



NAAS SALLINS TWO MILE HOUSE NEWSLETTER



Mass Times: Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) Gospel: Luke:20:27-38

Weekday Mass Schedule:

<p><u>Naas:</u> Former Nuns' Chapel: Monday to Friday at 7.30am Irish Martyrs : Monday to Friday at 10am and 7.30pm Saturday 11am.</p>	<p><u>Sallins:</u> Tuesday to Friday at 10am <u>Two Mile House:</u> Friday at 7pm</p>
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Sunday Mass Schedule:

<p><u>Naas:</u> CBS Secondary School Assembly Area: 6pm (Sat Vigil); 10am and 12noon Church of the Irish Martyrs': 7.30pm (Sat Vigil); 8.30am, 11am, 12.15pm and 6pm <u>Sallins:</u> 6.30pm (Sat Vigil); 10am and 12noon <u>Two Mile House:</u> 11am.</p>

God's Love – Stronger than Death

In the Gospel today we hear how the Sadducees are out to trap Jesus. They are a group of Jews who don't believe in the resurrection and want to ridicule Jesus as someone who does. According to the Jewish Law, if a man died and left no son, the man's brother had an obligation to father a son for his dead brother's widow. So the Sadducees create an absurd case. Seven brothers marry the same woman and each dies leaving her childless. When she dies, whose wife will she be in heaven? Jesus' answer shows up their insincerity. He says that in the next life, after the resurrection, all people will be in relationship with God. There will be no need to propagate the human species, nor will legal arrangements be of importance.

Jesus goes on to give his own teaching about the resurrection. God is faithful to all people, even when they die. God makes a promise forever and no force - not even death - can destroy this promise. Every Sunday we celebrate the wonderful story of Easter. In doing so, we give thanks to the God whose faithful love is stronger than death. In this month of November we continue to remember our loved ones gone before us, may they enjoy eternal rest.

Our Lady and St. David's

The renovation work is in its final stages! The Opening Mass and Re-dedication, with Bishop Denis Nulty, will take place on Sunday, 24th November at 12noon Mass. Refreshments afterwards. All are welcome to come along and celebrate our refurbished Church.

Naas-Sallins-Two Mile House-Parish Team

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www.kandle.ie

Confessions: Every Saturday after the 11am Mass in the Church of Irish Martyrs, Ballycane.

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN: PARISH DESIGNATED PERSONS:

Caroline Quinn (Naas); Ann Moran (Sallins); Anita Comer Julian (Two-Mile-House).

They can be contacted through the Parish Office, Sallins Road, Naas. Ph 045 879730.

Annual Remembrance Mass for our Deceased Loved Ones:

A Mass remembering all Parishioners who have gone home to God since this time last year will be held on *Friday coming 15th November at 7.30pm in The Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane*. If you have any queries about this Mass or wish to check the inclusion of a loved one who has died since the end of October last year, please feel free to contact the Parish office at 045/879730.

All welcome to come along.

St Joseph's Young Priest Society

next meeting Thursday coming 14th November at 8pm in the Parish Centre at the Church of the Irish Martyrs Ballycane. Adoration from 8pm to 9.30pm. All welcome.



THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY WELCOMES YOU WITH GREAT JOY!

Naas:

Sophie Murray, Millbridge Ave
Eric Gary Stafford, Jigginstown Park

Sallins:

Maja Hanna Sznajder, The Waterways
Sean Thomas Anderson, Sallins Pier
Penny Sue McGoldrick, Castlesize Vale
Amy Eimear Leyden, Alderwood Park

Sacrament of Baptism: For those requesting the Sacrament of Baptism two weeks notice is required. Further details of Baptisms in Naas, Sallins and Two Mile House.

See Parish website: www.naasparish.ie



Mothers Prayers at the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane on Wednesdays at 8.15pm.

Parish Finances:

<u>Sallins:</u>	Baskets:	€ 778
	Envelopes:	€ 490
<u>Naas:</u>	Offertory:	€4,300
	Development Fund:	€3,571
<u>Two Mile House:</u>		€ 749

GAA Lotto:

Sallins: 04/11 Numbers 9-31-32; No winner; Venue 11/11 Railway Inn; Jackpot €3,850

Naas: 31/10 Jackpot €1,750; Numbers 11-12-19-22; No Winner Jackpot 7/11 €1,900

Splotto/Ballycane Celtic: 3/11 Numbers 4-10-22-28; No winner; Jackpot 10/11 €5,000

Naas United FC: 3/11 Numbers 10-13-22-24; No winner; Jackpot 10/11 €2,000

Feast & Memorial Days for the coming week 11th November:

Monday 11th: St Martin of Tours, bishop

Tuesday 12th: St Josaphat, bishop and martyr

Thursday 14th: St Laurence O'Toole, bishop



Sallins Parish News

November Masses for Dead: If you wish to have your loved ones included on the Altar Dead List of the Parish please include their names in the envelope provided in your envelope box.

Weekday Masses: Tuesday to Friday at 10am.

Eucharistic Devotion on Tuesday coming, 12th November from 10.30am –11.30am.

Senior Citizens Cake Sale will take place on Sunday next 17th November after the 10am & 12pm Masses in The Community Centre. If you would like to **Bake** and donate we would be very grateful. Bring your goodies to us on the day and support our senior citizens.

Communion to those at home: If you know of anybody who is sick or housebound and they would like to receive Holy Communion on Sundays, ph parish office at 879730 with details.

Mass of Remembrance in Sallins Parish will take place on 30th November at 6.30pm, in the Church of Our Lady of the Rosary and Guardian Angels. We look forward to welcoming you on the night

Naas Parish News

Parish Mission Statement: The Catholic Parish of Naas, in Communion with Christ and with one another and guided by the teaching of the Second Vatican Council, endeavours to welcome, serve and nourish the whole community."

November Masses for the Dead: If you wish to have your loved ones included on the Altar Dead List of the Parish please include their names in the envelope provided in your envelope box.

Apostolic Work Society next meeting will take place on Tuesday coming 12th November at 7pm in the Naas Community Centre, Sallins Road. New members welcome

Confirmation Registration; This takes place on Monday 11th (Scoil Bhride), Tuesday 12th (Convent) and Wednesday 13th November (St. Corban's, Gael Scoil & Pipers Hill Community National School), in Ballycane Church at 8.15pm. The registration and meeting is for **parents/guardians only**.

Junior Infant Enrolment for 2014/2015 for Mercy Convent Primary School. Enrolment enquiry forms are now available from the school secretary. Birth Certificate and verification of address, e.g. (utility bill) must accompany all enrolment forms and returned to the school principal. Closing date for receipt of completed forms is **Friday 10th January 2014**.

Free Diabetes Screening - Blood Glucose (Diabetes) Screening in association with *Kildare Diabetes Group* and *Glucomen* on Wednesday coming 13th Nov From 10am until 4pm in Lawlors Hotel. This event is organised by Naas Lions Club: *Caring about local people*.

St Corbans Boys National School Flag Days & Bag Pack are taking place this weekend 9th & 10th. Please support.

Have You Got Your Ticket!

Tickets are now on sale for Naas Parish Lotto. The first Draw takes place on Sunday 24th November. Tickets for the Lotto can be purchased from a Promoter or from the Parish Offices, Sallins Road or Ballycane. They are also available in some local shops.

There are three ways to pay for your ticket: €2 per week, €8 by Standing Order every month or €90 Yearly Subscription.

Tickets will also be on sale after all Masses today. Members of the Committee will be at the doors should you wish to purchase a ticket or find out more information about the Lotto.

We still require people to sell tickets for us, so if you think you can help, please call into the Parish Offices on the Sallins Road or Ballycane, or ring Jo on 086 1635994.

NAAS NOTES CONTINUED:

St Mary's Past Pupil Union will hold a Table Quiz on Thursday coming 14th at 9pm in Swan Dowlings, Newbridge Road. All monies generated will go to the school. Please support.

Alzheimer/dementia Support Group next meeting for carers on Thursday 14th Nov from 11am to 1pm at O'Keefe's Home & Garden, Ballymore Eustace rd, Naas. This is a voluntary support group organised by other Carers. Hope you can pass the word to those who need the support most. For more details ph: 045 864410

Free Meeting Are you concerned about a Loved One's Drug and Alcohol use??? Dr Robert Myres psychologist presents a successful new programme that helps concerned Loved Ones improve the quality of their lives. This meeting will take place on Wednesday 20th November at 6pm Sharp at Naas Library. Early booking is advised. Text the word **drug plus** and the number of places required to **51444**

Two Mile House Parish News

Blessing of Graves & Mass of Remembrance; takes place to-day Sunday 10th November at 11am Mass. We will remember those parishioners who have gone home to God since this time last year.

New Parish Pastoral Council; The current term of the P.P.C. came to an end during the summer. We are now forming a new Council. Nomination forms are available in at the church doors. If you would like to nominate a parishioner, please mention it to them before making the nomination. We ask that nomination forms would be left into Fr. Paul by Sunday, 17th November.

Two Mile House GAA Dinner Dance takes place Sat coming, 16th November in Killashee House Hotel. Tickets available by email pro.twomilehouse.kildare@gaa.ie or call/text Robert on [087-9448911](tel:087-9448911).

General Notices

Gala Evening of Music and Song featuring Baldonnel Singers with the Army No 1 Band with Special Guests Paul Linehan and Emer Barry. Sunday 10th November at 8pm in St Brigid's Church Curragh Camp.

Music for Funerals Workshop A workshop focusing on music at funerals will take place in Portlaoise Parish Centre on Tuesday coming 12th November at 8 p.m. The workshop will be led by Fr. Liam Lawton and Julie Kavanagh of Kildare and Leighlin Faith Development Services and is designed for both choir directors & individual cantors who lead music at funerals. Come along to explore when and what to sing at both the Vigil for the Reception of Remains and at the Funeral Mass. The cost is €10 euro, covering a music pack for each participant. Bookings through Christine at fds@kandle.ie or [059.9164084](tel:059.9164084).

GROW are holding a series of Community Education Talks exploring aspects of Positive Mental Health including Awareness, Wellbeing and Resilience. Next talk takes place on Thursday coming 14th November from 7pm-9pm in the Town House Hotel, Naas. Booking advised; phone Veronica at 01 8734029

Carlow Cathedral Organ Scholarships Carlow Cathedral Parish is offering two Organ Scholarships at Senior and Junior level worth €1,500 and €500 respectively. Closing date for applications this coming Tuesday 12th November. Application Forms from Marian Gaynor, Director of Music: gaynormarian@eircom.net. 087 6689943 Further info on www.carlowcathedral.ie and kandle.ie

Free Diabetes Screening -Blood Glucose (Diabetes) Screening In association with *Kildare Diabetes Group* and *GlucoMen* will be held on Thursday coming 14th November, from 10am until 4pm: Venue: Parish Centre, Clane **Hill House Pre School** Tipper Road, Naas are holding a Christmas Fair on this coming Saturday 16th Nov from 11am to 2pm. All very welcome to come along.

Manor Kilbride Community Hall is currently under construction. We would be happy to take donations of good second hand items for use in the hall. Contact Pam at 087/2288632 for more details of items needed.



Thought for the Week *Thought for the Week...*

If you don't like something, change it; if you can't change it, change the way you think about it."

Mary Engelbreit.