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## Rathmolyon Parish Bulletin

**Masses this weekend: 12/13th September, 2015** No. 1160

**Sat. 8pm.** Noel Bird, 1st anniv. James Dunne and deceased members of the Dunne family. Patrick and Bridget Doherty, their son Seán and daughter Marie.

**Sun. 10am.** Michael and Catherine Collins.

**Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday:** Mass at 9.30am. **Thursday:** Mass at 8pm.

**Next weekend:**

**Sat. 8pm.** Frank Farrell.

**Sun. 10am.** Packie Maguire. Johnny Bagnall. James and Mary Walsh, Corballis

**Basket Collection:** €442. **Building fund:** €265. *Many thanks.*

**September Offerings** for the support of the Priests due this weekend. Please give subscription to collector at church door or place envelope in box provided.

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

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

**Please pray** for James McKay, who died in England, beloved half brother of Michael Reilly, Rathmolyon, Bridie Shortt, Newcastle and Jane Reilly, Rathroane, also Anne Stack, Trim, wife of Tom Stack (principal in Longwood V.S.) R.I.P.

**Novena** to pray for the Beatification of Ven. Matt Talbot and for those who suffer with addictions continues each Thursday until 24th September. Mass and Benediction at 8pm.

**Meath Pilgrimage to Lourdes:** *12-17 September 2015.* Please remember in your prayers this weekend all who taking part in the annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes this week. Many of the pilgrims to Lourdes carry the cross of sickness and 200 of our pilgrims will stay in the Accueil Notre Dame Hospital. The pilgrims bring with them the hopes and prayers, the pains and joys from the people of the entire Diocese. During these days of Pilgrimage all the people of our Diocese, whether at home or in Lourdes will be part of the great movement of prayer under the protection of Our Lady of Lourdes.

**First Communion:** The Programme 'Do this in Memory' that links home, school and parish is again being introduced in our parish. Parents whose children are now in second class and who wish them to receive Holy Communion next May are invited to come to an information meeting in Enfield School on Wednesday 30th September at 8pm.

**Youth Choir Practice** on Friday evening from 7-8pm. For boys and girls 8-18 years. New members welcome

**Rathmolyon Hurling Club:** Lotto Nos. 4,7,9,24. Next week's jackpot €10,000

**Live Concert by the Hummingbyrds** -Harmonic Folk Group Musical: Thursday 17th Sept. at 8 pm in Rathmolyon C.of I. Tickets €10 from D Hughes /D Ferris.

**Evening Prayer for Healing:** Trim Church Friday Sept. 25th. **Director:** Michael Scahill. **Speakers:** Fr. Szondi and Geraldine (Australia). Rosary and Confessions at 7.30pm. Mass at 8pm and Adoration afterwards. All welcome

**Congratulations** to Junior Cert students on results achieved in the past week.

**Traditional Irish Music:** Classes will commence Tuesday 15th September 7pm - 8.30pm and are open to all ages. Instruments taught: tin whistle, fiddle, accordion, banjo, mandolin, bodhrán and traditional piano/keyboards, also concertina and flute if sufficient interest. All welcome.

**Set Dancing** resumes in Cadamstown Hall this Wednesday 16th September at 8.30pm. Beginners welcome.

**Did you ever think of becoming a priest?** God is calling people to the priesthood. Often people who hear the call dismiss it, put it off or ignore it altogether. Most people only have a vague idea of what the priesthood is about and what priests do. It is a life worth living! The Church needs priests: if God has called you, he has a plan for you and you are not alone. If you would like to find out more about serving God as a priest in the Diocese of Meath, please join us on the last Sunday of September in St Mary's Church, Navan, [at 4pm](#). No commitment, no cost. For more information contact Fr Joe (Drogheda) [086 603 6506](tel:0866036506) or like our page on Facebook: Meath Diocese Vocations

**Today's Gospel - Cross Carriers;**

Sometimes we meet people who are thoughtful and generous in a way that knows no bounds. Very often they are people who live simple lives worldwide or carry straining crosses in the daily ambit of their lives. They have married their drawbacks in health or fortune to their faith and trust in God. They are walking with Jesus and carrying the cross but they are not introverted and morbid - instead they are alive and open to share what they have in weakness. I see this as the way of many a saint. Cross carriers with faith are, above all, a resurrection people. Jesus is unimpressed with opinion polls. Instead he calls for a personal faith in him, not a view or an opinion but real commitment to him as Christ and that means I must be a cross carrier, for the sake of the Gospel and save my life. Can we be such then that we can boast about the cross of the Lord?

**Next weekend:**

**Readers: 8pm.** U. Griffin. **10am.** C. Morgan.

**Eucharist Ministers: 8pm.** K. Collins, N. Regan.

**Sun. 10am.** I. Brady, B. Grimes.

**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.