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Rathmolyon Parish Bulletin

Masses this weekend: 29/30th August, 2015 No. 1158

Sat. 8pm. Benny Murray. Thomas, Patricia and Claire Gunning.

Sun. 10am. Nan McCabe.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: Mass at 9.30am.

Next weekend:

Sat. 8pm. Mick Heffernan. **Sun. 10am.**

Basket Collection: €407. *Many thanks.* Building fund envelope next weekend.

Baptisms after 10am Mass on 1st Sunday and 2pm on 3rd Saturday.

Next Baptism Meeting on Tuesday 1st Sept. at 8.30pm in Enfield Meeting room.

We welcome Caoimhe Lily O'Brien baptised this weekend and Ruby Mai O'Donnell baptised last weekend.

Eucharistic Adoration: *Tuesday* 10am-10pm. *Wednesday* 10-11am and 6-10pm.

Friday is the First Friday. The sick and housebound will be attended on Friday. If anyone requires a visit at home or in hospital let Fr. Timothy know.

Please pray for Julia Fox, Strainey, Martin O'Malley, brother of Catherine O'Hara, Possextown, who died in England, and Jimmy Sheerin, Castletown Geoghegan, father of Jenny Monaghan, Rathcore, R.I.P.

Novena to pray for the Beatification of Ven. Matt Talbot and for those who suffer with addictions will begin on Thursday 3rd September and continue each Thursday until 24th September at 8pm in Rathmolyon church.

Pioneer Church Gate Collection amounted to €285. Many thanks.

Pioneers of Meath Diocese Spirituality Day: Bloomfield Hotel, Mullingar Sunday 4th October 10.30am - 6.30pm. Lunch/evening tea included - tickets €25.

Adult Choir resumes on Sunday week at 10am Mass. New members welcome.

National Schools: All three schools in our parish will re-open on Tuesday 1st September. *Back to School Prayer.* Dear God, please watch over the pupils as they go back to school. Keep them safe every day. Help them treat others with kindness and respect, and to learn new things about God and the world each day. Give them joy and peace as they put their trust in you. Amen. Best wishes especially to pupils who will begin Junior Infants and First Year.

Welcome back to Fr. Timothy after his summer break. All the best to Fr. Cornelius as he leaves for Tullamore parish. Social in Harnan's on Monday evening at 9.30pm with a cup of tea and a sandwich to wish Fr. Cornelius well. All welcome.

Rathmolyon Hurling Club: Lotto Nos. 1,13,23,29. Next week's jackpot €10,000

Live Concert by the Hummingbyrds -Harmonic Folk Group Musical (all female). Friday 17th Sept. at 8 pm in Rathmolyon Church of Ireland. Tickets €10 from Dorothy Hughes or David Ferris.

Enfield Celtic F.C. Club: Funday Sunday 30th Aug. 12am –6pm. Soccer Pitch, Plenty of activities for children and adults. All support welcome.

Students for Priesthood: We pray for the 17 students from throughout Ireland who began their years of studying for priesthood in the past week. Let us pray that others may hear the voice of the Holy Spirit, and consider a vocation to the Priesthood. For information on vocations telephone Fr. Joe Campbell 041 9834587.

Shalom Nursing Home: Care Assistant required. FETAC qualification/care of older persons. Experience an advantage. Application and CV to Marie Duke, Presentation Convent, Kilcock. shalomrgn@gmail.com or 01 6287285.

Reading the Sunday Gospel: Pope Francis suggests a few simple but penetrating questions that can shape our readings of today's Gospel: 'Lord, what does this text say to me? What is it about my life that you want me to change by this text? What troubles me about this text? What do I find pleasant in this text? What is it about this word that moves me? What attracts me? Why does it attract me?'

Adult Volunteers At this time of year many people take on doing something new. How about becoming a Minister of the Word in our church. If you are interested in becoming a reader please contact Fr. Timothy or the parochial house.

Today's Gospel: : Today pollution has become a big issue and rightly so. People want clean water, clean air and clean food. But we should be even more concerned about the most dangerous pollution of all, namely; evil, pride, anger, hate, lust, greed, envy...all these are dangerous pollutants. So what must we do? We must purify the source; the heart is the source. It is the well-spring from which all our thoughts, words, and deeds flow. If the heart is clean, all that flows from it will be clean. Blessed are the clean of heart: they shall see God.

National Grandparents Pilgrimage to Knock: Sunday 13th September 2015. Blessing of the sick 2.30pm; Mass at 3pm. Chief Celebrant - Bishop Brendan Leahy, Bishop of Limerick. Guest soloist - Fr Liam Lawton.

Meath Pilgrimage to Lourdes 12-17 September. There are some pilgrim places available to book contact:- Pilgrimages Abroad. Tel: 01- 6359300

Next weekend: Readers: 8pm. C. Flynn. **10am.** E. Crowley.

Eucharist Ministers: 8pm. G. Harnan, L. Cosgrave.

Sun. 10am. M. Cummins, P. Brady.

Altar Society: G. Coyle, A. Keogh.

Cleaners: G. Smith, M. Cole, M. Smith.

Collectors: 8pm. J. Jordan, V. O'Brien, J. Brady

10am. M. Cummins, J. Harnan, R. Lewis.