

ATHBOY PARISH

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MASSES TIMES this week:

Sunday: 9am Rathmore
10.15am Rathcairn
11.30am Athboy

Monday 8am

Tuesday 7.30pm

Wed, Thurs & Friday 9.30am

Saturday: 10am & Vigil 6.15pm

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 5.45pm

MASS INTENTIONS this week:

Saturday 6.15pm Vigil:

Ann Brogan

Sunday morning:

9am: Richard & Lily Knowles

11.30am: Lily Kelly
Marilynn Smith
Kathleen Toner

Sat 10am: Frank Howard

Next Saturday 6.15pm Vigil:

Paddy Gilroy

Next Sunday morning:

11.30am: Martina McCabe
Kathleen Fitzsimons

Baptisms: may be booked by contacting the Parochial House.

Parish Office open Thurs & Friday, 9am – 1pm & 2-4pm.

Offertory Collection

Sunday 29th October

Athboy €780

Rathmore €145 Thank

Rathcairn €330 You!

Wednesday 1st November

Athboy €480

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

RIP

**Mairead Curran, nee Neachtain
Kilbride**

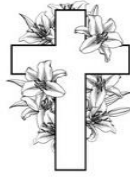
THIRTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 5th November 2023

Bingo: in aid of Parish funds today 5th November at 3pm in Darnley Arms Hotel.



List of the Dead: a List of the Dead envelope was distributed to every home in the parish in late September, additional envelopes are available at the box beside the ambo in Athboy Church. On All Souls Day and First Fridays during the year, Masses are offered for the names on the Parish List of the Dead.



“For your faithful people, Lord, life is changed not ended and when our earthly dwelling comes to an end, an eternal dwelling is made for them in heaven.”

Pioneer Pledge for the month of the Holy Souls

A short-term pledge gives spiritual support and encouragement to people and their families who are living under a shadow of addiction. Information from the Pioneers on 01 805 4226 or via www.pioneers.ie/pray



Bereavement Mass: thank you to all who helped prepare and who attended on Friday evening.

40 Hours Eucharistic Adoration in the Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar beginning with 7.30pm Mass on Friday 24th November and concluding with Solemn Vespers and Benediction at 4pm on Sunday 26th November.

Bishop Deenihan invites people from the parishes of the Diocese of Meath to visit the Cathedral and adore Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. The bishop asks the following intentions to be included in prayer:

- for children preparing for the Sacraments and for their families
- for a return to the Eucharist in our parish communities
- for vocations to priesthood and religious life in our Diocese

Eucharistic Adoration in Rathcairn Church: next Sunday, 10th November after 10.15am Mass, concluding with Benediction at 10pm. All welcome.

CHY Forms: the parish is currently preparing and sending out Tax Reclaim Forms to parishioners who have contributed to parish funds during the past year. If you are eligible, we would be grateful if you could sign and return your form to enable the parish reclaim tax on your contributions. Please note, there is no cost involved.

Anam Cara Midlands, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 8th November at 7:15pm in the Mullingar Park Hotel. For more info call 01 4045378



Coffee Morning in aid of Meath Hospice & St Francis Hospice Blanchardstown: St James' Hall Kitchen on Friday 10th November 10am – 2pm

St James Church of Ireland, Athboy: Auction in aid of church funds on Saturday 11th November at 11.30am in the Church of Ireland Hall. All welcome.



Blood Donor Clinic coming to Darnley Lodge Hotel, Athboy on Thursday 16th November, 3:45pm – 8:00pm. Blood Donor Clinics are still by appointment. Call 1800 222 111 to make an appointment.