



**NAAS
SALLINS
TWO MILE HOUSE
NEWSLETTER**



Mass Times: Our Lord Jesus Christ, Universal King (Year C)

<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

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

A Servant King

There was great joy in the UK this week as the engagement between Prince William and Kate Middleton was announced. The media attention will be intense on the couple as their wedding plans are revealed over the coming weeks and months. It is expected that at least one billion people will watch the royal wedding when it happens next year. Many have welcomed the news as it has provided a welcome respite from the unrelenting gloomy news we have been exposed to in recent times. There is great interest around the royals, especially this young couple as one day Prince William will ascend the throne. There is a certain mystique around a king. No doubt the life of a king has its duties and challenges, but they tend to live in a different type of world from most ordinary people. They live in palaces and are waited upon in every detail.

Today, as Church, we also celebrate the life of a King. However it is a very different model of kingship from what the modern world is fascinated with. It is a kingship the world is not too interested in. Today we celebrate the servant King, Jesus Christ. Jesus showed what his Kingship was all about; not palaces, thrones and possessions, but service, love and compassion. Jesus showed the fullness of his servant Kingship when he gave his life on the cross for all people.

Today, as the Church's year draws to a close, we give thanks for the witness, love and example Jesus Christ, the Universal King has given to us. We pray that we too might imitate some of that love and service in our own dealings with others.

(Next week we begin the Season of Advent, the four weeks of preparation for Christmas!)

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Sunday, Monday and Tuesday: Fr Bogdan
Wednesday and Thursday: Fr Brickley
Friday and Saturday: Fr Dempsey

PARISH OFFICE, NAAS

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

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Opening Hours: Mon-Fri 10am-1pm

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Opening Hours; Tuesday & Thursday
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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.

FEAST AND MEMORIAL DAYS DURING THE COMING WEEK:

Monday 22nd: St Cecilia, virgin and martyr
Tuesday 23rd: St Columban, abbot and missionary
Wednesday 24th: Ss Andrew Dung-Lac, priest, and Companions, martyrs.
Thursday 25th: St Catherine of Alexandria, virgin and martyr

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

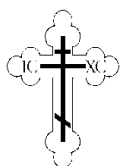
David Bruce, Willow Grove, Sallins

Kevin Keane, The Maudlins

Freddie Koenig, Monread Close

Mary Devane, Turnings, Straffan

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE



THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY WELCOMES
YOU WITH GREAT JOY!

Naas:

Conor Rhys Murtagh, Lakelands
Tristan Alexander J Kelly, The Park
Ewan Brendan Delaney, The Paddocks
Ryan Séan McDonnell, Aylmer Park
Eric John Holland, Morell Drive
Ned Liam Keogh, Oldtown Heights
Finn Patrick O'Brien, Monread Hgts
Thomas Paul Brereton, Allenwood Sth
Oisín Jack Malone, Kerdiff Close

Sallins:

Donncha Gerard O'Dwyer, Osberstown
Lorenzo Leonard, Oldbridge Way

Two Mile House:

Orlaith Mary Murphy, Stephenstown Court

THE 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



Parish Finances:

Sallins: Baskets: € 802
Envelopes: € 465
Naas: Development Fund: €3,723
Offertory: €3,878
Two Mile House: € 993

Grateful thanks to all who support our collections.

GAA Lotto:

Sallins: 15/11 Jackpot €1,000: No winner : Numbers:
6-11-30: 22/11 Venue: Railway Inn Jackpot €1,150

Naas: 11/11 No winner: Numbers: 4-16-17-25: Next
weeks Jackpot €3,950

Spotto /Ballycane Celtic: 15/11: No Winner: Numbers:
10-18-22-23. Next weeks jackpot €2,100

Sallins Parish News

Advent Dues in support of the priests of the Parish will take place next weekend (orange envelope).

The Rosary will be recited immediately after the 10am Mass each Tuesday during the month of November.

Meeting of all New and Existing Eucharistic Ministers in Sallins takes place in the Church at 7.30pm on Wednesday coming, 24th November.

Sallins GAA: A.G.M. on Thursday coming, 25th November at 7.30pm.

There will be No Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction on Friday coming, 26th Nov.

Sallins Conference of St Vincent de Paul will be selling their Christmas Cards at all masses this week-end 20th/21st November. The Conference may be contacted at 085 7052294.

Confirmation Enrolment/Preparation will take place at all Masses next weekend, 27th/28th November.

Naas Parish News

Advent Collection for the Priests of the Parish will take place at all Masses next weekend, 27th and 28th November.

Please place your (blue) envelope with your contribution into the basket for the Offertory collection (2nd collection at Mass). Alternatively, you can make your contribution along with the Offertory collection.

Adoration There will be **no** adoration in the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane on:

Thursday 25th November and
Tuesday, 7th December 2010.

Preparation for Christmas. You are invited to pray and study the Advent Sunday readings each Tuesday, commencing Tuesday coming 23rd November from 10.45am –11.30am in the Naas Parish Centre Sallins Road (behind Veritas Shop). Sr Peggy Cleary will lead the sessions. All very welcome.

ST PIO PRAYER GROUP next meeting on Tuesday coming, 23rd November at 7.10pm in the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane. All welcome

Divine Mercy Prayer Group immediately after the 7.30pm Mass on this coming Wednesday, the 24th November in Church of Our Lady and St David, Sallins Road.

Naas Active Retirement Group next meeting, Monday coming, 22nd November at 1.30pm in the Naas Community Centre, Sallins Road.

Concern Christmas Street Collection takes place on Thursday & Friday, 2nd & 3rd December.

Naas Flower & Garden Club Charity Gala Night in support of St Brigid's Hospice, Kildare takes place tomorrow, Monday 22nd November at 7.45pm in St. Mary's College, Sallins Rd, Naas. Tickets €15, including refreshments.

Did you know that you can now read the current parish newsletter as well as back issues online??? Just log on to www.naasparish.ie and click on "current parish newsletter" or "parish newsletter past issues."

Mass of Remembrance: On this Thursday evening 25th Nov at 7.30pm we celebrate Mass in Remembrance of all our parishioners who went home to the Lord since this time last year. This Mass will take place in the Church of Our Lady and St. David on the Sallins Road. Please note that there will be **no** Mass in the Church of the Irish Martyrs on this evening.

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.

The Priests of the Parish will offer Masses during the month of November for all on the Altar Dead List.

Two Mile House Parish News

First Communion Children: Today we have our “*Do This in Memory*” Mass with the 1st Communion Children and their families.

Confirmation Meeting: A meeting for all Confirmation parents (Two Mile House and Killashee) will take place on Tuesday evening next, 23rd November at 8pm in Two Mile House School.

Development Group of the P.P.C.: Meeting will take place in Fr. Paul’s on this coming Thursday evening, 25TH November at 7.30pm.

General Notices

Advent Retreat for Readers, Homolists, Liturgy Groups etc at Mount St Anne’s Retreat Centre, Killenard on the 1st December 2010. Registration at 7.45pm. Booking, essential, by 29th November. Phone 059 9164084 or e-mail: fds@kandle.ie

Newbridge College November Remembrance and Requiem Mass, on Thursday 25th November at 8.00pm in the Oratory of the Dominican Church, Newbridge College. This liturgy will be celebrated for all those with a connection with the College over the years as staff, student, or in any capacity whatsoever. All are most welcome to take part especially those who have worked, volunteered or studied in the College and to their families, relatives, neighbours, friends. For more info contact Fr Fergus Ryan, o.p. at the College at 045 487200.

Youth 2000 Prayer Group at the Dominican Church, Newbridge, for young people in their 20s and 30s has relaunched recently on Thursdays’ from 8.00pm-9.00pm, in the Oratory of the Dominican Church, Newbridge College, Newbridge. Exposition, rosary, singing, reflection on the following Sunday’s gospel reading. Tea/coffee and chat afterwards. Why not give an hour a week in preparation for Christmas?

Kildare Branch Arthritis Ireland meeting on Thursday 25th November at 8pm sharp in Lumville House, The Curragh. More details from Claire at 045/433803 or John at 045/431399.

“Its a Wonderful Life” ...Old Movie Night Fundraiser in aid of Nepal Leprosy Trust on Saturday, 27th November at 7pm in the Old Dara Cinemas, Main Street, Naas.

Kildare Branch of Multiple Sclerosis are holding their annual church street collection in Naas next week end 27th/28th November. Please note that help in needed for this collection. If you can help please ph 086 4021840.

Diabetes Federation of Ireland Kildare Branch are holding an **Information Meeting** on Thursday, 2nd December at 7.30pm in the Boardroom, Naas Hospital.

Christmas Concert with the Nás na Rí Singers on Sunday 5th December at the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane....donation to St Vincent de Paul. Tickets available from Choir Members and Barker & Jones, Naas.

Christmas Carols and Seasonal Inspiration with Baldonnell Singers and guests at St David’s Church of Ireland, Naas on Saturday 11th December at 8pm. Tickets from Top Twenty and Parish Office, Sallins Road.

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