

## ATHBOY PARISH

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**Public Masses are currently suspended. Mass this week will be broadcast on our website and on our parish facebook page.**

### MASS TIMES:

Sun 10.15am (as Gaeilge)  
& 11.30am

Tues 7.30pm

Wed, Thurs & Fri 9.30am

Sat 10am & 6.15pm (Vigil)

### MASS INTENTIONS this week:

#### Sat Vigil:

Josephine McDonagh M.M.

Richie & Lily Knowles

Dec'd members Athboy ICA

#### Sunday morning:

**11.30am:** Kathleen Fitzsimons

**Tues 7.30pm:** Frank & Kitty Ennis

#### Wed 9.30am:

Florence & Tony Leahy,

Baby Colm McNamara

**Thurs 9.30am:** Jim Lynch &

dec'd family, Vincent Finnegan

**Fri 9.30am:** Paddy Gilroy

**Sat Vigil:** Mary & John Morgan

#### Sunday morning:

**11.30am:** Audrey Kerr,

Rosaleen & Philip

O'Callaghan & dec'd family.

### REST IN PEACE

**Marilyn Smith**

Balrath

**Today is an Offering Day,  
thank you for your  
support.**

## THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 8th November 2020

Level 5 restrictions prohibit indoor gatherings including weekday and Sunday Mass.

- Fr Padraig celebrates Mass in the Parochial House Oratory. It can be viewed on the parish facebook page 
- A webcam is also available on [www.athboyparish.ie](http://www.athboyparish.ie)
- Athboy Church remains open for private prayer
- Level 5 permits attendance of 25 people at a funeral, names & phone numbers must be submitted in advance for contact tracing purposes
- We pray for victims of covid, their families and for all who are working to keep us safe.

### Remembering our loved ones who have died in November...



*"It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from their sins"* 2 Maccabees 12:46

November is a month of prayer and remembrance, for loved ones who have died. We visit the church and cemetery to pray for our dead. Renewed thanks to everyone who helped in our parish cemeteries during the year. We show our love and respect for the dead by tending their place of burial.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** for the Holy Souls 10am - 1pm, on Fridays in November.

**Altar List of the Dead:** to include names of your family and loved ones who have died in the Altar List of the Dead, please return your envelope and list to the box beside the altar in Athboy Church or to the Parochial House. Mass on First Fridays during the year are offered for the names on the Altar List of the Dead. Thank you to all who have returned their list during the week. (envelopes are still available in the church)



**Pope Francis Reflection on All Souls Day:** *"Today is a day of memory that takes us back to our roots. It is also a day of hope. It reminds us of what we can expect: the hope of encountering the love of the Father."* *The Pope's reflection focused on three themes: memory, hope, and lights that help us along the road of life. "There is a path we need to follow, and we cannot take the wrong path," he said. "The Beatitudes, which Jesus taught us, show us the right road to take. To be pure in heart, poor in Spirit – these are the lights that help us not to take the wrong road. .... May we never lose our memories as a family, a people. May we never lose hope, always contemplating the horizon, always looking ahead. May God grant us the grace to recognize the lights that accompany us to where He awaits us with so much love."*



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Thank you for your support.