

Parish Newsletter

18th August 2024

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Jn 6:51-58



Anima Christi

(early fourteenth century prayer)

Soul of Christ, sanctify me.

Body of Christ, save me.

Blood of Christ, fill me.

Water from the side of Christ, wash me.

Passion of Christ, strengthen me.

O good Jesus, hear me.

Hide me within your wounds.

Do not allow me to be separated from you.

From the evil enemy defend me.

In the hour of death call me and bid me come to you that I may praise you for ever and ever.

Amen.



A message from the Missionaries of Africa (White Fathers):

“We will be appealing for your support for our missionary efforts at all the masses in your parish next week-end.

Our missionary Society has been an effective instrument for communicating – in word and in deed – the Good News of God’s desire to give life to peoples everywhere. We are doing so in 27 countries in Africa, even among Muslim communities where there is no possibility of evangelization.

Still today bishops are requesting for us to begin in their dioceses: the need is there, we have the young men willing to answer the call, but increasingly we are unable to embark on new missionary projects, as our resources are often stretched. We look forward to meeting you and thank you for your kind support to so many missionary groups and projects over the years.”



The Pope’s intention for August:

We pray that political leaders will be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.



Diocesan Eucharistic Revival

Join **Bishop Denis** on Saturday, **24th August** in **Mount St.**

Annes, Portarlington, Co. Laois.
Starting at 9.30am.

Mass will be at 3pm

See posters in Church Porches.



Christ has no body now on earth but yours:

No hands but yours, no feet but yours.

Yours are the eyes through which the compassion of Christ must look out on this world.

Yours are the feet with which He is to go about doing good.

Yours are the hands, with which He is to bless all the world.

Yours are the hands, yours are the feet, yours are the eyes, you are His body.

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St. Teresa of Avila

Sallins Church - Advance Notice

We plan on having the new carpets fitted in **Sallins Church** during the week starting from Monday 26th until Friday 30th August inclusive.

There will be no confessions in Sallins Church that week and it will not be possible to celebrate any Funeral Masses. Funerals that week will need to take place in one of the Naas Churches.

Thank you for your understanding.

PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION

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REGISTERED CHARITY NO: 20015848

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SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN PARISH REPRESENTATIVES

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PARISH TEAM

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Diocesan Designated Liaison Person: Ailish Higgins

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: €3,203 Offertory: €2,685

Sallins: Envelopes: €251 Baskets: €555

TMH: €470



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

George Frayne, Maudlings

Patrick (Paddy) Wynne, Caragh

Joseph (Joe) O'Neill, Portarlinton

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Recent Baptisms

Aidan Maguire, Longstone

Sadhbh Coen, Roseville

Alfie Patchell, Corbally Court

Lotanna Ilochi, Jigginstown

Fíonn Bissett, Longstone

Ailbhe Sweeney, Landen Park

Caoimhe Doheny, Castlefarm



New helpline number for **St. Vincent de Paul**, Naas is 085 725 9595.

Cystic Fibrosis Ireland: 'Thank you for your support at our recent collection. €1,552.74 raised.'

Job Opportunity Two Mile House GAA

For Sports Ground Worker CES 2348170

To qualify you must be aged over 21 and be in receipt of a social welfare payment for at least 12 months (9 months for a person fleeing the war in Ukraine). For more information or to apply please contact 045 870268 or allenareacep@gmail.com

Sallins Local History Society Photo Exhibition

"Sallins: Connections, Routes & Networks" - Naas Library
17th to 24th August. Free entry & All welcome.

Volunteers Needed for Breakthrough Cancer Research Bucket Collection in Naas

19th September. If you can help please

contact Edel Twomey 021 422 665

Edel@breakthroughcancerresearch.ie

Heritage Week Walk - Thurs. 22nd August

7pm at St. Corban's Cemetery.

Walk guided by Paddy Behan, Naas Local History Group.

NAAS

WILD FOOD

FESTIVAL

30th August -
8th September



♥ Nature Cycle

♥ Music Events

♥ Picnic na dTedai - de Burgh Estate

♥ Foraging walk - de Burgh Estate

♥ Canal Cruise & Picnic

♥ Wild Food Trail

♥ Wild Beer Bus Tour

♥ *Wild Food Festival 7th & 8th September

♥ & More....

♥ For further information and to book tickets go to

www.naaswildfood.com

*Tickets required for all

events except food festival



Naas Parish Weekly Lotto Draw

There was no winner of the €7,300 on 14th August

Numbers Drawn on were: 7-17-24-3

Lucky Dip: K. & E., F. Gunning, A. Shaw, M. Cully

You could win the Jackpot of **€7,550** on Weds 21st August

Thank you for your support!