# Parish Newsletter

*30th October 2022 Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time* 



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## Death is only a Horizon

We give them back to you, O Lord, who first gave them to us; and as you did not lose them in the giving so we do not lose them in the return.

Not as the world gives do you give O Lord. For what is yours is ours also, if we belong to you.

Life is unending because love is undying and the boundaries of this life are but a horizon and a horizon is but the limit of our vision.

Son of God, lift us up that we may see further. Strengthen our faith that we may see beyond the horizon. And while you prepare a place for us as you have promised, prepare us also for that happy place; that where you are we may be also, with those we have loved, forever.

#### **Blessing of the Graves**

St. Corban's Cemetery, Naas Sunday 6th November at 3pm

Bodenstown Cemetery, Sallins Sunday 13th November at 11am

Two Mile House Cemetery Sunday 20th November after Mass





#### November Altar List of the Dead

Envelopes are available in all four Churches for you to write the names of your loved ones on the enclosed sheet. The envelope can then be placed in the box in the Church and the names will remain on the Altar for the month of November.



November Remembrance Masses *A Mass to remember all of those who have died in our Parishes over the last year.* Church of Our Lady and St. David, Naas - Friday 4th November at 7.30pm

Sallins Church - Saturday 12th November at 6.30pm

Two Mile House - Sunday 20th November at 11am

All of these Churches have webcams if you would prefer to join us remotely.

## **PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION**

PRIEST ON DUTY: 085 708 8407 PARISH WEBSITE: www.naasparish.ie NAAS PARISH OFFICE: Tel.: 045 879 730 E-mail: office@naasparish.net **Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 10am to 5pm** SACRISTY OUR LADY AND ST DAVID: 045 856 925 **BALLYCANE OFFICE AND SACRISTY: 045 895 629 Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 10am to 1pm** SACRISTY TWO MILE HOUSE: 086 399 1706 **REGISTERED CHARITY NO: 20015848** 

## **PARISH TEAM**

Fr. Liam Morgan	Sallins Road	087 133 7879
Fr. Alex Kochatt	Lakelands	045 898 684
Fr. Michael Flattery	Sundays Well	045 882 630
Fr. Robert Petrisor	Sallins Road	045 879 730
Dn. Fergal O'Neill	Parish Deacon	086 381 6133
Ms. Trish O'Neill	Youth/Pastoral Minister	045 879 730
Ms. Sarah Farmer	Parish Manager	045 879 730

#### **SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN PARISH REPRESENTATIVES**

Naas: **Geraldine Faherty & Adrian King** Sallins: Dermot McGilloway, Emer McCarthy **Two Mile House**: Paula Clancy & Suzanne Powell **Diocesan Designated Liaison Person:** Kathleen Sherry **Deputy Diocesan Liaison Person:** Michele Hughes, c/o Bishop's House, Carlow Phone: 085 802 1633

Safeguarding Policy is displayed in all Church Porches.

#### PARISH FINANCES

Naas: Development Fund: €2635 Offertory: €2920 **Online donations** (20th - 26th Oct): €318 **Tap & Go** (20th - 26th Oct): €820 Sallins: Envelopes: €305 Baskets: €685 TMH: €240

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



Brian Hughes, Osberstown Park Colette O'Shea, Mountain View Mairtin O'Meara, Ashfield Park Cornelius Cagney, Woodlands Nora Leonard. Oak Glade Denis Sullivan, Sarto Park MAY THEY REST IN PEACE



Clocks go back one hour this weekend. From next week, the Church of Our Lady and St. David will close at **5pm**. **MASS TIMES** 

#### **OUR LADY AND ST. DAVID, NAAS**

WEEKDAYS: Mon. - Fri: 7.30am & 10am Sat: 10am Sat Vigil: 6pm **SUNDAYS:** 

9am, 11am & 6pm

#### **CHURCH OF THE IRISH MARTYRS, BALLYCANE**

WEDNESDAYS: **SATURDAYS: SUNDAYS:** 

7pm 7.30pm

10.30am & 12noon

#### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Mon. – Fri, 10am – 6pm **Ballycane Church** 

#### **OUR LADY & THE GUARDIAN ANGELS, SALLINS**

WEEKDAYS:	Fri:	10am
	Sat Vigil:	6.30pm
SUNDAYS:		10am & 12noon

#### **CHURCH OF ST PETER, TWO MILE HOUSE**

WEEKDAYS:	Mon Fri.:	9.30am
SUNDAYS:		11am

Confessions take place in Sallins Church on Thursdays 2pm - 4pm and in Our Lady & St David's Church on Saturdays after the 10am Mass.

#### **RECENT BAPTISMS**

Lucy Murphy, Cois na Feadain Sienna Fogarty, Sundays Well Fiadh Kane, Bellingsfield Daithí Kane, Bellingsfield Dylan Leech, Osberstown Rose O'Regan, Mountain View Aoibhín Monahan, Landen Park Jordan McDermott, Oldbridge Station **Baptism Meetings:** 2nd & 4th Tuesdays of each month at 8pm in Room 4, Ballycane Church.

## Today's Readings:

Please see pages 157 to 160 of the Mass Book. **Responsorial Psalm Response:** "I will bless your name for ever, O God my King." Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia! Blessings on the King who comes, in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest heavens! Alleluia!



## MASS TIMES

## Tuesday, 1st November Feast of All Saints

OLSD: 7.30am & 10am Two Mile House: 9.30am Sallins: 10am Ballycane: 7pm, Tuesday

## Wednesday, 2nd November Feast of All Souls

OLSD: 7.30am & 10am Two Mile House: 9.30am Sallins: 10am Ballycane: 7pm, Wednesday

Feast of All Souls - Wednesday 2nd November St. Peter's Church, Two Mile House Eucharistic Adoration for the Holy Souls. Beginning after 9.30am Mass (approx. 10am) and continuing until 8pm. All are welcome, for however long you would like to spend.

 Éist Fundraising Event – Antiques Roadshow Woodford Dolmen Hotel, Carlow
Sunday 6th November from 2pm – 4pm.
Valuers from Sheppards Irish Auction House will be in attendance to value peoples treasures.
Admission is €10 per adult, free valuations.

## My Life in your Hands Thoughts and Words of Fr. John Cummins

A deep thinker, an accomplished preacher, a doctor of Divinity and a former Curate

of Naas. NOW BACK IN

**STOCK**!



From the Parish Shop on the Sallins Rd for €10.

#### Association of Catholics Ireland, Zoom Meeting "Pitfalls in the Terminology of Sacrifice"

with Dr Tom O'Loughlin, professor of historical theology According to the Catechism of the Catholic Church, the sacrament of the Mass - the Eucharist - is called 'the Holy Sacrifice because it makes present the one sacrifice of Christ the Saviour and includes the Church's offering'.

Archbishop Eamon Martin asked us to think of making 'personal sacrifices in answer to the cry of the Earth'.

And yet Christian ideas of sacrifice have been blamed by some historians for much of the violence of history, including the Crusades and the bloodletting of WWI.

So how are we to understand Christian sacrifice today, faced with 21st century challenges?

In examining aspects of the history of the idea of sacrifice, Dr Tom O'Loughlin, , will deal with "some of the pitfalls in the way we use the terminology of sacrifice".

#### Thursday Nov 3rd at 8.00 PM

For the Zoom link, go to acireland.ie and follow the link.

#### Faith - In Search of Greater Glory in Sport

New book by Gerard Gallagher, Chairperson of Two Mile House Parish Council.



Irish sport, talking about success and their faith. An ideal read for anyone interested in sport. Now available in the Parish Shop on the Sallins Road.

Ministry Day of Reflection and Renewal for new and existing Eucharistic Ministers and Ministers of the Word. Mount St. Annes, Portarlington

Saturday 19th November, 10am - 3.30pm

Please register if you are able to attend either by going to the online services tab on the parish website or calling into the Parish Office on the Sallins Road.



Bereaved? Want to talk? Need to talk?

Call 086 855 4852 for free confidential support.



a simple solution to world hunger

Mary's Meals Monthly Online Quiz – Held the last Friday of every month at 8pm. €5 to enter – which provides 55 school meals.

To take part, go to

www.marysmeals.ie/fundraising/ project/online-quiz/online-quiz-formarys-meals



or contact Martin Colfer on 087 2596159

POP Teanga le Cúpla Focal eile Join us for: Ciorcal Comhra (conversational Irish and Cup of Coffee) at

SWANS ON THE GREEN, Saturdays at 10AM (Mamaí agus Dadaí paistí) Mc AULEY PLACE, Wednesdays at 11AM (Senior citizens) ALL WELCOME.

COFFEE AGUS CAINT CUPL<mark>A FOCAL</mark> Contact: popteanga@gmail.com / 085 2141482

## Teach Tearmainn Working to End Domestic Violence

Teach Tearmainn is the only dedicated domestic abuse support service for women and children in Co. Kildare.

We offer a range of free and confidential support services including refuge accommodation for families fleeing abuse.

Teach Tearmainn receives limited funding, so we would be delighted to hear from anyone who could help us by **fundraising**. We are registered on eventmaster for those who like to take part in sporting events. Or, you could arrange a Coffee Morning.

Contact Details: Cait O'Neill, Fundraising Officer, Teach Tearmainn Housing Association CLG.

Email: caitoneill@teachtearmainn.ie Mobile: 0871835222.

See www.teachtearmainn.ie for more details.



## Pilgrimage to The Holy Land

Accompanied by Fr Paul O'Boyle, travelling from 19th – 26th April 2023.

Price per person, €1665, includes return flights from Dublin to Tel Aviv, 3 nights in Legacy Hotel Nazareth, 4 nights in Manger Square Hotel Bethlehem (all nights on a dinner, bed & breakfast basis), all transfers, boat trip on Sea of Galilee and all admissions, tips and local taxes. For more details please visit **www.marian.ie**.

## TEAM HOPE Christmas shoebox appeal

For full details, please visit www.teamhope.ie. Closing date for dropping off boxes is 8th November. Filled boxes may be dropped into any Dealz shop.



Every Thursday at 11am in McAuley Place For more information contact Louise on 085 8934086

Suggested donation €10. All are welcome regardless of your ability to pay.

## Bank Holiday Monday - 31st October

There will be no 7.30am Mass on this day.



A selection of Advent Calendars and Diaries & Calendars for 2023 and boxed Christmas cards now available in the Parish Shops on the Sallins Road and in Ballycane.





2nd November at 2pm in Ballycane Church, for a talk on Heart Health. For more details, please contact Ina McCarthy on 085 8777 619. New members very welcome.



Naas Musical Society presents OKLAHOMA! on stage in the Moat Theatre from 12th-18th November. This Rodgers and Hammerstein classic will have you dancing in your seats with songs such as 'Farmer and the Cowman', 'Kansas City', 'It's A Scandal! It's An Outrage!' And the

title song 'Oklahoma''. Book now at the Moat Theatre.



Naas Parish Weekly Lotto Draw! There was no winner of the €2,100 Jackpot on 26th October.

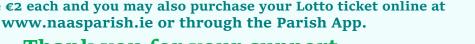
Numbers Drawn were: 6-7-11-25

Congratulations to the Lucky Dip Winners:

J. Treacy, C. Woods, J. Monaghan and Anon.

You could win a Jackpot of €2,350 on Wednesday 2nd November.

Tickets are on sale in the Parish Offices and in: Whelans Menswear, Barker & Jones, The Stationery Store, Harbour Hotel, The Soda Bread Shop and Swans on the Green. Tickets are €2 each and you may also purchase your Lotto ticket online at





Thank you for your support.