

ATHBOY PARISH

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MASSES TIMES this week:

Sunday: Vigil: 6.15pm (Sat)

9am, 10.15am (as Gaeilge)
& 11.30am

Monday: 8am

Tuesday: 7.30pm

Wednesday, Thursday &

Friday: 9.30am

Saturday: 10am

MASS INTENTIONS this week:

Sat Vigil: Brian & Peg Reilly

Sunday morning:

11.30am: Luke & Angela
Mahon

Tues 7.30pm:

Josephine McNally

Fri 9.30am: Sean Ennis

Sat 10am: Private Intention

Sat Vigil: Ebbie Ennis,

Teresa & Christy Murray,
Christopher Mahon, Anne
Kibred, Patrick, Dymrna &
Tommy Mahon

Sunday morning

9am: Pat & Ann Growney &
dec Growney & Smyth families

11.30am:

Kevin, Thomas & Elizabeth
Reynolds

BAPTISMS: may be booked by
contacting the Parochial House.

REST IN PEACE

Sean Ennis

London

Maureen Tucktan

South Africa

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Sunday 16th May 2021

Welcome Back - Fáilte: for the time being, all Masses will be celebrated in Athboy Church because of its capacity to safely accommodate numbers and social distancing.



A reminder when coming to Mass please

- use hand sanitizer as you enter the church
- sit with members of your household & respect distancing from others
- no more than two households per seat
- kneeling is not permitted in some seats to ensure distancing
- wear a mask or face covering to protect others
- receive Holy Communion on your hands
- help us - by cleaning the space you occupy after Mass
- avoid the sacristy area
- social distancing **outside the church** before & after Mass
- if you feel unwell please remain at home and seek medical advice

Parish Finance - Sincere thanks for your financial support.

Easter Dues & Offering Envelopes can be placed in the collection box in the centre of the church or the letter box at Parochial House.

Offertory Collection will take place at the church entrance.

Donate online on athboyparish.ie - click on the "Make a donation" icon.

Direct Debit - forms available in the church or Parochial House

Tax Claim Forms: thank you to parishioners who have signed and returned their tax claim form. The Revenue Commissioners will give a return of 31% to the parish, as it is a registered charity on the tax you would pay on the amount donated to the parish. Please note this claim will not cost you anything.

Church Cleaning Volunteers: to keep our church safe for all who come to Mass, we need volunteers to assist with weekly cleaning in Athboy Church on Saturday mornings at 10.30am. New volunteers welcome.



Reading the Word of God at Mass: we are preparing a new rota for the Ministers of the Word and we would welcome additional readers, if you would like to read at Mass, please contact the Parish Office by phone or email.



Celebrating Penance and Holy Communion for the first time: a letter will be circulated to update parents on arrangements for the above sacraments. Fr Padraig will celebrate Sacrament of Penance with the children of second class in the coming weeks during the school day. Holy Communion ceremonies for all three parish schools will take place on Saturday 28th August, if public health restrictions permit.



Clothing Collection: thank you to all who have donated to our Clothing Collection in aid of parish funds. The collection will finish this week. If you are spring cleaning, we will accept donations of used clothing (no duvets, pillows or cushions). Please leave your bags Wednesday or Thursday 11am - 1pm at Parochial House, Athboy.

