



# NAAS SALLINS TWO MILE HOUSE NEWSLETTER



**Mass Times: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time( Year B) Gospel: Mark 10: 46-52**

Church	Weekdays		Sundays
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

### *From the mouth of babes...*

One day a little girl was sitting and watching her mother do the dishes at the kitchen sink. She suddenly noticed that her mother had several strands of white hair sticking out in contrast on her brunette head. She looked at her mother and inquisitively asked, 'Why are some of your hairs white, Mum?' Her mother replied, 'Well, every time that you do something wrong and make me cry or unhappy, one of my hairs turns white.' The little girl thought about this revelation for a while and then said, 'Mummy, how come ALL of grandma's hairs are white?'

The children had all been photographed and the teacher was trying to persuade them each to buy a copy of the group picture. 'Just think how nice it will be to look at it when you are all grown up and say, 'There's Jennifer, she's a lawyer,' or 'That's Michael, he's a doctor.' A small voice at the back of the room rang out, 'And there's the teacher, she's dead.'

A teacher was giving a lesson on the circulation of the blood. Trying to make the matter clearer, she said, 'Now, class, if I stood on my head, the blood, as you know, would run into it, and I would turn red in the face.' 'Yes,' the class said. 'Then why is it that while I am standing upright in the ordinary position the blood doesn't run into my feet?' A little fellow shouted, 'Cause your feet ain't empty.'

The children were lined up in the cafeteria of a Catholic elementary school for lunch. At the head of the table was a large pile of apples. The nun made a note, and posted it on the apple tray: 'Take only ONE. God is watching!' Moving further along the lunch line, at the other end of the table was a large pile of chocolate chip cookies. A child had written a note, 'Take all you want. God is watching the apples.'

**Thought for the Week.....Every human life is beautiful, every human life is precious. Choose Life!**



When we say that human life is sacred we are recognising something that is sensed not only by religious people but by everyone who appreciates the wonder of human life. Choose Life!

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Fr P. J. Madden: Ph 045 897260

## **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”***

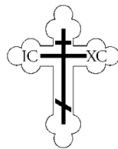
### **NAAS:**

Martin Lackey, Sarto Road  
Aidan Cullen, Oldtown Demesne

### **Sallins:**

Joe Geraghty formerly of Dublin and  
late of St Brigid's Terrace.

***MAY THEY REST IN PEACE***



**THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY WELCOMES  
YOU WITH GREAT JOY!**

### **Naas:**

Sophie Mary Buckley, Craddockstown Park  
Hazel Anne O'Rourke, Woodlands

### **Sallins:**

Carly C Kavanagh Coyle, Castlefen  
Amy Aine Kenny, Prospect  
Ruby Catherine Archbold Bennett,  
Hunters Wood



## **GAA Lotto:**

**Sallins:** 22/10 Jackpot €2,500; Numbers 9-14-25; One  
winner; Venue 29/10 The Mill; Jackpot €1,000

**Naas:** 18/10 Jackpot €5,050: Numbers 1-3-5-10; No  
winner: Next weeks' Jackpot €5,200.

**Splotto/Ballycane Celtic:** 21/10 Numbers 13-18-26-  
27 No Winner: Jackpot 28/10 €6,000

**Naas United FC:** 21/10 Numbers: 8-12-14-28; No  
winner Jackpot 28/10 €3,000 Re-start Jackpot €2,500

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](http://www.naasparish.ie) click on  
“current parish newsletter” or  
“parish newsletter past issues.”

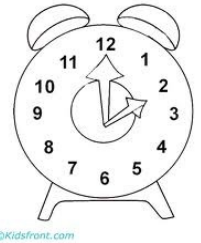
## **Parish Finances:**

<b><u>Sallins:</u></b>	<b>Baskets:</b>	€ 1,004
	<b>Envelopes:</b>	€ 355
<b><u>Naas:</u></b>	<b>Offertory:</b>	€3,000
	<b>Development Fund:</b>	€3,654
<b><u>Two Mile House:</u></b>		€ 326

**FEAST & MEMORIAL DAYS FOR THE COMING WEEK:**

**Monday 29th:** St Colman, bishop  
**Thursday 1st:** Feast of All Saints...Holy Day  
**Friday 2nd:** The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed.  
**Saturday 3rd:** St Malachy, bishop

**Don't forget!!!!**  
**Winter Time starts from 2am Sunday morning... clock goes back 1 hour.**



## Sallins Parish News

**FEAST OF ALL SAINTS, THURSDAY 1ST NOVEMBER. HOLY DAY MASS TIMES: 10AM AND 7.30PM**

**FIRST FRIDAY, 2ND NOVEMBER:** Fr Declan will bring Communion to the sick and those at home on Thursday morning coming, 1st November.

**Eucharistic Devotion** takes place on Tuesday morning between 10.30am and 11.30am.

**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.

**Bodenstown Cemetery:** Blessing of the Graves will take place at 11am on Sunday 11th November.

**Sallins Conference of St Vincent de Paul:** Contact phone number 085 7052294.

**Sallins Youth Club is back** on every Wednesday from 7.30pm – 9pm. All Sallins students attending Secondary School are most welcome. Also need volunteers ! Contact Carmel 0868268884

**Christmas Team Hope Shoebox Appeal** If you would like to donate a box this year or need more details phone Adrienne at 086 3948488. You can leave your box/s in the Parish Office, Sallins during opening hours or in the Sacristy. Closing date for receipt of boxes is Friday 9th November 2012.

## Naas Parish News

**Mass Times for Feast of All Saints, 1st November**

**Our Lady and St David's Church:** 7.30am and 10am.

**The Irish Martyrs Church:** 7.30pm Vigil (Wed)  
12.15pm and 7.30pm

**Afternoon Retreat**

with Fr Moling Lennon  
in the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane on  
Sunday 4th November  
at 2.30pm concluding with Holy Mass. All welcome.



St Joseph's Young Priest Society  
next meeting Wednesday coming,  
31st October at 8pm in the Parish Centre at the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane.

**There will be no 7.30am Mass on Bank Holiday Monday 29th.**

**Winter Closing Time**  
For safety and security reasons during the winter it is necessary to close the Church of Our Lady and St David at 4pm with effect from Monday coming, 29th October.

**FIRST FRIDAY 2nd November 2012**

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

There will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Church of Our Lady and St. David, Sallins Road, after 10am Mass until 4pm

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

**Church of Our Lady and St David:**

Thursday after 10am Mass; Friday 9.30am-10am and after 10am Mass.

**Church of the Irish Martyrs:**

Penitential Service will be incorporated in the 7.30pm Mass on Friday 2nd.

**Communion to the Housebound**

Fr Brickley, Fr Madden, Fr Dempsey, Fr Bogdan and Fr. Lennon will visit the housebound as usual. Fr Declan will also make his visits on Friday starting at 10am.

**Divine Mercy Prayer Group** takes place immediately after the 7.30pm Mass in the Irish Martyrs Church, Ballycane on Wednesday coming, 31st October. All very welcome.

**Marian Movement Cenacle** meets every month in the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane at 10.20am. The next meeting is on Saturday, 3rd November. All welcome.

**Naas Active Retirement Association** next meeting Wednesday coming, 31st October at 2pm in the Naas Community Centre, Sallins Road.

## **NAAS CONTINUED:**

**Naas Local History Group:** Prayers in Famine Graveyard, Craddockstown Road at 3pm on Saturday 3rd Nov. November talk entitled "The Watch House" takes place on Tuesday next, 6th November at 7.45pm in Naas Community Library. All Welcome.

**I.C.A.** Ladies are you interested in forming a new guild in Naas? A meeting will take place on Wednesday, 31st October at 8.30pm in St David's Church of Ireland, Naas. All Welcome. Contact Ita at 087-2024096 (Liaison Officer) or Ann Fleming at 085-1455002 (Information Officer)

## **Two Mile House Parish News**

**Feast of All Saints;** Mass will be celebrated at 9.30am in St. Peter's on Thursday coming, the 1st of November. Mass for All Souls as usual on Friday evening coming at 7pm on 2nd November.

**Mass of Remembrance** will take place on Sunday, 18th of November at 11am in St. Peter's, followed by the blessing of graves. During the mass we will remember by name those parishioners from Two Mile House who have gone home to God since this time last year. We would also like to remember loved ones of any parishioners who have been bereaved during the year. If you would like the name of someone included in this mass, please let our sacristan, Patricia or Fr. Paul know as soon as possible.

## **General Notices**

### **Annual Cemetery Walking Pilgrimage**

**On Sunday next, 4th November, our annual walking pilgrimage visiting the cemeteries of Naas takes place. All are welcome to join in some or all of our journey. Assembling 1.30pm sharp at **Famine Graveyard**, Craddockstown Road, beside Old County Council Offices.**

**Abbey Cemetery**, behind Moat in centre of town.

Assemble at 2pm.

**St David's Church Graveyard**, Main Street.

Assemble at 2.20pm.

**Nun's Graveyard** at Sallins Road Church.

Assemble at 2.35pm.

**Maudlins Cemetery**, Dublin Road.

Assemble at 3.10pm.

**St Corbans Cemetery.**

Assemble at 3.30pm.

**For Rosary, prayers and blessing of Graves**

**Coffee Morning for World Prematurity Day** — 17th of November 2012. To mark World Prematurity Day we are asking people to hold a coffee morning on Friday 16th or Saturday 17th November to help the charity continue supporting & helping those in need. Our charity is run solely by volunteers so all the funds raised go directly to helping families and babies directly. For your tea/coffee/goodie pack you can contact fundraising@irishprematurebabies.com and join us in helping the tiniest and sickest babies in Ireland.

**The Big C Concert** will take place in April 2013. Rehearsals continue in Caragh Parish Church on Wednesday coming 7th November at 8pm. For more information you can contact Christine at 087 0547213 or Lisa at 086 3914152. All proceeds to cancer research.

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**Relay For Life** is a 24 hour community event that celebrates Cancer Survivors; Remembers those whom we have lost; Fights Back against the disease by raising awareness and funds for the Irish Cancer Society. Relay for Life is coming to Naas in 2013. There will be an open meeting on Tuesday, 13 November at 8pm in Ballycane Church, to find out more about this fantastic event and how you can get involved. For more information about Relay for Life see: www.cancer.ie/relayforlife and www.facebook.com/RelayForLifeKildare

**Gala Evening** presented by the Defence Forces Training Centre Curragh Camp featuring the Baldonnell Singers and the Army No1 Band with special guests takes place on Sunday, 4th November at 8pm in St Brigid's Church, Curragh Camp. Tickets from Naas Parish Office, Sallins Rd or the Curragh Military Museum at 045 445342.