



# NAAS SALLINS TWO MILE HOUSE NEWSLETTER



**Mass Times: The Most Holy Trinity (Year A) Gospel: John: 3: 16-18**

<u>Church</u>	<u>Weekdays</u>		<u>Sundays</u>
Our Lady and St David, Naas	Mon - Fri 7.30am, 10am	Saturday 10am.	Saturday Vigil: 6pm Sunday 8.30am, 10am, 12noon, 6pm.
Irish Martyrs, Ballycane, Naas	Mon - Fri 7.30pm	Saturday 11am	Saturday Vigil: 7.30pm 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 Most Holy Trinity

The mystery of the Trinity, three persons in one God has baffled theologians for centuries. Many complex theories have been reflected upon. Perhaps we don't need to get caught up in the complexity of the issue. The important thing is to grasp the spirit of what the Trinity is about. Basically it is three persons living in the perfect community of love. We are invited into that love and challenged to share that love in our own relationships with others. The following reflection might help us to do one thing that could enrich our relationship with all those we meet...

The body of an adult human contains an incredible 100,000 km (60,000 miles) of blood vessels, and 13 billion nerve cells. An adult has 206 bones. Nearly half of them are found in the hands and feet. The adult human body has about 650 muscles. The smallest muscle is in the ear - only 1 millimetre long. It takes 60 muscles to frown, and only 13 muscles to smile - all the more reason to smile!

Here's something to think about when you decide to smile...

“A smile costs nothing but gives much. It enriches those who receive it without making poorer those who give it. It takes but a moment, but the memory of it sometimes lasts forever. None is so rich or mighty that they can get along without it, and no-one is so poor that they cannot be made rich by it. A smile creates happiness in the home, fosters goodwill in business, and is the countersign of friendship. It brings rest to the weary, cheerfulness to the discouraged, sunshine to the sad, and it is nature's best antidote in times of trouble.

Yet it cannot be bought, begged, borrowed or stolen, for it is something that is of no value to anyone unless it is given away. Some people are too tired to give you a smile. Give them one of yours, as no-one needs a smile so much as those who have no more to give.”

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Opening Hours: Mon-Fri 10am-1pm

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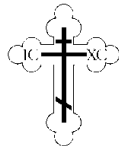
**Confessions:** Every Saturday after the 10am Mass in the Church of Our Lady and St David, Sallins Road.  
Every Saturday after the 11am Mass in the Church of Irish Martyrs, Ballycane.

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

Naas:

Gertrude Freeman, Cluain Aoibhinn

*May she rest in peace*



### Naas and Two Mile House

#### Pilgrimage to Lourdes:

From the 2nd September for 5 nights staying at the Hotel Padoue The cost, including return coach from Naas, is €745 per person. If you would like to travel to Lourdes with the parish group this year and wish to book or require more details please contact Mary Phelan at 0861075730 or Parish Office at 879730



Each year Naas/Two Mile House Lourdes Pilgrimage invite sick people from the Parishes to join them on their pilgrimage. If you or a member of your family would like to be considered please contact Mary or the Office.

THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY WELCOMES  
YOU WITH GREAT JOY!

Naas:

Catherine Mary Hill, Hollywood Park  
Conor Patrick Malone, Ashgrove Dr

Sallins:

Liam Paul Hannafin, Sallins Park  
Paul James Bastable, Sallins Bridge

Two Mile House

Katie Rose Diver, Harristown

Hugh Thomas Purcell, Dowdingstown Wood

Matthew Tomas Hogan, Walterstown

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

For those requesting the Sacrament of Baptism two weeks notice is required. For further details of Baptisms in Naas, Sallins & Two Mile House see Parish website: [www.naasparish.ie](http://www.naasparish.ie)

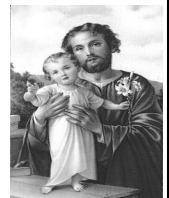


### St Joseph's Young Priest Society Annual Pilgrimage to Knock

On

Saturday 28th June 2014  
Bus from Naas €20 return.

For Bookings phone  
Peggy at 879526; Gretta at  
875432 or John at 866233



### Parish Finances:

Sallins: Baskets: €568; Envelopes: €475.

Naas: Offertory: €3,287; Dev Fund: €3,997

Two Mile House: €550

## *Naas Golf Classic tomorrow Monday, 16th June 2014*

The Naas Church Restoration Fund Golf Classic takes place in Craddockstown Golf Club tomorrow, Monday 16th June. The Golf Classic received great support last year and we appreciate this support very much. It is not too late to participate. You can contact Fr John at 085 7088407.



## Sallins Parish News

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** Tuesday coming, 17th June from 10.30am-11am.

**Summer Collection** for the Priest of the Parish takes place next weekend, 21st/22nd June

**Bodenstown Cemetery Mass** takes place on Sunday 6th July at 12noon. Please note that the 12noon will not be celebrated in the Church on this day. **Warning:** DO NOT leave your bag or personal belongings visible in your car while at the cemetery.

**Best of Luck** to Ben Hogan, Donna Dunne and Sarah Kate O Connor who are representing Sallins in the Special Olympics this weekend in Limerick. We in Sallins are all very proud of them.

### **Feast & Memorial Days for the coming week:**

Friday 20th: The Irish Martyrs

Saturday 21st: St Aloysius Gonzaga, religious

**Novena Prayer to the Sacred Heart (Novena starts on Thursday coming 19th June):**

Lord Jesus Christ, your heart was moved with love for the men and women who came for help in their need. You healed the sick, you fed the hungry, you forgave sinners, you cried over Jerusalem. Above all, you showed to those who were prepared to listen the way to true life, for you are the Way, the Truth and the Life.

Lord, your heart is still moved today by your people and their many needs. Open our hearts to hear your word, to accept your love and to respond to your call. In particular, I beg you to grant me the favour I ask during this novena....., provided that it will contribute to my own eternal good and to the building up of your Kingdom of Justice, peace and love here on earth.

Most sacred heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in you.

## Naas Parish News

**Months Mind Mass for Fr Denis Doyle** will take place on Saturday 21st June at the 10am Mass in the Church of Our Lady and St David.

**Summer Collection** for the Priest of the Parish takes place next weekend, 21st/22nd June.

**Saint Pio Prayer Group** next meeting Tuesday coming, 17th June at 7.10pm in the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane. All welcome

**Parish Pastoral Council** meeting on Tuesday coming 17th at 8.15pm in Sallins Road Meeting Room

**A Prayer Service** for parents, grandparents and families who have experienced the loss of a child will take place in the Church of Our Lady and St David, Sallins Road, Naas on Wednesday coming, 18th June at 8pm.

**Acknowledging** receipt of €300 donation to the Church Building Fund, with sincere thanks.

**Naas Tidy Towns Next Clean Up** tomorrow, Monday 16th June from 7.30pm-8.40pm to clean Kilcullen Road Area meeting at Garda Station. Litter pickers and gloves provided. More info from Vourneen 086 813 8821.

**GRAFFITI:** Unfortunately many parts of Naas have recently seen a rise in graffiti. Naas Tidy Towns are seeking help in removing them. Residents Associations who wish to obtain removal materials please contact 086 813 8821.

**Nás na Ríogh ICA Guild** next meeting on Mon 16th June at 8pm in Lawlors Hotel, Poplar Square. New members always welcome. Please contact Mary on 086 1552145 for further information.

**Summer Reading Buzz** at Naas Community Library for primary school children this Summer! Registration will be open from Friday 13th June until Monday 30th June at the Library only. Contact Library for more details.

### **Thank You:**

We would like to acknowledge and express our sincere thanks to MCD and the Management of Punchestown Race Course for sponsoring the Defibrillator for Our Lady and St David's Church and also a sincere thanks to a Parishioner who generously responded to our recent appeal for a Defibrillator for the Irish Martyrs Church. They will soon be installed and a team of people will be skilled in their use.

## **Two Mile House Parish News**

**'Mass at the Bush' in Cowley's Field (Weather Permitting) today Sunday 15th June at 11am.**

**Corpus Christi:** Next Sunday we welcome all the First Holy Communion Children to celebrate the special Feast Day of Corpus Christi. They are welcome to wear their First Communion clothes. We will finish Mass with a special blessing of the children at the altar in the graveyard. (This year's Parents' Organising Committee will have a review meeting on Thursday, 19th June, at 8pm in the school.)

**Cemetery Sunday** will take place on Sunday, 6th of July at 11am.

**Prayers of the Faithful;** In recent months young people have been leading us in the prayers at Mass. If there are any young people (14-18years old) who would like to participate please contact Mary Valentine or Fr. Paul.

**Parish Pastoral Council:** At our recent meeting the subject of Visitation was discussed. If there are people in the parish who would like to have a social visit from a member of the Parish Pastoral Council you might get in contact with Fr. Paul. This might be particularly relevant to those from the parish in nursing homes or in hospital.

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### **NAAS PARISH LOTTO**

**€2,500 that's the Jackpot in Naas Parish Lotto on Wednesday coming, 18th June.**

**Have you got your ticket?**

There was No winner of the Jackpot on Wednesday last, 11th June. **The numbers drawn were 19-28-10-26.** You can still join the Parish Lotto by purchasing an Annual Ticket at €90. Annual tickets will be entered in the Lotto Draw every week for one year from date of purchase. Or, you can also join the Lotto by Standing Order of €8 per month. On receipt of completed form and cheque, an Annual Ticket will be posted to you. Standing Order Forms can also be posted out. For further info please contact 086 1635994.

Remember, you can join the Parish Lotto at any time, it is only €2 per week and can be bought from a promoter, or from the Parish Offices on the Sallins Road or the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane. Lotto Envelopes are now available from the Parish Offices on the Sallins Road or Ballycane and from the Church porches. They can be dropped into the Parish Offices or into the post box beside the office in the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane.

### **General Notices**

**Kildare Lough Derg Pilgrimage** from 4th – 6th July. Contact Michael Sammon at 087 6697902.

**Summer Gala Concert in aid of KARE with Celine Byrne and the Army No1 Band takes place in the Church of Our Lady and St David, Naas on Friday coming, 20th June at 8pm. Tickets from the Moat Theatre at 883030 or the Parish Office at 879730.**

**Family Fun Day** at St David's Church, Main Street, Naas on Saturday coming 21st June from 10.30am- 5.30pm.

**Charity Bridge Evening** will take place in the Moat Theatre on Wednesday coming, 18th June at 7.30pm.

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

#### **Thought for the Week:**

A father is respected because  
He gives his children leadership...  
Appreciated because He gives his children care...  
Valued because He gives his children time...  
Loved because He gives his children the one thing  
They treasure most - himself.

#### **Lotto Results:**

**Naas United FC:** 08/6 Numbers 1-2-5-25; No winner; Jackpot 14/6 €1,400.

**Sallins GAA:** 9/6 Jackpot €1,600 Numbers 4-24-30; No winner; Venue 16/6 The Mill; Jackpot €1,700

**Naas GAA:** 5/6 Jackpot €6,400: Numbers 3-4-5-15; No winner: Next week's Jackpot €6,550.