more info Ann 086 3424431.