

# Naas, Sallins and Two Mile House

## Summer Newsletter

Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time; 12th September 2010

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**Mass Times \* Please note mass time changes for Mon, Tue, Wed this week... See note below...**

Church	Weekdays		Sundays
Our Lady and St David, Naas	Mon-Fri 7.30am, 10am	Saturday 10am.	Saturday Vigil: 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am, 10am, 12noon, 6pm.
Irish Martyrs, Ballycane, Naas	Mon-Fri * 7.30pm	Saturday 11am	Saturday Vigil: 8pm Sunday 11am, 12.15pm
Our Lady & Guardian Angels, Sallins	Tues - Fri 10am.		Saturday Vigil: 6.30pm; Sunday 10am, 12noon
St Peter's Two Mile House	Friday 7pm		Sunday 11am

\* The 7.30pm Mass on Wednesday is celebrated in the Church of Our Lady & St David, Naas.

### A reason to celebrate...

In the story of the Prodigal Son, it can be easy to have sympathy for the older son. He is the 'good' son, the one who stayed at home, the one who always did the right thing, who never disappointed his father. We can understand why he should feel so annoyed by the wonderful welcome his errant young brother receives from their father when he finally returns home. We can share his sense of grievance. There seems to be something unfair about it.

We can often feel exactly the same way about people we feel have been treated too 'leniently' by the Church or State. Maybe someone who hasn't always kept the rules whom we think the Church should not treat in the same way as those who have always lived by the book.

The character of the older son challenges us to look at our own self-righteousness. He was upset because he thought his father was too merciful and generous. Why should we be upset because our God is generous? Rather, it should make us glad. The loving arms of our heavenly Father are waiting in welcome for us all. A true reason to celebrate!

**MASS TIME CHANGE...** On Monday 13th, Tuesday 14th and Wednesday 15th of September, there will only be **One Mass** in the group of Parishes. This means that there **will not** be a 7.30am or 7.30pm Mass in Naas on those days. There will be **No** 10.00am Mass in Sallins on the same days.

#### FEAST AND MEMORIAL DAYS DURING THE COMING WEEK:

Tuesday 14th: Our Lady of Sorrows:  
Wednesday 15th: Ss Cornelius, pope and Cyprian,  
bishop, martyrs

#### THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY WELCOMES YOU WITH GREAT JOY!

##### Naas:

Caoimhe Marie Morrissey, Oldtown Demense.  
Nicole Mariel Garcia, The Paddocks.

##### Sallins:

Kate Mc Hugh, Sallins Pier.

##### The Sacrament of Baptism:

For those requesting the Sacrament of Baptism two weeks notice is required.  
More details from the Parish Website.



**Next Marriage Preparation Course** takes place on 15th & 16th October. Courses are held in the Meeting Rooms at the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane. Application Forms from the Parish Office, Sallins Road. Phone 879730.

**FINANCE:**

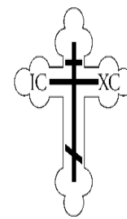
**Sallins:** Envelopes: €106 Baskets: €662  
**Naas:** Development Fund: €3,600  
 Offertory: €3,900  
**Two Mile House:** €441

**GAA Lotto Results:**

**Sallins :** 6/09 Jackpot €3,100 No Winner. Numbers 13-16-30 VENUE 13/09 THE MILL; JACKPOT €3,250  
**Naas:** 09/09 Jackpot €2,450: Numbers ( 2- 8- 12 -28)  
 No Winner!! Jackpot for 16/09: €2,600  
**Splotto Draw/Ballycane Celtic:** 05/09 No Winner  
 Numbers 2- 4- 5- 10. Venue 12/9 Murtagh's Naas  
 Jackpot €1,100

*"THOSE WHO DIE IN GRACE GO BUT TO GOD  
 AND GOD IS VERY NEAR"*

Peggy Durney, St.Davids Tce.  
 Martin Hogan, Ashgrove.  
 John Walsh, Woodlands.  
 Nora Leonard, Kingsfurze Tce.  
 Marie Curry, Sunday's Well.  
 Michael Rafferty, Sarto Road.  
 Con Quill, Castlesize, Sallins.



*MAY THEY REST IN PEACE*

**SALLINS:**

**Mass Time change:** Please note there will be **NO** 10am Mass this coming Mon 13th, Tue 14th, Wed 15th.

**Ministers of the Eucharist:** Sallins Parish is currently recruiting new Ministers of the Eucharist. If interested please leave your name, address & telephone number to Fr Jimmy Doyle or Parish Office, Sallins, (phone 897150). Dates for Training Course, in due course.

**Parish Pastoral Council Meeting on Thursday coming 16th September at 8pm.**

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction** on Friday coming, 17th at 8pm.

**Sallins Parish Pilgrimage to Fatima** from 16th-23rd September...full board...€779 staying at the 'Hotel Cinq-quentenario' €200 deposit payable now to Rita Fanning at 861070....limited seats available.

**Talk for Parents** of this years First Communion children by Elaine Mahon on Thursday 23rd September at 8pm in the Church.

**Sallins Conference of St Vincent de Paul** may be contacted at 085 7052294.

**Novena to our Lady commences Friday 1st October.**

**NAAS: PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, TUESDAY, DURING THE COMING WEEK**

**ALTAR SERVERS:** We will be renewing our "Altar Servers" list over the coming weeks in Naas. If you would like your child to serve at Mass, (children must have made their First Holy Communion) call into the sacristy in Our Lady and St David's or the Church of the Irish Martyr's, Ballycane to fill out an Altar Servers Application Form.

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH CHOIR** practice on Fridays from 2.45pm to 3.15pm in the Church of our Lady and St David, Sallins Road. The Choir is open to all children in the Parish, with particular welcome to children who have made their First Holy Communion. The Choir sings on two Sundays of each month at the 12noon Mass in the Church of our Lady and St. David. Any children at Mass on these Sundays are welcome to join our group as we can give them a song sheet. Practice resumes on **Friday 17th September at 2.45pm.** Enq. ph. Parish Office 879730

**DILLINGEN VISIT:** A group of 15 Intellectually disabled people from Dillingen, Germany, will be in concert in the Town House Hotel this **Saturday 18th September at 3pm.** We also expect to have members from Naas ARCH club joining us on the day, you are very welcome to join us. Details for Naas ARCH club ph: Mary @875381.

**Kildare LESN Jobs Club** new course starting Monday 20th September. Interviews on Tuesday 14th September. Phone Naas Office at 895555 or Kildare Office at 522900.

**Two Mile House:**

**Choir:** Rehearsals resume on Friday 17th Sept following the 7pm Mass. New members always welcome....just come along to rehearsal.

**GENERAL:**

**WORLD YOUTH DAY:** The Diocesan launch for World Youth Day will take place on Saturday 18th Sept. In Askea Parish Church, Carlow at 7pm. More details & Application forms at [www.kandle.ie](http://www.kandle.ie) or ph.087/7788007.