

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 21st July 2019

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 8am, Tues 7.30pm,

Wed & Thurs 9.30am.

MASS INTENTIONS this week:

Sat Vigil: Mairead & John

Tyrrell, Ronnie & Joseph

Heeney

Sun 11.30am: Vera & Christy

Monaghan, Tom & Kathleen

Sheridan & son Vincent,

Maire Bennett.

Tues 7.30pm: Mattie O'Connor,

Julia & Ned Brogan,

Bridget & Michael Doherty.

Sat Vigil: Eamonn & Paul Cusack

Sun 9am: Eamonn Smith,

Betty McGovern.

Sun 11.30am: Phil Lynch,

Michael Maher.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 3rd

August at 5.45pm.

BAPTISM: By appointment.

Baptism Preparation Meeting,

Tuesday 6th Aug, please enrol in

advance to the Parochial House.

MINISTERS OF THE WORD:

Vigil (July 27th) Frank Holland

11.30am (July 28th) Ann Hoey

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Vigil (July 27th) Marie Leavy,

Jacqueline Barrett, Noreen

Whelehan & Donal

McLoughlin. 11.30am (July 28th)

Betty Beirne, Kathleen Cumiskey,

Frances Ennis & Louise Ennis.

COLLECTIONS: Athboy €810,

Rathmore €150, Rathcairn €250.

Many thanks.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Saturdays after 10am Mass until

5.45pm.

BINGO in aid of Church funds on next Sunday 28th July at 3pm in the Darnley Lodge Hotel. All welcome.

PATRON DAY OFFERINGS: next Sunday is an Offering Day for the support of the priest. Thank you for your generosity.

HEATING SYSTEM REPAIRS: Work is underway in Athboy Church, apologies for the disruption.



Weekday Mass on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays & Fridays are celebrated in Tommy Mullen's Funeral Home.

Funeral Masses during the week will be offered in Rathmore or Rathcairn.

The church reopens on Saturday mornings and will remain open until after 8am Mass on Mondays.

The main entrance and porch area are open during the week for parishioners who wish to visit the Blessed Sacrament and light a candle. Please observe the safety notice and do not enter the main body of the church.

Volunteers will be needed each Friday at 4pm throughout July and August to clean and prepare the Church for the weekend Masses. We would love if you could help us!

CONGRATULATIONS Sr Noeleen Reilly who celebrated the Golden Jubilee of her Profession on Tuesday.

CHY4 FORMS: The parish receives a rebate from the Revenue Commissioners on contributions from parishioners who donate over €250 through the weekly envelope collection or by standing order. If you have received a CHY 4 form recently we would greatly appreciate if you could return it as soon as possible.

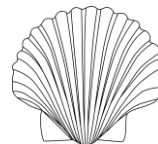
STUDY THEOLOGY www.prioryinstitute.com

BUS TO KNOCK: departing at 9am on Wednesday 14th August, for the opening day of the Novena to Our Lady of Knock, booking with Maureen Kelly 9432239 or 086 0788581 or Bridget Halpin 086 8721015

BLOOD TRANSFUSION CLINIC: Darnley Lodge Hotel Wednesday 4.30 – 8pm.

FEAST OF ST JAMES: patron of Athboy Church is celebrated next Thursday 25th July. Born at Bethsaida, son of Zebedee and brother of John, James was present when Christ performed his most important miracles.

Believed to be the first apostle martyred in 42AD, he is venerated in Compestella in Spain. The Camino de Santiago also known as the Way of Saint James is a network of pilgrims' ways leading to the cathedral of Santiago de Compostella, where tradition has it St James is buried. Pilgrims follow its routes as a form of spiritual path or retreat. The scallop shell, often found on the shores in Galicia, has long been the symbol of the Camino.



Lord God, you accepted the sacrifice of St James, the first of your apostles to give his life for your sake. May your church find strength in his martyrdom and support in his constant prayer. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.