

Naas, Sallins and Two Mile House

Summer Newsletter

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) 1st August 2010

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Summer Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7.30a.m 10a.m.	7.30am 10am 10am Sallins	7.30am 10am	7.30am 10am 10am Sallins	7.30am 10am	10am 11am (Ballycane)
7.30pm (Ballycane)	No Evening Mass	7.30pm (Parish Church)	No Evening Mass	7pm (TMH)	

Please note: There will be no 7.30am Mass on Bank Holiday Monday 2nd August. The Saturday Evening and Sunday Mass Schedule is as usual.

TRUE TREASURE....

The parable Jesus tells in today's Gospel might have been shocking to his listeners, (in the Palestine of Jesus' time to have wealth was seen as a sign of God's favour, yet in the story Jesus is warning people against avarice, the desire to accumulate wealth) but it is no less shocking for us today. After all, the society and world we live in tell us that life is about money and material things and having as much of these as possible.

How do we define success in our world today?

What criteria do we commonly use?

To be successful is to make it onto the Sunday Times Rich List, it's to own or to have invested in property in the right places, it's to feature regularly in the gossip columns and magazines that follow the lives of the rich and famous.

And if we don't meet this definition of success, if we're not rich, we can at least dream about it and work for it. We can buy lottery tickets in the hope we will strike it lucky; we can gamble; we can work 24/7 to try and build up our business; we can play the stock exchange in the hope that we will win big.

All of this can be okay so long as we do not forget the point that Jesus makes today. There is only one prize worth going for, one treasure we must seek above all else - and that is to love God and to do God's will. If we do that, when we do that, then we will be rich indeed!

FEAST AND MEMORIAL DAYS DURING THE COMING WEEK:

Wednesday 4th: St John Vianney, priest

Friday 6th: The Transfiguration of the Lord

THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY WELCOMES YOU WITH GREAT JOY!

Naas:

Brandon Brain Cully, Sarto Raod

Adam Roche, Cluain Aoibhinn

Niamh Molly Corcoran, Oldwood, Oldtown

Cal John Dearg Kehoe, Dun Dara, Osberstown



THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

For those requesting the Sacrament of Baptism two weeks notice is required.

For details from the Parish website.

GAA Lotto Results:

Sallins :

26/07 Jackpot €2,200 No Winner. Numbers 11-13-32
VENUE 3/8 THE MILL; JACKPOT €2,350

Naas:

22/07 (6-13-15-23) No Winner!! Jackpot: €12,850

Next Marriage Preparation Course takes place on 17th & 18th September. Courses are held in the meeting Rooms at the Church of the Irish Marytrs, Ballycane. Application Forms from the Parish Office, Sallins Road.

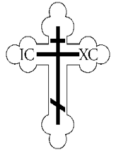
FINANCE:

Sallins:	Envelopes: €595	Baskets: €560
Naas:	Development Fund:	€3,329
	Offertory:	€3,385
Two Mile House:		€451

“THOSE WHO DIE IN GRACE GO BUT TO GOD

AND GOD IS VERY NEAR”

**KITTY KEANE,
CRADDOCK HOUSE.**



MAY SHE REST IN PEACE

SALLINS:

The Parish Office is closed and will reopen on Tuesday 10th August at 10.00am.

Sick and Housebound will be visited on Thursday next 5th August.

Daily Masses will be celebrated on Tuesdays & Thursdays only @ 10.00am until the end of August

Sallins Community Festival takes place next weekend Friday 6th– Sunday 8th August. The Festival Committee is still short of help especially for the Field Day on Sunday 8th. If you can give your time please contact Carmel at 086 8268884 or Mary at 086 6024260 as soon as possible. Festival Mass takes place at 10am on Sunday 8th and a coffee morning is organised after. **All welcome. email sallinsfestival@gmail.com website: www.sallins4u.com**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction on Friday coming, 6th August at 8pm.

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

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

Dr. Andrew O’Connell will speak to this years Confirmation classes & their parents on Tuesday 12th October.

NAAS:

Parish Office Sallins Road is closed and will re-open on Monday 9th August.

Parish Office Ballycane will be closed from Friday 6th August until Wednesday 25th Aug.

There will be no newsletter next weekend Sunday 8th.

First Friday 6th August**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

As usual on First Fridays there will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Church of our Lady and Saint David, Sallins Rd after 10.00am Mass until 6pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Church of our Lady & St. David: Thursday after 10am Mass. Friday 9.30am—10am and after 10am Mass.

Communion to the Housebound:

Fr Jimmy Doyle, Fr Brickley, Fr Dempsey, Fr. Bogdan and Fr. Lennon will visit the housebound as usual.

Cemetery Mass in St Corban’s Cemetery

takes place on **Wednesday 18th August** at **7.30pm** (there will be no evening mass in the Parish Church on this evening). A reminder to attend to family graves during the summer

NAAS AND TWO MILE HOUSE PILGRIMAGE TO

LOURDES from 16th to 23rd August 2010. Cost €785, full board per person sharing twin room. Deposit €150 per person. Priest Leaders; Fr Jimmy Doyle & Fr Liam Comer. Bookings at Abbey Travel Naas; phone 045 897756. **Small number of seats available.**

Marian Movement Ceneacle meets every month in the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane at 10.20am. Next meeting , Saturday 7th August. All Welcome.

GENERAL:

Naas Care of the Aged 55 + Bowling Club are seeking new members. Re-opening on Friday 6th August at 8pm . If interested please phone Helen at 087 2693188 or Marie at 045 879720.

Worlds Largest Charity Walk.. The Organisers would like to invite you to take part in this event which takes place in Rathcoole on Saturday 7th August from 10am—6pm. Join us any time of the day and walk one mile in aid of the **Irish Cancer Society. €10 per adult and all childrens activities are free when mam or dad walk 1 mile. More details at www.largestcharitywalk.com**

Adult Education-Night Classes at Pipers Hill College, Killashee, Naas. Brochures available soon. Enrolment online from August 3rd. See www.kildarevec.ie.