

Mass Times: Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

<u>Church</u>	<u>Weekdays</u>		<u>Sundays</u>
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

Our Conscience:

The most important part of a ship is the rudder. Without the rudder it could not be steered. It would simply run amuck. The most precious thing we possess is our conscience. Without a conscience we could not steer the barque of our lives towards the harbour of truth and right. It is easy to sell one's conscience or to hand it over to someone else. Every Christian living in the modern world is faced with difficult decisions; there are so many little 'Caesars' competing for a piece of our conscience. But for Christians God must always have the first claim on our conscience.

Lord, grant us in all our tasks your help,
in all our dangers your protection,
in all our doubts your guidance and
in all our sorrows your consolation
and may we always respect the freedom of conscience.

Naas-Sallins-Two Mile House-Parish Team

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Fr Tom McDonnell: Ph 897703

PARISH OFFICE, NAAS

(Sallins Road): Ph 879730; Fax 894287

Opening Hours: Mon-Fri 10am-5pm

Wed: 10am-1pm: Lunch 1-2pm

BALLYCANE OFFICE: Ph 895629

Opening Hours: Mon-Fri 10am-1pm

SALLINS OFFICE: Ph 897150

Opening Hours; Tuesday & Thursday

10am to 1pm

SACRISTY, Church of Our Lady and St David:

(during Mass times) Ph: 856925

SACRISTY, Church of the Irish Martyrs:

Ph: 895629

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 The Irish Martyrs, Ballycane.

Parish Website: www.naasparish.ie

Naas Parish Email: naasparishoffice@gmail.com Sallins Parish Email: sallinsparishoffice@gmail.com

Diocesan Website: kandle.ie

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN: PARISH DESIGNATED PERSONS:

Caroline Quinn (Naas); Sheila Pyke (Sallins)

Mary Valentine (Two-Mile-House). They can be contacted through the Parish Office, Sallins Road, Naas. Phone 045 879730.

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

Naas:

Mary Carroll, Pacelli Road

Sean Curran formerly Tower View



Joan Hart, Newlands

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY WELCOMES YOU WITH GREAT JOY!

Naas:

Mia Ann Noone, Woodside Park Chloe Sophia de Souza Egan, Mill Lane Molly Lou McGivergan, Hazelmere Holly Fiona Meehan, Sallins Park



Sallins:

Donnacha Paul Deegan, Sallins Bridge

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

For those requesting the Sacrament of Baptism two weeks notice is required. For further details of Baptisms in Naas, Sallins and Two Mile House see Parish website www.naasparish.ie

Parish Finances:

Sallins: Baskets: € 708

Envelopes: € 550

Naas: Offertory: €3,259

Development Fund: €3,507 Two Mile House: € 485

Grateful thanks to all who support our collections.

GAA Lotto:

Sallins: 10/10 Jackpot €2,500: Numbers: 8-9-30; No winner: Venue 17/10 Bridgewater; Jackpot €2,650

<u>Naas</u> 06/10 Jackpot €4,750: Numbers 10-16-20-26:

No winner: Next weeks' Jackpot €4,900

Splotto/Ballycane Celtic:

9/10 (1-6-7-19) No Winner: Jackpot on 16/10 €6,000

The Master is here; He is calling you".

Would you like to spend an hour each week in silent prayer? Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place in the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane: Monday and Tuesday: 10am - 9pm

Wednesday: 10am – 9.30pm Thursday: 8pm – 9pm

All Masses and Services in Naas Parish can be heard on the Radio at 107.3FM

FEAST AND MEMORIAL DAYS DURING THE COMING WEEK:

Monday 17th: St Ignatius of Antioch, bishop and martyr

Tuesday 18th: St Luke, Evangelist

Sallins Parish News

Weekday Morning Mass: There will be no 10am Mass on Wednesday coming, 19th October.

<u>Sallins Novena:</u> The Novena continues on Friday night coming at <u>7.30pm</u>. The Theme this year is 'HOPE' and the speaker will be Sr Concilio. Come one, Come all! Bring a friend.

<u>Sallins Parish Pastoral Council</u> next meeting tomorrow, Monday 17th at 7.30pm in the Community Centre.

The Sallins Conference of St Vincent de Paul can be contacted at 085-7052294.

Naas Parish News

Christmas Team Hope Shoebox Appeal: Over the last twelve years more than two million children in 17 countries have received gift filled shoeboxes from Ireland. More than 10,000 boxes were donated by the people of Naas. The boxes are distributed to poor and needy children in communities, school, hospitals, churches and orphanages all over Eastern Europe, the former South Union and Africa. For many it was the only gift

ST PIO PRAYER GROUP next meeting takes place on Tuesday coming, 18th October at 7.10pm in the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane.



All welcome

they received and it was the highlight of their year. If you would like to donate a box this year and need more information phone Adrienne at 086 3948488. Closing date for receipt of boxes is **Friday 11th November.**

COOKERY DEMONSTRATION DAY: A Cookery Demo Day will be held in Naas on Saturday 22nd October from 10am to 4.30pm in Aid of the Prader Willis Syndrome Association. (<u>www.pwai.ie</u>). Cost €70 per person to include dinner. Max eight people. Further details from Vourneen at 086 813 8821.

Is someone's drinking affecting your life? Al-Anon can help?

Meetings every Monday night at 8.15pm in Parish Centre, Ballycane. Wednesdays at 8.30pm in Parish Centre, Newbridge, Ph 431394 and Thursdays in Arás Bríd, Parish Centre, Kildare, Ph 521352.

<u>Naas Active Retirement Association</u> next meeting on Wednesday, 19th October 2011 at 2pm in the Naas Community Centre, Sallins Road.

Lost: Hearing Aid lost between Library and Main Street, Naas on Saturday 8th Oct. Ph 085 1544224

BEREAVED? NEED TO TALK? WANT TO TALK! QUALIFIED COUNSELLORS ARE AVAILABLE EVERY THURSDAY NIGHT IN:

Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane from 8pm to 10pm.
For more information phone: 045/895629 or 086 8554852.

This service is free confidential and non denominational.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

A A meetings are now held in Naas Parish Community Centre on the Sallins Road on:

Monday & Thursday nights at 8.30pm;

Tuesdays at 1pm; Saturdays at 7.30pm.

Details from Frank: 087/9326374

General Notices

A Sincere <u>Thank You</u> to all who collected for and contributed to "Touch" recent flag day and church street collection which raised \in 2441.

<u>Eadestown Parish Day Retreat</u> takes place in Kerdiffstown House on Saturday coming, 22nd October from 10am—6pm. For more information phone Frank at 087 2882880.

<u>Autism Assistance Dogs Ireland</u> are holding a 7K Fun Run/Walk on Sunday 23rd October starting from Swan Dowlings Bar, Newbridge Road at 1pm and finishing at Swan Dowlings. For more information or to order your entrants pack phone Gráinne at 087 7971134

Anam Cara is a national voluntary organisation set up by bereaved parents in direct response to the lack of support services for bereaved families throughout Ireland. It is an inclusive organisation where parents do not identify themselves by their children's age or how they died, or if their death was recent or many years ago. There is no ideal age or way to experience the death of your child, it goes against nature, parents are supposed to outlive their children. It provides a range of support services which include website, private message forums for parents and adult siblings, Professional Bereavement talks, family social and remembrance events. Anam Cara is facilitating a Professional Bereavement Talk in the Maldron Midway Hotel, Portlaoise on Thursday 27th October 2011 from 7.30pm-9.30pm. This event is open to all bereaved parents. As we need to confirm numbers for room set up, we would appreciate if you could RSVP to info@anamcara.ie before 26th October 2011, or call 01 4045378. Information line 085 2 888 888.

Anam Cara's National Awareness day and "Balloon to Remember" event is taking place on 2nd November 2011. Remember those who have experienced the loss of a child in a special way visit www.anamcara.ie

ADORE Youth Eucharistic Conference for young adults 18+ takes place form 2nd-4th November in St Eunan's College, Letterkenny, Co Donegal. ADORE will encourage a deeper knowledge of faith and a Eucharistic centred lifestyle with inspiring talks, live music, role play, workshops, Confessions, Holy Mass, Adoration, Eucharistic Procession and the living Rosary. To book or for further details log on to www.mhccrusaders.com In the words of a past participant "this experience has been unique, spiritual and best of all fun!!" This is a conference not to be missed.

MISSION ALERT



Mission Sunday comes only once a year. On this special day we are given the opportunity to express our unity with and support to Christian communities everywhere.

World Mission Ireland provides spiritual and practical assistance to the Church's mission worldwide. "Together in Faith" we can all play an active role in helping more than 1,100 dioceses and communities globally. This is the Church in action — communities supporting communities.

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

Support is needed by prayer as well as financially. On Mission Sunday, 23rd October 2011 please pray for the universal missions of the Church and give as generously as you can to the Mission Sunday Collection. Every cent of the money donated to this collection goes into a universal fund and is distributed to the missions most in need.

All aid is greatly appreciated by communities less fortunate than ourselves and "Together in Faith" may we continue to spread the good news in God's name.

Mission Sunday Annual Collection – 23rd October 2011 Or Donations can be sent to: World Missions, Ireland, 4 Lower Rathmines Road, Dublin 6.