

TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 20th October 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 & Wed 7.30pm,
Thurs & Fri 9.30am, Sat 10am.

MASS INTENTIONS this week:

Sat Vigil: Robbie & Mark McCormack

Sun 9am: Richard & Elizabeth Knowles

Sun 11.30am: Michael & Eileen Kelly

Sat 10am: Frank O'Sullivan

Sat Vigil: Eileen Maguire M.M.,

Lily Kelly, Michael Smith,

Jim McKenna

Sun 9am: Sean Murray & dec'd parents
& family.

Sun 11.30am: Kathleen Toner

BAPTISM: By appointment. Baptism
Preparation Meeting, Tuesday 5th
November, please enrol in advance
to the Parochial House.

MINISTERS OF THE WORD:

Vigil (Oct 26th) Teresa Doherty

11.30am (Oct 27th) Jim Brogan

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Vigil (Oct 26th) Mary Holland, Elizabeth

Gough, Paul Doherty & Clive Doherty.

11.30am (Oct 27th) Catherine

McElhinney, Karen Bennett

COLLECTIONS:

Athboy €1,310,
Rathmore €220, Rathcairn €170. Thank
you for your generous support.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Fridays
after morning Mass until late.

REST IN PEACE:

Eileen Vaughan, Kildalkey

Tommy Rice, Walkinstown.

MISSION SUNDAY: This year's theme, 'Together We Are Mission', is a message for everyone. This goes to the heart of our baptismal call. It also challenges the idea that mission work is solely done by missionaries, by asking people to consider the part their own missionary hearts can play in changing the lives of others. Our Church is a global community. We depend on one another, on our shared prayer, solidarity and generosity. Contributions offered on this day are **essential** for the survival of the Church, they help build much needed church infrastructure, from chapels and clinics, to nurseries and schools, in some of the most impoverished communities in our Church family.



PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE: wish to express appreciation to parishioners for their financial support by returning their weekly envelopes or standing order. Thanks also to parishioners who have made annual payments in recent weeks. If you do not use the envelope or standing order system, the Committee are renewing their appeal for you to consider doing so. Spare envelopes are available at the back of the church, please include your name and address inside your first contribution. The committee discussed the 2018 Annual Report & Financial Statement concerning the parish which was recently received from the diocesan accountant.



In **2020 St James Church Athboy**, will celebrate its 175th anniversary. The committee are inviting parishioners to suggest a way of marking this Jubilee Year. Your ideas would be welcome by e-mail to athboyensis@gmail.com or by letter to Fr Pdraig at the Parochial House.

HALLOWEEN BINGO: in aid of parish funds in the Darnley Lodge Sunday 27th October at 3pm, your support is appreciated.

DO THIS IN MEMORY candles available in the sacristy for €5.

ANNUAL BEREAVEMENT SERVICE: for parishioners who died in the past year will take place on Sunday 3rd Nov at 7.30pm.

THE SIDE DOOR of the Church in Athboy will be open during the week. The main door will remain closed to reduce traffic noise and conserve heat.

ROSARY in RATHCAIRN every Wed in Oct 7.30pm.

LIST OF THE DEAD: as November approaches, you are invited to return your **List of the Dead, envelopes** were distributed to the homes of the parish, additional envelopes will also be available in all Churches.

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: A meeting for all Eucharistic Ministers in our parish will take place in the Parochial House on Wed Oct 23rd following 7.30pm Mass.

OPEN NIGHT Rathmore NS Wed 23rd Oct 7pm

ACTIVE RETIREMENT: Meeting Wed 23rd 2.45-5pm, Kurling Thurs 24th 2.30-5pm St James' Hall.

ATHBOY CE vacancies in admin & groundskeeping roles. Contact Terry 087 4468267 for details.

ATHBOY HUB Duck Race/Fancy Dress party Bank Holiday Monday

ATHBOY ANOIS: email your 50-word poems/sonnets/limericks to athboyanois@gmail.com.

MAHS TALK on Tlachtga Aras Pobail, Rathcairn Sun 20th 3pm.