



**THE FAITH COMMUNITIES OF  
RATHMOLYON, JORDANSTOWN & ENFIELD**

19 November 2023

33 Sunday in Ordinary Time.

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**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**

**St Michael's Church** 8pm Saturday 10.00am Sunday  
**Church of the Assumption** 6.30pm Saturday  
9.00am and 11.30am Sunday

**THE PARISH OFFICE**

Bookings and enquiries for Masses, Baptisms and Weddings can be made through the parish office located at the Parochial House in Enfield. Mass cards are available at the Parish Office.

**Office hours for bookings:**

11.00am – 1.00pm Tuesday  
9.00am – 1.00pm Wednesday – Friday.

**PARISH WEBCAMS**

[www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-michaels-rathmolyon](http://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-michaels-rathmolyon)  
[www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/church-of-assumption](http://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/church-of-assumption)

**DEVOTIONS**

**PADRE PIO MASS**

The next Padre Pio Mass takes place on Thursday 14 December in St Michael's Church Rathmolyon.

**ROSARY & DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET**

Recited every Monday at 3.00pm in the Church of the Assumption.

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**Parish Meeting Room Enfield**

Monday 5.00pm – 9.00pm  
Tuesday 9.00am – 10.30am

**St. Michael's Church, Rathmolyon**

Wednesday 10.30am – 11.30am Mass  
Wednesday 6.00pm-10.00pm

In this parish there is no charge/fee/donation/offering for a house blessing or visitation, First Friday Call, blessing of car or religious objects. The priests of the parish are delighted to be of help and consider it an honour and privilege to be able to visit homes when invited, attend the sick, First Friday Calls, or to bless religious objects in the belief that it will bring comfort and hope. If you really want to make an offering/donation out of gratitude, please donate it to the parish fund for up keep of parish through the parish office or in the offering basket on Sundays.

**PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA  
JUNE 2024**



The Parish Leadership Team hope to lead a pilgrimage to Fatima from the 16-21<sup>st</sup> of June 2024. Everyone is welcome. If you have had a difficult year or are grieving the recent loss of a loved one you might like this pilgrimage or those who wish to give thanks for an answered prayer or success may also like to join the pilgrimage. The cost of the trip is €799, (single supplement is extra) this includes full board, transfers, and flights. The cost of the trip can be paid in instalments to the travel agent. If you would like to book, please ring JWT 01-6852244 and quote Enfield Rathmolyon Parish. **A non-refundable deposit of €300 must be paid by 1 January 2024 to JWT.**



**40 Hours Adoration:**

To celebrate the Solemnity of Christ the King this year, there will be 40 Hours Adoration in the Cathedral of Christ the King Mullingar, beginning with

Mass at 7:30 pm on Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> November and concluding with Solemn Vespers and Benediction at 4 pm on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> November.

Each parish in the diocese has been allotted an hour. **Enfield parish have been allotted 4.00pm on the Saturday**, although parishioners are welcome at any time during the 40 hours. As part of the 40 Hours Devotion, Confessions will be heard in the Cathedral continually from 12 noon to 12 midnight on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November. Everyone is welcome at any stage of the weekend.

**Welcome**

This weekend we welcome the young people preparing for the sacrament of Confirmation for their 3<sup>rd</sup> preparation Mass in St Michaels Church.

**FAREWELL**

This weekend we say good bye to Fr. John and wish him all the very best as he takes up a new diocesan appointment. We thank him for his time with us

and the many ways he ministered in the parish.

John may the Lord bless you and keep you; The Lord make His face shine upon you, and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up His countenance upon you, and give you peace."

Fr John takes up his new appointment on the Solemnity of Christ the King -25<sup>th</sup> /26<sup>th</sup> November as curate in the parish of Trim..

**The Parish Office**

The Parish Office will be closed from Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> until Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> November due to Annual Leave.

**ADULT FAITH DEVELOPMENT**



Thursday at 8.00pm in the Meeting room  
Friday after the 10.00am Mass in St Michaels Rathmolyon.

Lectio Divina is a gentle way of understanding the Sunday Gospel and making the gospel connect with our lives.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

6<sup>th</sup> Class After schools' group  
We are beginning to prepare for Advent. The group are working on drama, and each week will have reflection and meditation. The Worship Band have begun preparation work for their Christmas Carols for the 15<sup>th</sup> of December for 'Carols by the Crib' and Christmas Eve Mass  
Our Youth Leadership group will meet next Friday the 24<sup>th</sup> at 12.30

*Youth Ministry*

### PARISH MEN AND WOMEN SHEDS UPDATE



Carols by the Crib – 15<sup>th</sup> December at 7.30pm at the Parish House in Enfield, all are welcome.

The crib has been designed and is being built by the Men's Shed, and the Women's Shed are providing refreshments on the

night.

**The Women's shed** is currently working on different Christmas Crafts, and we have over 30 members. New members are welcome. Every Wednesday at 11.30am in the meeting room, Enfield.  
**The Men's shed** will meet this week on Thursday at 4.00-6.00pm. New member's welcome.

### SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

On request and at the monthly Padre Pio Mass.

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

**ST MICHAELS CHURCH RATHMOLYON:**

Saturday 2.00pm

**CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION JORDANSTOWN:**

Saturday 3.00pm and Sunday after the 11.30am Mass.

For the ceremonies we will try to have no more than 2 babies for baptism along with family and friends. Godparents should be people of faith who practise their faith regularly.

### SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Once a month alongside novena Mass to Padre Pio. It is also available anytime from Fr. Patrick or Fr. John. If you are preparing for surgery, receiving treatment, bereavement, broken relationships or just not feeling yourself, you might like to receive this sacrament and special blessing.

### ADMINISTRATION

#### SAFEGUARDING

Parish Safeguarding Children policy is available in the Parish Office or please visit: [www.meathsafeguarding.ie](http://www.meathsafeguarding.ie)

If you have concerns please contact;		
Meath Diocese DLP Marie O'Sullivan	Tulsa	Garda Nat. Protective Service
083-3175742	046-9098560	01-6663430

#### Parish Finance

Thanks to all those who are supporting the parish financially, everyone's contribution is greatly appreciated.

#### PARISH INCOME LAST SUNDAY

<b>Plate</b>	Jordanstown €785	Rathmolyon €360
<b>Building</b>	Jordanstown €295	Rathmolyon €130
<b>Offerings</b>	Jordanstown €250	Rathmolyon €25

#### STANDING ORDER CONTRIBUTIONS FOR OCTOBER 1588.61

For those who would like to financially support the parish through Standing Order.

IBAN: IE97 BOFI 9017 5757 3624 08  
BIC: BOFIE2D

## NEW ARRANGEMENTS

Due to the reduction in priests in the parish some changes will come into effect from the Solemnity of Christ the King 25<sup>th</sup> /26<sup>th</sup> November.

The 9.00am Sunday Mass will be suspended.

The First Saturday Mass will also be suspended.

### SACRAMENT OF THE EUCHARIST

SUNDAY MASS	18 <sup>th</sup> /19 <sup>th</sup> November	25 <sup>th</sup> /26 <sup>th</sup> November
6.30pm Jordanstown	Baby Michael Murray. Fiona Slattery. Kit Reynolds.	Thomas and Ann Murray and Dick Reilly. Mary, Bridget and Patrick Coffey and deceased relatives. Kit Loughlin and Sr. Mary Brigid.
8.00pm Rathmolyon	Michael Owens M.M	Paddy and Marian Boylan. Michael Forde.
9.00am Jordanstown		
10.00am Rathmolyon	Elizabeth Gunning ( Castletown)	Michael, Catherine ,Kathleen, Joseph and Lizzy Lyne.
11.30am Jordanstown	Leah Kennedy. Michael D'Arcy and Jilly Brophy( nee D'Arcy who died last week) and deceased family members.	Monica Boggan( 1st Anniversary). Michael and Rose Kearney.

### DAILY MASS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

Jordanstown		
Tuesday	7.00pm	List of the Dead
Thursday	10.00am	List of the Dead
Rathmolyon		
Wednesday	10.00am	Parish Mass Cards
Friday	10.00am	List of the Dead

### SCHEDULE FOR PARISH MEETING ROOM

#### FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

Day	Time	Activity
Monday	9.00am – 5.00pm	Open for prayer
	5.00pm – 9.00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Tuesday	9.00am– 10.30am.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	10.30am –6.00pm	Open for prayer
Wednesday	9.00am– 6.00pm	Open for prayer
Thursday	9.00am – 4.00pm	Open for prayer
Thursday	4.00pm – 5.00pm	Worship Band
	5.00pm – 8.00pm	Open for prayer
	8.00pm –9.00pm	Lectio Divina
Friday	9.00am –6.00pm	Open for prayer
Saturday	9.00am, – 6.00pm	Open for Prayer
Sunday	9.00am – 6.00pm	Open for prayer

#### NA FIANNA LOTTO

No. 3,8,12,21

JACKPOT €3,600

#### RATHMOLYON LOTTO

No. 3,11,29,30.

JACKPOT € 4,950

**The Irish Catholic Newspaper** On sale at the back of the Church New price €3.

**Best Wishes** – to Na Fianna Ladies Senior Camogie Team and management in the Leinster Intermediate Final on Sunday.

**Kill National School, are now accepting enrolments for September 2024, application forms are available on school website [saintmichaels.ie](http://saintmichaels.ie), from the school at 046 9555300 or email [info@stmichaels.ie](mailto:info@stmichaels.ie).**