

ATHBOY PARISH

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MASSES TIMES this week:

Sunday: 9am Rathmore

10.15am Rathcairn

11.30am Athboy

Monday: 8am **Tuesday:** 7.30pm

Thursday & Friday: 9.30am

Saturday: 10am **Vigil** 6.15pm

Confessions: Saturday 5.45pm

MASS INTENTIONS this week:

Saturday Vigil 6.15pm:

Veronica Farrelly MM

Eamonn Kelly

Rose & Nicholas Dunne

Michael & Nan Brogan

Sunday

9am: Jamie Woods

10.15am: Paraic Coffey

11.30am Michael McDonagh MM

Coleman & Mary Curran

Edward & Kathleen O'Leary

Cecilia & Patrick O'Neill

Ivan Rolf

Next Saturday Vigil 6.15pm:

Martin Smith

Next Sunday

11.30am Rose Hamilton

John Halton

Noel O'Neill

Baptisms: contact Parish Office

Parish Office hours: Thursday
& Friday 9am-1pm & 2-4pm.

Offertory Collection

Sunday 1st June

Athboy €800 Thank

Rathmore €150 You!

Rathcairn €365

Summer Offerings may be
returned next weekend.

RIP

Brendan McNulty

Clonbarron, Kildalkey



PENTECOST SUNDAY

Sunday 8th June 2025

Pentecost marks the end of the Fifty Days of Easter. "The Church was made manifest to the world in the day of Pentecost by the outpouring of the Holy Spirit." Catechism of the Catholic Church

We welcome and pray with the pupils from 5th Class in our parish schools, who this weekend enrol to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Friday 27th February 2026.

Prayers to the Holy Spirit

Holy Spirit, I want to do what is right. Help me.

Holy Spirit, I want to live like Jesus guide me.

Holy Spirit, I want to pray like Jesus teach me. Amen.

Spirit of God in the heavens.

Spirit of God in the seas.

Spirit of God in the mountain-tops.

Spirit of God in me.

Spirit of God in the sunlight.

Spirit of God in the air.

Spirit of God all around me.

Spirit of God everywhere.

Holy Spirit, Spirit of God help me

to prepare to receive you in Confirmation. Amen.



Painting of Athboy Church has now been completed. Thank you to the volunteers who helped clean and prepare the church for our return after the work. Thank you to the team from Paddy Meehan & Sons painters, to Shelly Lodge for choosing the new colour scheme and to Ned Carroll for upgrading the altar lighting.



180th Celebrations: Bishop Deenihan will visit Athboy in late August and celebrate Mass to mark the 180th Anniversary of our parish church. The Finance Committee also intend to launch a book detailing the history of the church and parish.

Bingo: in aid of parish funds at 3pm, next Sunday 8th June Darnley Lodge Hotel. All support welcome.



Parish Cemeteries: Please refrain from dumping old wreaths, withered flower or other waste in the cemetery or onto adjacent properties.

Cemetery Devotions in Rathmore, Sunday 22nd June at 3pm

Hill of Ward, Saturday 28th June at 7.30pm

Athboy, Sunday 29th June at 2pm & 3pm



Loughcrew Sunday, June 29th: Mass at 3pm to celebrate the 400th Anniversary of the birth of St Oliver Plunkett in Loughcrew, Oldcastle A82 X4Y1

Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock: Sunday 10th August.

Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: led by Bishop Deenihan departs 9th September.

Booking with Joe Walsh Tours (01) 2410800

