

# THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2020

## ATHBOY PARISH

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**Public Masses are currently suspended**

Mass this week will be broadcast via the parish website

**[athboyparish.ie](http://athboyparish.ie)**

Tuesday to Saturday 10am,  
Vigil on  
Saturday 6.15pm  
& Sunday 11.30am.

### MASS INTENTIONS this week:

**Sunday morning:** Jamie Woods, Tony Wallace, Paddy & Jane Murphy & granddaughter Geraldine Arthur, Tom Kelly, Tom Lynch, Eamonn Kelly Jr, Paraic Ó Cofhaigh.

**Sat Vigil:** Celia O'Neill

**Sunday morning:** Rose Dunne

**BAPTISMS:** contact the Parochial House.

**The Most Holy Trinity:** *The relationships in the Trinity are relationships of love. The unity and harmony of the life in the Trinity is to be the aim of each community.*

**Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus:** June is the month of the Sacred Heart whose feast day is on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June; together we will share a Novena of Prayer 11 - 19<sup>th</sup>.

### Novena Prayer

O Divine Jesus, who said,  
"Ask and you shall receive,"

I kneel at your feet.

From whom shall I ask if not from you,  
whose heart is the source of all blessings.

With a lively faith in you, I come to ask...

*(Share your petitions silently with the Sacred Heart)*

I admit I am most unworthy of your favours, Jesus,  
but this is not a reason for me to be discouraged.

You are the God of mercies

and you will not refuse a contrite heart.

Look with pity on me, I beg you,

and your compassionate Heart

will find in my weakness a motive for granting my request.

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on me. Amen.



**Cemetery Devotions:** will not take place this year in June, it may be possible to reschedule these gatherings later in the summer as restrictions are lifted. Please inform family or friends who live outside the parish of these changed arrangements



**Thank you** for parish envelopes and donations returned to the box in the centre of the church in Athboy and to the Parochial House letterbox. You can also donate by:

- Standing Order - forms are available in the church or Parochial House
- Online using credit or debit card via the parish website by clicking on the "make a donation" icon

**Church Cleaning Appeal:** after 20<sup>th</sup> July, we hope celebrating Mass with a congregation will resume. For this to happen, our parish church will need to be made ready; **volunteers who are not cocooning are needed now as we must:**

- Set up a rota of cleaning for now and between Masses
- Map out places to sit 2 metres apart (social distancing)
- Provide hand sanitisation

If you are willing to assist, please contact Fr Pdraig at the Parochial House.

In the meantime our church is open every day for you to pray privately in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. When visiting the church, please comply with social distancing regulations.



**Athboy Tidy Towns** invite everyone to get involved in "Gardening for Biodiversity" based on simple guidelines contained in a new book written by Juanita Browne. Book is free and available from [heritage@meathcoco.ie](mailto:heritage@meathcoco.ie) or phone 046909700. More info will available on our Facebook page and posters around town. All entries qualify for a free draw for €100. Photos will be included in 2021 calendar and at an exhibition during Heritage week. Open to individuals, families, clubs, sports groups, churches, schools and businesses. Entries to [athboytidytowns@gmail.com](mailto:athboytidytowns@gmail.com) or post to Mary Flood ATT Main St. Athboy or drop into Floods Pub letter box. No action or inaction too small to enter.