



## Mass Times: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ(Year A) John: 6: 51-58

<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	



## **Corpus Christi**

The Eucharist is at the very heart of the life of the Church. It is through the Eucharist that the life of the Church flows. The Second Vatican Council taught us that the Eucharist is the "summit and source" of our life as Christians. When we reflect upon the Eucharist we realise we are touching the immense depth of God's love for us in Jesus Christ, a very deep mystery that we can never fully grasp. The Church teaches that Christ is present to us in the

celebration of the Eucharist in four different ways; in the people gathered, in the Word proclaimed, in the consecrated bread and wine and in the celebrant, who acts in "Persona Christi" (in the person of Christ).

Jesus gave us the gift of the Eucharist to assure us of his love and presence with us always. In the three Synoptic Gospels (Matthew, Mark and Luke), we hear the account of how Jesus took the bread, blessed it, broke it and shared it among his disciples saying; "This is my body, given up for you…" He did the same with the cup filled with wine, as he shared it he said; "This is my blood poured out for you… Do this in memory of me…" Interestingly John's Gospel does not mention this, instead John's Gospel gives us the account of Jesus washing his disciples' feet (it is the Gospel chosen by the Church for Holy Thursday, the Mass of the Lord's Supper).

The message rooted in the Gospels and in Church teaching is that Jesus is truly and really present to us in the Eucharist. Jesus is present in the people gathered, the Word of God, the celebrant and in a special way in the consecrated bread and wine which we believe is the body and blood of Christ. However the challenge of the Eucharist doesn't stop there, it must flow out into our daily lives. The Gospels and the Church also teach that we must live the Eucharist in the way we treat others, this is the significance of Jesus' gesture of service, symbolised in the washing of feet, emphasised in John's Gospel.

On this Feast of Corpus Christi, may the Lord increase our faith in the Eucharist and may he help us live it in the way we treat others.



#### Thought for the Week;

"The Eucharistic Mystery stands at the heart of the liturgy since it is the fount of life by which we are cleansed and strengthened to live not for ourselves but for God and to be united in love among ourselves." *Pope Paul VI* 

### Naas-Sallins-Two Mile House-Parish Team

Fr. John Brickley Parochial House, Naas Ph: 045 897703
Fr P.J. Madden Curates House, Naas Ph: 045 949576
Fr Kevin Walsh Sallins Ph 045 879730

Fr. Bogdan Wawrzaszek 142 Hazelmere, Naas Ph: 045 879792

**Two Mile House** 

**Priest on Duty:** 085 7088407

#### PARISH OFFICE, NAAS AND SALLINS

Fr. Paul Dempsey

(Sallins Road): Ph 879730; Fax 894287 Opening Hours: Mon-Fri 10am-5pm

BALLYCANE OFFICE: Ph 895629
Opening Hours: Mon-Fri 10am-1pm
SACRISTY, Church of Our Lady and St David:

(during Mass times) Ph: 856925

SACRISTY, Church of the Irish Martyrs: Ph: 895629

Parish Website: www.naasparish.ie

Naas Parish Email: naasparishoffice@gmail.com
Facebook: www.facebook.com/naasparish

Naas Parish Twitter: @naasparish

Sallins Parish Email: sallinsparishoffice@gmail.com

**Diocesan Website:** www.kandle.ie

<u>Confessions</u>: 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.

Ph: 045 876160

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

Naas:

Patrick Sheridan, St Corbans Pl.

May he rest in peace

# THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY WELCOMES YOU WITH GREAT JOY!

#### Naas:

Tiana Letitia Anderson, Lacken View Amelie Juliet Byrne, Gleann Na Riogh Grove

#### **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

# 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. Spiritual Director Fr John Brickley. 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.

#### **Parish Finances:**

<u>Sallins</u>: Baskets: €744 Envelopes: €380 <u>Naas</u>: Offertory: €3,675: Dev Fund: €3,759

Two Mile House: €440

### 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

**Cemetery Mass** St Corbans Cemetery Mass will take place on Wednesday 20th August at 7.30pm. There will be <u>No</u> evening Mass at the Church of The Irish Martyrs, Ballycane on this evening.

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

Sunday 22nd: Corpus Christi

Friday 27th: The Most Sacred Heart Of Jesus Saturday 28th: Immaculate Heart of Mary

# **Sallins Parish News**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Tuesday coming, 24th June from 10.30am-11am.

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

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

<u>Parish Pastoral Council</u> next meeting on Wednesday coming 25th at 7.30pm in The Parish House.

## **Naas Parish News**

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

The Parish Office Sallins Road will be closed on Monday 23rd June.

Naas Active Retirement Assoc members only meeting on Wednesday 25th at 2pm in the Community Centre

**Thank You** Naas Care of the Aged Committee would like to thank all who collected and contributed to their recent flag day. Your support is very much appreciated. *Bingo* takes place every Tuesday night in the Centre at 8.30pm.

St Vincent de Paul Society Naas helpline phone number 045 897306

**Booking Anniversary Masses;** In order to make sure names are included for Anniversary Masses we kindly ask that people would contact the Parish Office, Sallins Rd or Ballycane office at their earliest convenience (at least a week in advance) The Anniversary Mass list is completed on Friday for the following week's Masses.

# **Two Mile House Parish News**

<u>Corpus</u> <u>Christi</u> Today we welcome all the First Holy Communion Children to celebrate the special Feast Day of Corpus Christi. We will finish Mass with a special blessing of the children at the altar in the graveyard.

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

<u>Parish Pastoral Council</u> 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.

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

### **Summer Schedule of Masses**;

The new weekday Summer Schedule of Masses will commence from Monday 30th June:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7.30am	7.30am	7.30am	7.30am	7.30am	
OLSD	OLSD	OLSD	OLSD	OLSD	
10am OLSD	10am OLSD 10am Sallins	10am OLSD	10am OLSD 10am Sallins	10am OLSD	10am OLSD 11am Ballycane
7.30pm	No Evening	7.30pm	No Evening	7pm Two Mile	
Ballycane	Mass	Ballycane	Mass	House	

<u>Please Note:</u> Saturday Evening and Sunday Mass Schedule is as usual.

#### NAAS PARISH LOTTO

# €2, 750 that's the Jackpot in Naas Parish Lotto on Wednesday coming, 25th June. Have you got your ticket?

There was No winner of the Jackpot on Wednesday last, 18th June. **The numbers drawn were 4–8–15–19.** You can still join the Parish Lotto by purchasing an Annual Ticket at &690. 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 &68 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 686 635994.

Remember, you can join the Parish Lotto at any time, it is only  $\[mathebox{\ensuremath{$\epsilon$}}\]$  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.

I wish to purchase an	Annual Ticket in Naas Par	rish Lotto and enclose herewith €90 for sa	me.
Name:			
Address:			
Contact No:		Mob:	
Email:			
		ND 28, INCLUSIVE, AND WRITE THEM IN WILL BE INCLUDED IN ALL WEEKLY D	

### **General Notices**

<u>Naas Lough Derg Pilgrimage</u> from 4th – 6th July. Phone Michael Sammon at 087 6697902. Pick up in Naas <u>Mothers Prayers</u> at the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane on Wednesdays at 8.15pm.

<u>Catechism</u> <u>For Adults</u> The Irish Catholic Catechism for Adults is a new resource from the Irish Episcopal Conference. Designed to complement the Catechism of the Catholic Church, it is adapted for an Irish audience and written in accessible, easy-to-understand language. It is now available to purchase from the Veritas shop.

School Books Sale Buy and sell second hand secondary school books and uniforms on Monday 7th July from 2-5pm in Naas Community Centre. Buyers FREE. Sellers €10 to book a table to sell your books/uniforms. Limited number of tables. Advance booking advised. Sellers fees will be donated to St. Vincent de Paul. Donations of current books/uniforms will also be accepted on the day and sold on behalf of St. Vincent de Paul. Enquiries/bookings to naasbooksale@gmail.com or by phone 089 /2263797

**Lost:** Pair of prescribed Sunglasses (Purple) lost in OLSD Church on Sunday 15th June phone 086/8395295 if found.

#### **Lotto Results:**

Naas United FC: 16/6 Numbers2-3-24-26; No winner; Jackpot 23/6 €1,500.

Sallins GAA: 16/6 Jackpot €1,700 Numbers; 2 –17 –31. 1 winner; Venue 23/6 The Railway Inn; Jackpot €1,000

Naas GAA: 12/6 Jackpot €6,550: Numbers 15-19-23-28;

No winner: Next week's Jackpot €6,550

# ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS Naas Group

A A meetings are now held in the Prefab at St David's Church on Main Street, Naas: Monday & Thursday nights at 8.30pm; Naas Community Centre, Sallins Road, Tuesdays and Fridays at 1pm; Saturdays at 7.30pm. For further details outside these times ph Murt 087/7736156 May @ 085/7287828