ATHBOY PARISH

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MASSES TIMES this week:

Sunday: 9am Rathmore 10.15am Rathcairn 11.30am Athboy Monday 8am, Tuesday 10am & 7.30pm Wed, Thursday & Friday 9.30am Saturday: 10am & Vigil 6.15pm

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 5.45pm

MASS INTENTIONS this week: Saturday 6.15pm Vigil: Susan Egan Nicholas Darby Tony O'Reilly Michael Duignan **Sunday morning:** 10.15am: Gertie Curran & Nan Keelan 11.30am: Martin Moore Alice, William & Dominic Farrell Kitty Mahon Mary Smith Sat 10am: Gerry Donohoe Next Saturday 6.15pm Vigil: Patricia Gallagher Edmund Holland Barbara & Christina Smith Next Sunday morning: 9am: Michael Cahill 10.15am: Seán, Michil & Mae Cofaigh 11.30am: Jackie Tuite Michael Maher Dan Bagnall

Offertory Collection Sunday 30th July Athboy €910 **Rathmore** €315 Thank Rathcairn €240 You! Sunday 6th August Athboy €875

> RIP **Brendan Dunne** Addinstown **Michael Quinn** Beechgrove **Margaret Holland** Ballyfallon

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday 13th August 2023

Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary: Tuesday 15th August, is a Holyday of Obligation.

"The Blessed Virgin Mary's Assumption into heaven makes clear to us that there is room for our humanity in heaven. Mary's Assumption assures us that what Jesus accomplished in rising from the dead and ascending into heaven was not limited to his own Person." Magnificat Mass on Tuesday 10am & 7.30pm.



National Novena at Knock Shrine: 14 – 22 August. Novena ceremonies take place at 3pm and 8pm daily and Anointing of the Sick at 2.30pm. There will also be workshops at 12 noon each day at the 'Novena Village.' The Family Day will take place on Sunday 20th August with lots of free events and activities for all the family to enjoy. This takes place from 11am-3pm and is free of charge. All are welcome.



Holy Land: our pilgrimage to the Holy Land brought us to the places of Christ's birth, baptism, transfiguration, death, resurrection and ascension. As we traced His footsteps in the places where He once walked, we prayed for our families, neighbours and friends. We

give thanks to God the joy and blessings we shared. "The stones on which our Redeemer walked are still charged with his memory and continue to cry out the Good News." **Pope Benedict XVI**

Eucharistic Adoration: every Friday, after 9.30am Mass. New Adorers are always welcome.



Parish Bingo: next Sunday 20th August, including **BINGO** a free game for €100, 3pm in the Darnley Hotel.

Wellman International celebrate 50 years and are marking the anniversary with a Service of Thanksgiving and Celebration on Friday 18th August, at 7pm in Mullagh Sports Centre. Past and Present employees are welcome.

Secondary school pupils attending Kells who travel on

Halpin's Bus are asked to reregister if they intend using the bus service in the coming school year. Contact Jim at 086 2445602.



Heritage Week: Friday 18th August 2023 8pm-10.30pm. Music, storytelling, dancing in An Bradán Feasa, Ráth Chairn