

10TH NOVEMBER 2024

CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION, ATHENRY

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, NEWCASTLE

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PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEK: Fr. Benny MC Hale. Mobile: 087-2387336.



✠ MASS TIMES ✠

CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION ATHENRY

Saturday November 9th Vigil Mass at 6.30pm

Novena for the Deceased

Sunday November 10th Mass at 11:00am

Mattie Feeney, Glasnevin & Mountpelier, (Month's Mind) Kitty Deehan, Raheen

Saturday November 16th Vigil Mass at 6.30pm

Martin Kennedy, Claregalway & Ballydavid (1st Anniversary)

Sunday November 17th Mass at 11:00am

Nora Higgins, Lisheenkyle (1st Anniversary) and her husband Thomas Higgins

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Sunday November 10th Mass at 10:00am

Peter & Margaret Morris, and deceased of the O'Connor and Morris families, Newcastle

Sunday November 17th Mass at 10:00am

Thomas and Margaret Duane, their sons JJ and Paddy and their daughter-in-law Bridie

RECENTLY DECEASED

Frank Kelly Creeslough Donegal, father of Mary Cummins, Binn

Marie Therese (Bláth) Dunleavy, Durrow, Laois & Athenry sister of Frank Dunleavy, Prospect

BASKET COLLECTION LAST WEEKEND

ATHENRY / NEWCASTLE €3,590

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

ATHENRY Mon — Wed. 10:30am — 6:00pm daily
Thurs. 10:30am — Sat. 6:00pm (perpetual)
Sunday 12 noon — 6:00pm
NEWCASTLE Saturday 6:00pm — 7:00pm
Monday 6:00pm — 9:00pm

WEEKLY CONFESSION TIMES

CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION, ATHENRY

Saturdays 9.15am - 9.45am before 10:00am Mass or by appt.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, NEWCASTLE
After 10.00am Mass on Sundays.

VERY LOW GLUTEN HOSTS

For those unable to receive full gluten hosts, very low gluten hosts are available from the main celebrant in Athenry church. If there is anyone in Newcastle church who wishes to avail of this please let the priest or the sacristan know.

YOUNG CHILDREN AT WEEKEND MASSES IN ATHENRY

Children who are too young for the children's liturgy can avail of colours and religious colouring sheets at the back of the church beside the adoration chapel.

READINGS: 16TH & 17TH NOVEMBER (33rd Sun. Ord. Time)

1st READ: Dn. 12:1-3. PSALM: 15:5 8-11.

2nd READ: Heb. 10:11-14, 18. GOSPEL: Mk. 13:24-32.

✠ MASS INTENTIONS TUES. 12TH – SAT. 16TH NOVEMBER ✠

✠Michael Glavin, Carnaun

✠Mary Ann Farrell, Turloughlanger

✠Padraig & Margaret T. Huban, Newbridge, Kildare

✠Mike Dillon & Babies Martha & Séamus Dillon, Killtullagh

✠Louis Garvey, Headford

✠Vincent Doherty, Ballydavid

✠Elizabeth Phillips, Dublin (1st Anniversary)

✠Patrick, Mary, Gerry & Jimmy King, Baunmore

✠Delia May & Tom Moran, Moyvilla

✠Peter & Ellen Morrissey & grandson Noel Brian, Ballyloughane

✠Kathleen & Martin King, Ard Aoibhinn

✠Julia McDonagh, The Glade

✠Kate & Michael Kelly, Castlelambert, daughters Agnes & Noreen sons John Joe & Christy, & deceased of Duggan & Kelly families

✠Katie Curran, Pollnagroagh

✠Michael Joe Kelly, Coldwood & deceased of the family

✠Tommy Morrissey, Miko & Michelle Morrissey, Deerpark

✠Edward & Kitty Johnson, son Michael & daughter Joan, Athlone

✠Helen McDonagh, Cullairbaun

🎵 HYMNS AT 11:00AM MASS 🎵

Entrance The King of Love

Offertory Lead me, Lord (Wesley)

Sanctus / Agnus Dei Mass XVI

Communion Laudate Nomen Domini (O'Keeffe)

Recessional O Mary of graces

1. The King of love my shepherd is,

Whose goodness fails me never:

I nothing lack if I am his,

And he is mine for ever.

2. Where streams of living water flow,

To rest my soul he leads me:

Where fresh and fertile pastures grow,

With heav'nly food he feeds me.

3. In death's dark vale I fear no ill,

With you, dear Lord, beside me:

Your rod and staff my comfort still,

Your cross will ever guide me.

1. O Mary of Graces, and mother of Christ,

O may you direct me and guide me aright.

O may you protect me from Satan's control,

And may you protect me in body and soul.

2. O may you protect me by land and by sea,

And may you protect me from sorrows to be;

A strong guard of angels above me provide;

May God be before me and God at my side.

(English translation of Mhuire na nGrás prayer)

REMINDER REGARDING ITEMS FOR THE NEWSLETTER

The DEADLINE for submission of items for the newsletter is every THURSDAY AT 11:30AM. So please ensure you have your notices and weekly intentions submitted by then.

REMEMBERING OUR BELOVED DECEASED

While the Church puts great emphasis on remembering our loved ones throughout the year, special emphasis is placed on them during November. THE LAST DAY OF OUR ANNUAL NOVENA FOR THE DECEASED IS MONDAY 11TH NOVEMBER AT 10:00AM.

THE SCRIPTURES, WITH FR. BENNY, AT KNOCK SHRINE.

Would you like to better understand the scriptures when they are read at Mass? To help people get a better grasp of how they might speak to us in our daily lives, Holy Land expert Fr. Benny McHale will provide a four-night introduction to St. Luke's Gospel which is the Church's Gospel for next year. No previous knowledge is needed – all you have to do is bring a copy of the Bible with you (if you do not have a copy, one will be provided). The event is free of charge. 19th & 26th of Nov. and 3rd & 10th of Dec. 8pm – 10pm. in St. John's Welcome Centre.

MASS FOR BEREAVED PARENTS IN KNOCK

All bereaved parents are invited to St John's Rest & Care Centre at 3pm Sunday 10th November, for a Mass of Remembrance. Mass will be celebrated by Fr. Michael McCullagh & the names of all deceased children will be read out as their parents place candles remembering them on the altar. All welcome. Further information from Monica Morley, Family Centre 094-9375320.

CHRIST THE KING NOVENA

in Honour of Jesus as True King November 17th – 25th.

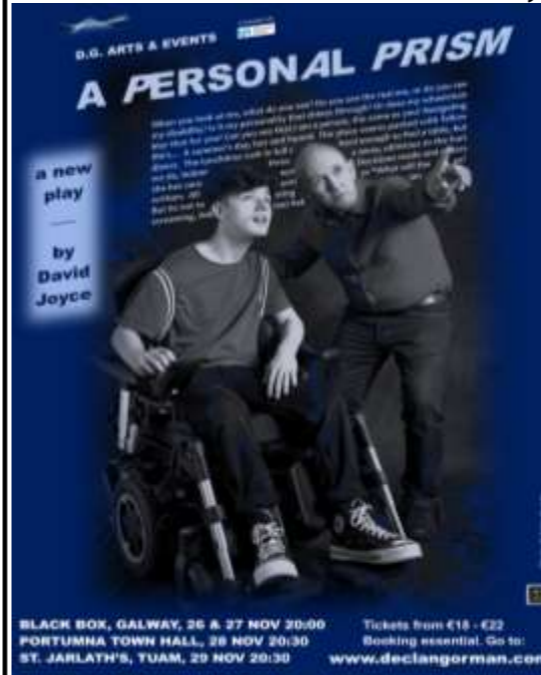
O Lord our God, You alone are the Most Holy King and Ruler of all nations. We pray to You, Lord, in the great expectation of receiving from You, O Divine King, mercy, peace, justice and all good things. Protect, O Lord our King, our families and the land of our birth. Guard us we pray Most Faithful One! Protect us from our enemies and from Your Just Judgment. Forgive us, O Sovereign King, our sins against you. Jesus, You are a King of Mercy. We have deserved Your Just Judgment. Have mercy on us, Lord, and forgive us. We trust in Your Great Mercy. O most awe-inspiring King, we bow before You and pray; May Your Reign, Your Kingdom, be recognised on earth. Amen.

Say the above **Novena Prayer**, followed by one **Our Father**, one **Hail Mary** and one **Glory Be** each day for the 9 days. *Jesus said "I promise that every time you say these novena prayers I will convert ten sinners, bring ten souls into the one true faith, release ten souls from purgatory many of whom are the souls of priests and be less severe in My judgement of your nation."*

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS GROUP FUNDRAISING EVENTS

On Saturday the 9TH NOVEMBER AT 8PM there will be a table quiz in DAN'S BAR, €40 per table of four. There will be a COLLECTION outside ALDI on SATURDAY 16TH NOVEMBER. Please support to help fundraise for the Christmas Lights in Athenry which will be turned on 22nd November at 7pm.

DEBUT PLAY BY PARISHIONER DAVID JOYCE, COLDWOOD.



A Personal Prism by David Joyce, Coldwood.

Inspired by his own lived experience as a wheelchair user, it is an honest evocation of mental health struggles; a beautiful tale of friendship; a play laced with hilarious humour.

SEE BOOKING DETAILS, VENUES, DATES AND TIMES ON THE POSTER.

MASS FOR THE BEREAVED. FRI. 22ND NOVEMBER 7:30PM

The month of November is the month of remembering our loved ones, but it is also an important time to reach out to those who grieve their loss. Recent grief can be very hard to navigate, but many also carry a silent grief from years past. Mass for people in the parish who have been bereaved and for all those who feel the pain of loss, heavy within them, will take place in Athenry Church Friday 22nd November at 7:30pm. This is a Mass for both Athenry & Newcastle Church areas. There will be a cup of tea afterwards in the parish centre. Please inform anyone that may like to attend, know about it.

NEW FIRE STATION

Every blessing to all the staff of Athenry Fire Service whose new station officially opens this week. As First Responders in our community we thank all our Fire Station staff and wish them every protection & blessing.

DEFIBRILLATOR IN NEWCASTLE

The defibrillator attached to Newcastle Community Centre wall is in need of repair & maintenance. If you would like to donate towards the repair of the defibrillator, please take an envelope from the back of Newcastle church. A volunteer will be present during mass times until Nov. 17th to take donations.

PLAYGROUND CHURCH GATE COLLECTION

This weekend, 9th & 10th November, Athenry Community Playground are holding a church gate collection. Please support to help fund a new piece of equipment & ensure the upkeep of this vital community resource. The playground committee will also be holding a Christmas movie afternoon in the Community Hall on Sunday 8th December at 3pm. Please visit their website www.athenryplayground.ie, social media accounts and consider signing up for their newsletter for further updates.

TÚS OPPORTUNITIES – GALWAY RURAL DEVELOPMENT

GRD has part-time administration and other vacancies now available. Supported by the Tús programme: if you are a year or more on a Jobseeker's payment and would like to contribute to a charity or community group in your locality, then this is your chance. Placements are for 12–18 months with pay and PRSI contributions recorded. Completing the Tús programme provides future employers with evidence of work experience, training, a reference, and a CV. For more information, contact GRD's Tús team at 087 9335477 or email tusadmin@grd.ie.

LISHEENKYLE NATIONAL SCHOOL ENROLMENTS

Lisheenkyle National School is now accepting enrolments for September 2025. All details and enrolment forms are available on the website www.lisheenkylens.ie or alternatively by contacting 091 844901 or by mailing admin@lisheenkylens.ie.