## **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

Wed, Thurs & Fri: 9.30am

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 5.45pm

MASS INTENTIONS this week:

**Sat Vigil:** Patricia Gallagher, Jackie Tuite, Dan Bagnall

Sunday morning:9am: Michael Cahill

**10.15am:** Nan Mullen MM **11.30am:** Michael Maher

Aidan Kavanagh MM

Wed 9.30am: Special intention Fri 9.30am: Neil & Maura O

Shea, son Tim

Sat Vigil: John Ward Seamus, Mary & Stephanie Martin

**Next Sunday morning:** 

**11.30am:** Andrew Cullen Brenda Galvin MM

**BAPTISMS:** may be booked by contacting the Parochial House.

**Offertory Collection** 

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> August

**Athboy** €570

**Rathmore** €170 Thank

**Rathcairn** €200 You! **Online donation** €100

REST IN PEACE

**Mary Smith** 

Caucestown

Alice Farrell

Frayne

Gene O'Reilly

Carnaross

Mary O'Brien

Late of Ballyfallon & Carrick-on-Shannon

## TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2021

Next weekend 75 children in our parish will receive Holy Communion for the first time and over 80 children will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please pray for the children, their parents and families and thank you to all involved in preparing them, especially teachers in our parish schools.

Attendance at these ceremonies is restricted in accordance with public health guidelines.

We encourage families to celebrate safely and with the health and well being of themselves and others in mind.

**Holy Communion Ceremonies:** on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> August.



10am Scoil Ui Ghramhnaigh, Rathcairn 12noon Miss Dalton's class O'Growney NS, 2pm Mrs Twomey's class and Rathmore NS.

All ceremonies will take place in Athboy Church. Only parents and siblings of the child receiving Holy

Communion will be permitted to attend.

Confirmation: Bishop Deenihan will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation next Sunday 29th August.

Ceremonies will take place in Athboy Church at:

2pm for pupils of O'Growney NS, Athboy

4pm for pupils of Rathcairn & Rathmore NS

Due to public health restrictions, attendance is confined to the candidate, parents & one sponsor.

Rehearsals for Confirmation on Wednesday evening

**Offering Envelopes** can be placed in the <u>collection box in the</u> <u>centre of the church</u> or in the letter box at Parochial House.

**Offertory Collection** in line with public health advice, collection baskets can no longer passed among the congregation. We are trialling a different collection system until the end of August, we will then review the matter. Thank you for your support.

Online Donations: via the parish website athboyparish.ie

**St Vincent de Paul Society:** will be collecting in the church grounds next weekend 28/29<sup>th</sup> August at the Vigil Mass and on Sunday morning. Your support is appreciated.

**Drive-in Bingo:** Thank you to all who helped organise and who supported last Sunday's Bingo.



**Anniversary Masses:** when booking an anniversary Mass, please be flexible with the date involved, as we try to regulate numbers attending Mass at the weekend.

Adoration of the Eucharist: in Athboy Church on Fridays after 9.30am Mass - 1pm.

**Scripture Group:** Sr Terry invites you to reflect on the Sunday readings for Mass, after 9.30am Mass on Wednesday mornings. All welcome.