

ATHBOY PARISH

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SUNDAY MASS TIMES:

Athboy Saturday Vigil 6.15pm
& Sunday 11.30am

Rathmore Sunday 9am

Rathcairn Sunday 10.15am

MASSES DURING THE WEEK:

Mon 10am (Bank Holiday) Tues
7.30pm, Wed 9.30am & 3.30pm,
Thurs 9.30am, Fri 8am & 7.30pm
(First Friday), Sat 10am.

MASS INTENTIONS this week:

Sat Vigil: Frank Daly

Sun 9am: Joe & Mary Murtagh

Sun 11.30am: Doreen Doyle

Tom Kelly, Dec'd Wright &

Browne family members.

Tues 7.30pm: Lawrence Farrell &
family

Wed 3.30pm: Deceased family
members of Mariosa Foundation

Fri 8am & 7.30pm: List of the
Dead.

Sat 10am: Deceased Smithwick
family members

Sat Vigil: Tom Mooney & Bridget
& Tommie Conlon.

Sun 9am: Anthony Wallace

Sun 11.30am: Pauric Coffey,
Betty McDonagh M.M.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 5.45pm.

BAPTISM: By appointment.

Baptism Preparation Meeting,
Tuesday 4th June, please enrol in
advance to the Parochial House.

MINISTERS OF THE WORD:

Vigil (June 8th) Teresa Doherty

11.30am (June 9th) Bernie Sherrock

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Vigil (June 8th) Mary Holland,

Elizabeth Gough, Paul Doherty &

Clive Doherty. 11.30am (June 9th)

Catherine McElhinney, Tony Barry &
Karen Bennett.

COLLECTIONS: Athboy

€760, Rathmore €230, Rathcairn

€350. Many thanks.

EUCARISTIC ADORATION: each
Friday after morning Mass.

REST IN PEACE:

Johnny McClorey, Hill of Ward.

Seamus Brennan, Raharney.

Maureen McCabe, Mullingar.



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ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Sunday 31st May 2019

CONFIRMATION ENROLMENT: Next weekend Sunday is the Feast of Pentecost; the church celebrates the coming of the Holy Spirit upon the apostles and Mary as they were at prayer. On this great feast of the Holy Spirit the girls and boys from 5th class will enrol to receive the sacrament of Confirmation in spring 2020. They have been asked to write a letter to Bishop Deenihan requesting the sacrament, they present their letter at Masses next weekend.

JUNE IS THE MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART: This year the feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus falls on Friday 28th June. The Sacred Heart of Jesus symbolises God's love for us in a humanly concrete way, expressing God's inexhaustible mercy and love.

COMMUNION CALLS: Fr Padraig will visit the sick and housebound on Friday June 7th.

MASS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT: Fr Padraig will celebrate Mass of the Holy Spirit on Tuesday evening June 4th at 7.30pm, exam students and their parents are welcome to attend.

MARÍOSA FOUNDATION: A Mass for all deceased family members from all the Maríosa community houses and their staff will take place on Wed 5th June at 3.30pm in St James' Church.

BINGO in aid of Church funds takes place on Sunday 9th June 3pm in the Darnley Lodge. A free game for €100!



CEMETERY DEVOTIONS:

Rathmore – Sun Jun 23rd 3pm

Athboy – Sunday 30th June 3pm,

Old St James' – 2pm.

Hill of Ward – Fri 28th June 7.30pm

Abbey Rathmore – Sat 10th Aug 7.30pm.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: September (9th-14th)
Details and booking: Pilgrimages Abroad 01 6359300,
info@pilgrimagesabroad.ie. Athboy have a number of places for *hospital pilgrims*, if you would like to go or know of someone, please contact Joe 087 6616254, or Marie 087 9613035.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK Sunday 11th August.

ALL IRELAND RALLY FOR LIFE Sat 6th July Dublin

PADRE PIO MASS St Mary's Church Navan Wed 5th June 8pm.

BUS going to the *Eucharistic Adoration* Pilgrimage to Knock Sat 15th June. Contact Brigid 086 8721015 to book your seat.

LEINSTER FLEADH takes place in Athboy/Rathcairn 8-14th July. There are a number of free inclusive workshops for people with additional needs. Application forms available online www.leinsterfleadh.ie/inclusive-workshops.

Prayer for those doing Exams

Lord, pour out your spirit of Wisdom on those students doing exams.

Help them to remain calm, to attend carefully to the questions asked, to think clearly, to remember accurately and to express themselves well.

Grant that they may reflect the best of the work they have done and the best of teaching they have received.

Accept their best efforts in these examinations and in the great test of life on Earth. Lay your love be upon them, O Lord, as they place their trust in you. Amen.

