# Parish Newsletter

25th May 2025 Sixth Sunday of Easter



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# First Holy Communions 2025



No: 1996

Our First Communion Season continues... Last weekend it was the turn of the boys and girls from St. Corban's BNS and the Mercy Convent Primary School.







# Parish Pilgrimage to Duiske Abbey Saturday 28th June

Departing Ballycane Church at 8am and returning at approximately 5.30pm.

€40 per person which includes:

tea & scone after Mass at Duiske Abbey.

8km prayer walk along the Barrow Way to St. Mullins.

2 course lunch at the Duiske Inn.

All buses including from St. Mullins back to the Duiske Inn. To purchase a ticket, contact the Parish Office (Sallins Road).



#### PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION

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Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 10am to 1pm
SACRISTY TWO MILE HOUSE: 086 399 1706
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#### SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN PARISH REPRESENTATIVES

Naas: Geraldine Faherty & Adrian King
Sallins: Dermot McGilloway & Gillian Fitzharris
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PARISH TEAM

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Fr. Michael Flattery	Hazelmere	045 879 730
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Ms. Trish O'Neill	Youth/Pastoral Minister	045 879 730
Ms. Sarah Farmer	Parish Manager	045 879 730

Safeguarding Policy is displayed in all Church Porches.

#### LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTIONS

Naas: Development Fund: €3,545 Offertory: €2,820

**Online donations** (15th - 21st May): €318

**Tap&Go** (15th - 21st May): €635

Sallins: Envelopes: €440 Baskets: €470

**TMH:** €415



#### **Recent Baptisms**

Maria Lagioia Costa, Primrose Sq. Róisín Walsh, Oldtown Heights

### Sallins Confessions: No Confessions in Sallins on Thursday 5th June





Divine Mercy Prayers
6.00pm Adoration Chapel, Ballycane
Wednesday, 28th May
Followed by the Rosary.
All are Welcome



Date for your diary...

Legion of Mary Pilgrimage to Knock on Sunday 28th Sept.
More details nearer the time.

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# MASS TIMES for the Pastoral Area of Naas, Sallins, TMH & Kill

**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: 7pm

SUNDAYS: 10.30am & 12noon

OUR LADY & THE GUARDIAN ANGELS, SALLINS

WEEKDAYS: Fri: 10am
Sat Vigil: 7pm
SUNDAYS: 11.30am

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

WEEKDAYS 9.30am SUNDAYS: 10am CHURCH OF ST BRIGID, KILL

WEEKDAYS: Mon. - Fri.: 10am
SATURDAYS: 6.30pm
SUNDAYS: 11am

**CHURCH OF ST ANNE, ARDCLOUGH** 

SUNDAYS: 9.30am FIRST FRIDAYS: 8pm

The Diocesan Collection for Retired Priests will take place at all Masses today, Sunday, 25th May.

### Parishes Alive - Moving Forward in Hope!

Bishop Denis, together with the Diocesan Pastoral Council, will host a day for lay people and clergy to explore the direction of the Diocese of Kildare & Leighlin and how it impacts on the day-to-day life of a parish. We are building on the work done previously by the DPC, the Council of Priests, Faith Development Services, and across parishes. The day will comprise of inputs from guest speakers, along with prayer, general discussion, and intentional listening. The keynote speaker will be Prof. Fr Michael Conway, Professor of Faith & Culture at St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth. It takes place on Saturday, 21st June 2025 in Carlow College with registration at 9:30am, starting promptly at 10am and concluding at 4 pm. Lunch is included. Booking essential by email to parishdevelopment@Kandle.ie, providing your name & parish, or by phoning 083-8305681.





Rosary Rally - Sallins Village on Saturday 10th May. In honour of Our Lady of Fatima.





For more photos, please see the gallery pages of the Parish Website and the Parish App.



- Cemetery Masses St. Corban's is on Wednesday, 4<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm \*There will be no 7pm Mass in Ballycane on 4th June
- Bodenstown is on Sunday 29th June at 11.30am
- St. Peter's, TMH is on Sunday, 6th July at 10am

#### Venerable Matt Talbot Centenary Weekend Services







#### Friday, 6th June at 7pm Our Lady of Lourdes, Sean McDermott Street

TALK: Matt Talbot: A Saint for our Times: Fr. Brian Lawless, Vice Postlar for the case. Matt Talbot International Healing Service: Fr. Douglas McKay - Our House Ministries, Philadelphia USA. Mr Ken Johnston, Calax Society, USA.

#### Saturday, 7th June at 3pm St Mary's Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough Street Archbishop of Dublin, Dr. Dermot Farrell will celebrated the Centenary Mass

After Mass, a procession to the tomb of Venerable Matt Talbot in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, laying of a wreath at the tomb and prayer for beatification on Venerable Matt Talbot

#### Sunday, 8th June at 2pm Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Sean McDermott Sreet. Celebration of Holy Eucharist 4pm

TALK: The Church's Role in Addiction and Recovery: A workshop by the Irish Bishops Drug Initiative. TALK: The importance of the Pioneer Total Abstinence Association in today's society: A talk given by the PTAA.



#### **MATT TALBOT: A SAINT FOR OUR TIMES**



#### Josephine Hardiman **A4 Prints Book of Kildare**

Now 30% off in the Parish Shop on the Sallins Road.



## **Irish Cancer Society's Transport Service**

#### **VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED**

We are seeking drivers in your community. **You** can help this vital service of providing transport for patients attending cancer treatments. Requirements: a minimum of 2 days per month, a valid driving license, and a reliable vehicle. Your generosity will make a great difference. Full training will be provided. For more information and to become a volunteer contact Monica Concer Society at volunteer@irishcancer.ie



#### Kildare Dementia Cafe

The Dementia Cafe gathers on the last Thursday of every month at Kildare Community Development Centre (old Presentation convent). It is a welcoming space for people living with dementia and their families and friends to have a cup of tea and a chat. Each month there is a short talk given by a guest speaker. Next meeting: Thursday **29th May** from **2.30pm to 4.30pm**. For any queries please contact Anne 086 4411255.



## **Naas Parish Weekly Lotto Draw** There was no winner of the €5,950 Jackpot on 21st May.

Lucky Dip winners were

C. Connolly, M. Burke, C. Kilfeather, M. Dunne

Numbers Drawn were: 17-8-16-10

You could win the Jackpot of €6,200 on Weds. 28th May

Thank you for your support!