

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

10 November 2024

32 Sunday in Ordinary Time

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**PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

*We as a community strive to grow in faith as shown by the example of Jesus, and to share God the Father's love with our neighbour. With the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we seek to build a vibrant faith community where every person is valued, accepted and supported on their journey of faith.*

**PARISH AIM FOR 2024 & 2025**

*"Announcing the Word of God to those living in the parish"*

**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**

<b>St Michael's Church</b>	8.00pm Saturday	10.00am Sunday
<b>Church of the Assumption</b>	6.30pm Saturday	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:**

**9.00am -10.30am Tuesday**

**9.00am - 1.00pm Wednesday - Friday.**

**Devotions**

**Healing**

The next Mass with healing and intercession to Padre Pio takes place on 6<sup>th</sup> December in the Church of the Assumption Jordanstown at 7.30pm.

**ROSARY & DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET**

Holy Hour Monday at 2.30pm-3.30pm in the Church of the Assumption with Rosary and chaplet recited at 3pm.

**First Saturday Devotions**

The next First Saturday Devotions take place 7<sup>th</sup> December before the Vigil Mass in the Church of the Assumption- Rosary at 6.00pm.

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**Parish Meeting Room Enfield**

Monday    5.00pm - 9.00pm

Tuesday    9.00am - 10.30am

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

No Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament due to restoration works.

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. Fr Patrick is delighted to be of help. 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.

If you are sick or housebound and would like to receive Holy Communion please contact the parish office or get a family member to do so on your behalf and the Parish Pastoral Care Team will visit with Holy Communion.

Email: [pastoralcareholychommunion@gmail.com](mailto:pastoralcareholychommunion@gmail.com)

**November -**

**A time to honour those who have died.**

**Parish List of the Dead**

The parish will begin making a new 'Parish List of the Dead' for the year ahead. Envelopes for placing the list of loved ones who have died are available in both churches, and in the Parish Office and Meeting room.

**Bereavement Ceremonies**

Thanks to all who helped at the different bereavement ceremonies last week. We hope that all who attended received some comfort and consolation.



**And God Said....**

I said, "God, I hurt."  
And God said, I know."

I said, "God, I cry a lot."  
And God said, "That is why I gave you tears."

I said, "God, I am so depressed."  
And God said, "That is why I gave you Sunshine."

I said, "God, life is so hard."  
And God said, "That is why I gave you loved ones."

I said, "God, my loved one died."  
And God said, "So did mine."

I said, "God, it is such a loss."  
And God said, I saw mine nailed to a cross."

I said, "God, but your loved one lives."  
And God said, "So does yours."

I said, "God, where are they now?"  
And God said, "Mine is on My right and yours is in the Light."

I said, "God, it hurts."  
And God said, I know."

K. C. and Myke Kuzmic

**SCHOOL PRAYER SERVICES**

Members of the Parish Team led the monthly prayer services for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Class in St Mary's N.S Enfield and St Michaels N.S Kill during the week and look forward to leading services in St Patrick's N.S Baconstown next week.



**Forty Hours Adoration** will take place in the Cathedral of Christ the King in November beginning with Mass at 7pm on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November and concluding with Evening Prayer and Benediction on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 4pm.

**St Michael's church Rathmolyon Restoration - Phase 1**

Work continues on St Michaels Church and as was mentioned in last weeks newsletter. The Stations of the Cross have been removed for safe keeping and cleaning. The church will remain closed outside of the vigil Mass on Saturday evening and the Sunday morning Mass until work is complete (with the exception of the two weeks at Christmas). Any funerals will take place in the Church of the Assumption. Everything should be back to normal by the end of January when work will be completed.

## Tap and Go

'Tap and Go' machines are located in both our churches for the weekly collection for those who no longer carry cash. They are located at the back of the church beside the Newsletters.

## ADULT FAITH DEVELOPMENT

Venue Parish Meeting Room

Time 8.00pm



The group will begin a new 3 part series this week called 'Life Shared', as a preparation for the group leading the Alpha Series in February.

Plans are already underway for the next Alpha Series which will begin on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February. The series will take place in function room of 'The Gregroy Inn', thanks to the Gregory Inn for facilitatintg this. More information in the weeks ahead.



## YOUTH FAITH DEVELOPMENT

There are four active youth faith development groups in our Parish. All 4 groups meet once a week in the 'Meeting Room' in Enfield and are looking at different aspects of faith in their lives. Before Halloween we spent time reflecting on names for the different youth Gorups.

**EMBER LIGHTS** -CONFIRMATION FAITH GROUP.

Every Tuesday from 2.50-4.30, for young people in 6<sup>th</sup> Class.

**EMBER YOUTH.** -1<sup>ST</sup> YEAR GROUP

For young people in 1<sup>st</sup> year of Secondary school. It takes Fridays from 2.30pm - 4.00pm.

**EMBER COLLECTIVE** SENIOR YOUTH GROUP 15 -18 YEAR OLDS.

They gather on Wednesdays from 8.00pm - 9.30pm for faith development, fun and food and to make new friends. New members welcome.

**EMBER IGNITE** YOUTH WORSHIP BAND.

The Worship band is for anyone in 1<sup>st</sup> year - 6<sup>th</sup> year. If you would like to join, the band rehearses at 6.30pm on a Tuesday evening. They play twice a month in both churches at the Sacramental preparation Masses.

## PASTORAL PROGRAMMES

**WOMEN'S SHED** Wednesday 11.00am-1.00pm.

The women have starting a new course with Mary from LMETB on horticulture. New members welcome



**MENS SHED** Wednesday 4.00p,-6.00pm.

This week the Parish men's shed presented two flower boxes to the ASD unit in St Mary's School. The children were delighted to know they will be gardening in the near future. The shed are now making buddy benches for Baconstown School.

## SCHEDULE FOR PARISH MEETING ROOM THIS WEEK

Monday	9.00am - 5.00pm	Open for prayer
	5.00pm - 9.00pm	Adoration
Tuesday	9.00am-10.30pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	2.00pm -6.00pm	After schools Group
	6.00PM- 9.00PM	Worship Band & Adult Choir
Wednesday	9.00am -10.30pm	Open for prayer
	11.00am -2.00pm	Women's Shed
	4.00pm - 6.00pm	Men's Shed
	7.30pm - 9.30pm	Youth Faith Dev Group
Thursday	9.00am - 6.00pm	Open for prayer
	7.30pm - 9.30pm	Rick Warren Series
Friday	9.00am - 2.00pm	Open for prayer
	2.00pm - 6.00pm	1 <sup>st</sup> Year Group
Saturday & Sunday	9.00- 6.00pm	Open for prayer

## ANNUAL PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA



The annual parish pilgrimage to Fatima takes place Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June returning Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July. The cost of the trip is €849 (single supplement €40 per night applies) To book, please ring JWT on 01-6852244 and quote Group 1157. Pay in full before the 15<sup>th</sup> of November to avail of €50 off.

## 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 INCOME LAST SUNDAY-** Thank you for your support!

Plate	Jordanstown €585	Rathmolyon €340
Building	Jordanstown €140	Rathmolyon €75
Offerings	Jordanstown €490	Rathmolyon €350

## STANDING ORDER CONTRIBUTIONS FOR OCTOBER €1426

'TAP & Go' €70

For those who would like to financially support the parish through Standing Order. Please make the parish office aware if you do so that we can put you on our records.

**IBAN: IE97 BOFI 9017 5757 3624 08 BIC: BOFIE2D**

## SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

On request and at the monthly Padre Pio Mass.

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

**ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH RATHMOLYON:**

Saturday 2.00pm

**CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION JORDANSTOWN:**

Saturday 3.00pm and Sunday after the 11.30am Mass.

## SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Once a month alongside novena Mass to Padre Pio. It is also available anytime from Fr. Patrick. 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.

## SACRAMENT OF THE EUCHARIST

We kindly ask that you book anniversary Masses a good bit in advance (at least a month) rather than leaving to short notice. We try to only take two intentions per Mass and we ask that you be understanding of this if your preferred date is not available.

	9 <sup>th</sup> /10 <sup>th</sup> November	16 <sup>th</sup> /17 <sup>th</sup> November
6.30pm Church of the Assumption	Tom and Peg Flynn and deceased relatives. Mary Dillon (1 <sup>st</sup> Ann)	John and Margaret Lynam ( Possextown)
8.00pm St Michaels	John Ennis, Clegarrow. Tim Slattery and deceased family members.	William and Mary Flynn
10.00am St Michaels	Margaret McEnroe . Elizabeth Gunning, Castletown.	
11.30am Church of the Assumption	Joe and Annie Duffy, Stephen and Betty Kinsella and the deceased Duffy and Westman families. Thomas Dolan (10 <sup>th</sup> Ann	Jimmy (Jinx) Greville. William and Joan Foran and sons Liam and Dessie

## DAILY MASS THIS WEEK

### CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION

**TUESDAY**

7.00PM (NOTE EARLIER TIME)

**WEDNESDAY**

10.00AM

**Na Fianna Lotto Numbers 2,4,16,21** Next Week Jackpot €10,000

**Rathmolyon Lotto Numbers 7,11,25,29..** Next Week Jackpot €7,400