

TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 25th August 2019

BINGO: in aid of parish funds takes place today Sunday 25th August at 3pm in the Darnley Lodge Hotel.

OFFERING ENVELOPES: we are preparing new boxes of Offering Envelopes for distribution. Your contribution via the Offering Envelope or Standing Order enables the parish to claim tax from the Revenue Commissioners and is an essential source of income for the care and maintenance of the three parish churches and the running costs of the parish.



If you are not currently donating using an Offering Envelope or Standing Order, please consider doing so; contact the Parochial House with your name and address.

PUBLIC AUCTION: to assist with the costs of repairs to the heating system in Athboy Church on Sunday 8th September at 2pm. Viewing of items on Saturday 7th September 3pm – 8pm and from 12noon on the day of the auction.



If you have items to donate, please contact the Parochial House on **Thursday or Friday this week**,

this will help us to produce a catalogue.

We need household items, kitchen & dining items, decorative items, garden and exercise equipment, unused vouchers and donations of services.

We need volunteers to help collect items and volunteers to assist with the set up and display, also to assist on the day.

The Finance Committee will meet on Wednesday at 8.30pm to help finalise plans. If you can help, please contact the Parish Office 046 9432184 or email athboyensis@gmail.com.

ATHBOY CHURCH CHOIR resumes on Sun 8th Sept at the 11.30am Mass, practice takes place on Wednesday 4th Sept at 8pm.

ATHBOY TIDY TOWNS: Dr Tina Aughney's "Bat Walk" on Fri 13th Sept at 8pm, St James' Hall, kitchen.

ATHBOY CLASSIC CAR & TRACTOR RUN Sun Sept 1st, Bawn Inn, 12.30pm. In aid of Athboy Autism Support Group.

O'GROWNEY NS re-opens on Wed 28th Aug for all pupils.

ACTIVE RETIREMENT CLUB: Club meeting on Wed 28th Aug 2.45-5pm. Kurling/Boccia on Thurs 29th Aug St James' Hall.

SOCIAL DANCE CLASSES resume in Macra Hall Wed 4th Sept 8.30-10pm. More details James 086 2003739.

It was in the family that each of us took his or her first steps in life. There we learned to live together in harmony, to master our selfish instincts and reconcile our differences, and above all to discern and seek those values that give authentic meaning and fulfilment to our lives. If we speak of our entire world as a single family, it is because we rightly acknowledge the bonds of our common humanity and we sense our call to unity and solidarity, especially with the weakest of our brothers and sisters.

Pope Francis Dublin Aug 2018

You have made us for yourself and our heart is restless until it finds its rest in You.

St Augustine Feast day 28th Aug

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 & Fri 9.30am, Sat 10am.

MASS INTENTIONS this week:

Sat Vigil: Nicholas Darby M.M.

Owen & Kitty Murtagh and
granddaughter Laura

Sun 9am: Dec'd Tuite Family.

Sun 11.30am: Joseph, Josephine
& Eugene Reilly

Tues 7.30pm: John Ward

Sat Vigil: Deirdre & Leo
O'Driscoll

Sun 9am: Christopher & Mary
Duignan

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 5.45pm.

BAPTISM: By appointment.

Baptism Preparation Meeting,
Wednesday 4th September, please
enrol in advance to the Parochial
House.

MINISTERS OF THE WORD:

Vigil (Aug 31st) Teresa Doherty
11.30am (Sept 1st) Jim Brogan

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Vigil (Aug 31st) Marie Leavy,
Jacqueline Barrett, Noreen
Whelehan & Donal McLoughlin
11.30am (Sept 1st) Betty Beirne,
Kathleen Cumiskey, Frances Ennis
& Louise Ennis.

COLLECTIONS: Athboy €955,
Rathmore €235, Rathcairn €120.
Many thanks.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Fridays after morning Mass until
late.

REST IN PEACE: Your prayers are
requested for Bernard McDonald,
Birmingham and late of Athboy,
Jackie Tuite, Lisclougher.