

### Mass Times: Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time (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

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

#### Returning to God:

As we go in life we become increasingly aware of how fleeting life is and how precarious is our hold over it. In spite of ourselves we become familiar with the thought of death. But this need not be a negative or morbid thing. In fact, it can be a very positive thing. Thinking about death can result in a true love of life. When we are familiar with death, we accept each day as a gift. And when we accept life bit by bit like this, it becomes very precious.

We are born in exile and die there too.

As soon as we set sail on the great voyage of life, we begin our return.

When we die,

we do not so much go to God as return to him.

Like homesick cranes that fly night and day

back to their mountain nests,

So let all our lives take their voyage to you, O Lord.

For you have made us for yourself,

and our hearts will never rest, until they rest in you.

Only those who have flown home to You have flown at all.

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PARISH OFFICE, NAAS

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Wed: 10am-1pm: Lunch 1-2pm **Diocesan Website: kandle.ie** 

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Opening Hours: Mon-Fri 10am-1pm

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Opening Hours; Tuesday & Thursday

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN;

PARISH DESIGNATED PERSONS:

10am to 1pm Caroline Quinn (Naas); Sheila Pyke (Sallins)

**SACRISTY**, Church of Our Lady and St David: Mary Valentine (Two-Mile-House).

(during Mass times) **Ph: 856925 SACRISTY,** Church of the Irish Martyrs:

They can be contacted through the Parish

Ph: 895629 Office, Sallins Road, Naas. Phone 045 879730.

#### FEAST AND MEMORIAL DAYS DURING THE COMING WEEK:

**Tuesday 9th:** Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Wednesday 10th: St Leo the Great, pope and doctor of the Church

Thursday 11th: St Martin of Tours, bishop

Friday 12th: St Josaphat, bishop and martyr

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

Mai Deegan, St David's Terrace

MAY SHE REST IN PEACE

# THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY WELCOMES YOU WITH GREAT JOY!

**Priest on Call:** 

Fr Paul Dempsey: Ph 876160

#### <u>Naas</u>

Molly Rose Aylesbury, Teampull Cearach Nicholas Alexander Balea, Millbank

#### Sallins:

Chloe Anna Monica Gahan, Sherlockstown

#### **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: € 805

Envelopes: € 215 Development Fund: €4,297

Offertory: €4,135

<u>Two Mile House</u>: € 425

Grateful thanks to all who support our collections.

#### **GAA Lotto:**

Naas:

Sallins: 01/11/10 Jackpot €1,450: No Winner!! Numbers 8-15-32; 08/11 Venue: Bridgewater

<u>Naas</u>: 04/11 Jackpot €3,650: Numbers 1-3-20-21

No winner. Next weeks jackpot €3,800

Splotto /Ballycane Celtic: 01/11: No Winner Number 5-19-20-26: Jackpot €1,900

Next Marriage Preparation Course takes place on 3rd and 4th December. Courses are held in the meeting Rooms at the Church of the Irish Marytrs, Ballycane. Application Forms from the Parish Office, Sallins Road.

# Sallins Parish News

<u>Bodenstown:</u> Prayers and blessing of graves in Bodenstown will take place on Sunday 14th November at 11am.

<u>November Masses for the Dead</u>: 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 Rosary** will be recited immediately after the 10am Mass each Tuesday during the month of November.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction on Friday coming, 12th November at 8pm.

The Tuesday Club takes place on Tuesday coming, 9th November in the Community Centre.

**Thank You** from Moira Humphreys and Rita Fanning to all involved in the organisation of the presentation night when they were both honoured with the Benemerenti Medal.

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

### **Naas Parish News**

Winter Closing Time for the Church of Our Lady and St David, Sallins Road. For safety & security reasons it is necessary to close the Church during the winter months while it is still daylight. From tomorrow Monday 8th November the Church will close at 4.30pm, except on Wednesdays for 7.30pm Maas.

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.

Today, Sunday 7th November there will be a walking pilgrimage visiting the cemeteries of Naas. All are welcome to join in some or all of the journey. Assembling 1.30pm sharp at the Famine Graveyard, Craddockstown Road beside the Old County Council Offices.

Abbey Cemetery, behind Moat Theatre in the centre of the Town.

St David's Church Graveyard, Main Street

Nun's Graveyard at Sallins Road Church

Maudlins Cemetery, Dublin Road

St Corbans Cemetery

Assemble at 2.20pm

Assemble at 2.35pm

Assemble at 3.10pm

Assemble at 3.30pm

Rosary, prayers and blessing of the graves in St Corbans Cemetery.

<u>St Joseph's Young Priest Society</u> monthly meeting takes place on Thursday coming, 11th Nov at 8pm in the Parish Centre, Irish Martyrs Church, Ballycane. Adoration from 8pm –9.30pm.

<u>Church Gates:</u> Some weeks ago the supply cable to the gates of Our Lady and St David's Church was damaged during digging work in the church grounds. While the break was repaired it was not possible to restore complete power to the gates. Further investigations indicated that it was necessary to install a completely new cable. This will now be done next week. In the meantime apologies to all who have been inconvenienced by the malfunctioning gates.

<u>Naas Apostolic Work Society</u> next meeting Tuesday coming, 9th November at 7pm in the Naas Community Centre, Sallins Road.....new members welcome.

<u>Naas Juvenile Hurling Registration</u> takes place on Sunday 7th and 14th November from 12.30pm to 6pm at the Club. New members welcome.

<u>Naas Active Retirement Assoc</u> next meeting tomorrow, Monday 8th November at 1.30pm in the Naas Community Centre, Sallins Road

## **Two Mile House Parish News**

<u>Remembrance Mass</u>; On Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> of November at the 11a.m. Mass, we will be remembering by name those parishioners who went home to the Lord since last November. During the month of November we will have our "Remembrance Tree" in the church. People are invited to write the name(s) of deceased loved ones on the paper tags provided and place them on the tree and they will be remembered at Masses during November.

<u>Parish Pastoral Council</u>; On Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> of November, at the 11a.m. Mass, we will have the commissioning of our new Parish Pastoral Council. This is a short blessing ceremony to ask the Lord's guidance in their service of the parish community over the next three years.

### **General Notices**

<u>A Special Evening of Guided Prayer</u> for young people (18 and over) on Thursday coming, 11th November at 8.15pm in the Dominican Church, Newbridge....guest speaker Fr John Harris O.P.

St Corbans Boys School are holding their annual flag days from 12th-14th November in Naas.

<u>Thank You:</u> on behalf of the St Christopher's Conference SVP re: the 'Michael Garry House for the Homeless' to all who contributed to and collected for their recent supermarket collection with a special thank you to the students of CBS and St Mary's College.

<u>A Celebration of Song</u> presented by the Naas Musical Society at The Osprey Hotel from Wed 10th to Fri 12th November at 8pm nightly. Tickets available from Top Twenty, at the door or from Tina at 087 6023025 <u>Concert</u> with Tommy Fleming in the Church of Our Lady & St David, Naas on Thursday, 18th November. Tickets available from Parish Office, Sallins Road or Moat Theatre or Top Twenty, Naas. Donation from the concert to the Community Centre, Sallins Road.

**<u>Kildare Branch of Arthritis Ireland</u>** are holding their AGM on Tuesday 9th November at 7.30pm in the Keadeen Hotel, Newbridge. Free Foot Scan (for the first 50 pairs of feet!!!!!) from Tipp Toes between 6pm and 7.30pm. Also a sincere **Thank You** to all who collected for and contributed to the recent collection in Naas, Sallins and Two Mile House which raised a total of €1,718.80