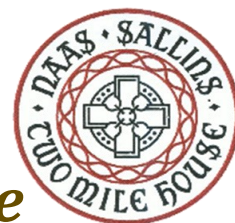


Parish Newsletter

28th September 2025

The Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

No: 2014



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Fr. Eddie Moore, 1938 - 2025



Our friend and colleague, Fr. Eddie went home to God on Friday 19th September after a relatively short illness. We are most grateful for the kind and gentle care he received in Naas hospital. We are equally thankful to the many parishioners who enquired after him, prayed for him, and who visited him in hospital.

Eddie settled into Naas in 2013 following his retirement as Parish Priest of Allen. It was a big transition in his life, but in time, he truly settled into life here in Naas. He appreciated deeply the welcome and kindness he experienced from parishioners in all three parishes.

As colleagues, we valued his support, loyalty and most especially his friendship.

Eddie is now at peace and rest. His life was one of true faithfulness and commitment to his priestly vocation. We trust that God will say:

***“Well done, good and faithful servant,
enter into your Master’s happiness prepared for you.”***

Mt 25:14-30

PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION

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BALLYCANE OFFICE AND SACRISTY: 045 895 629

Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 10am to 1pm

SACRISTY TWO MILE HOUSE: 086 399 1706

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TWITTER: @naasparish

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN PARISH REPRESENTATIVES

Naas: Geraldine Faherty & Adrian King

Sallins: Dermot McGilloway & Gillian Fitzharris

Two Mile House: Paula Clancy & Suzanne Powell

Diocesan Designated Liaison Person: Ailish Higgins

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PARISH TEAM

Fr. Liam Morgan	Sallins Road	087 133 7879
Fr. Michael Flattery	Hazelmere	045 879 730
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Ms. Sarah Farmer	Parish Manager	045 879 730

Safeguarding Policy is displayed in all Church Porches.

LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTIONS

Collection information for this week and next week will appear in the newsletter next week.



The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed at 3pm every day, from Sept. 1st.
Mon to Fri in Ballycane Church
Sat and Sun in Our Lady & St. David's.
3pm during the existing Adoration.

The Rosary will be prayed half an hour before each weekday Mass in OLSD and before the 10am Mass on Saturday. Also, before the 9.30am Mass in Two Mile House Church.
Please join us in person or online.



1st Thursday Eucharistic Adoration in Ballycane Church
Thursday 2nd October 9pm - 10pm.
All are Welcome.

Sallins Church

We are pleased to announce that Mass on a Tuesday morning at 10am in Sallins Church has resumed, this will continue with the exception of occasional Tuesdays when no priest will be available, in which case Mass will be replaced by a Prayer Service/Rosary. Please see below for the schedule for the first two months:

30th Sept	10am Mass
7th Oct	10am Mass
14th October	10am Prayer Service
21st October	10am Mass
28th October	10am Mass



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

Jolanta Burzyk, Oldbridge Park

Bernadette Duffin, Sarto Park

James Harrison, Esmondale

Connie Clancy, Rathasker Heights

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

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



**First Saturday:
Prayer and Reflection**

**in the Upper Room following 10am
Mass in Our Lady & St. David's
(approx. 20 minutes)**

Saturday 4th October.

Our Church Choirs Welcome New Members!

Parish Church Choir or Ballycane Church Choir

• **Ballycane Choir** (10.30am Sunday Mass) who practice on Mondays at 8pm in Ballycane Church.

• **Parish Church Choir** (11am Mass) who practice on Wednesdays at 7.40pm in Ballycane Church.

We welcome Sopranos, Altos, Tenors and Bass. To join or for more details call **Bernard: 087 235 2545.**

Registration for First Holy Communion and Confirmation 2026

is now open on the Parish Website and App.

Please follow the link from the home page www.naasparish.ie or from the Sacraments tab on the Parish App.

This registration is for all children who wish to receive these Sacraments in the Parishes of Naas, Sallins or Two Mile House in 2026 whether they are within the Parish schools or elsewhere.

Please note: the closing date for applications is 30th September 2025.



Information Meetings for Parents for the Sacraments in 2026

for parents of children from Two Mile House and Killashee Schools:

Monday 29th Sept	Two Mile House Church	7pm	First Holy Communion
		8pm	Confirmation

for parents of children in any of the Naas Schools other than Killashee:

Tuesday 30th Sept	Ballycane Church	7pm	First Holy Communion
		8pm	Confirmation

for parents of children attending Sallins School:

Wednesday 1st Oct	Sallins Church	7pm	First Holy Communion
		8pm	Confirmation



To celebrate the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, you are invited to a **Blessing of the Pets**.

Saturday 4th October at 11am

Ballycane Church Car Park.

All pets welcome

although some may like to be on a lead!



Parish Youth Groups

Have now started again after the Summer Break.

The Youth Groups take place on a Friday evening from 6.15 - 7.30pm in Ballycane Church. You do not need to register in advance.

The following groups are available:

St. Joseph's - for children from Junior infants to 2nd class

St. Mary's - for 3rd to 6th class

St. Patrick's - 1st to 4th years in Secondary School.

All three Youth Clubs meet from 6.15-7.30pm, parents are invited in at 7.15pm to meet for a chat over a cup of tea/coffee. All are welcome.

The Holy Spirit Club for those aged 16 years and above meets in Ballycane Church at 8pm each Friday evening.



JUNIOR CHOIR

All students from 4th Class to 2nd year are welcome to join. The choir will practice each **Thursday afternoon from 4pm – 5 pm** in the **Church of Our Lady and St David** and will sing at the children's Mass in that church on Saturday evening once a month. If your child would like to join the Junior Choir please bring them to Our Lady & St. David's Church at 4pm on Thursday to sign up.



Please contact Helen 085 7137701 for more information or just come along on Thursday.

Enrolments: St Marys College

Our Enrolment application process for September 2026 will start on Wednesday the 1st of October 2025.

The 1st Year Enrolment Application Form will be available from **Monday September 22nd** on the school website www.stmaryscollegenaas.ie

Completed Application Forms will only be accepted from **Wednesday 1st October to Wednesday 22nd October** (Enrolment Period). *Applications received outside this period will be marked as late.*



FAMILY DAY in KNOCK

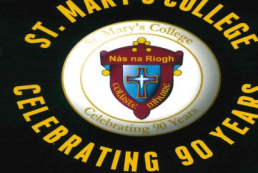
Dominican Sunday, October 12th 10:30am – 5pm (includes Mass)

Parents Mini conference led by Martin and Mary Moran with Yvonne McGuire.

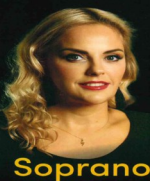
teens Fun & Formation, with Dominican Youth Leaders.

CHILDREN (over 4yrs): Supervised Fun & Formation.

Cost: €70 (Discount for Newlyweds), which includes lunch for all the family. To book go to: www.dominicans.ie



SONGS OF INSPIRATION & HOPE



CELINE BYRNE & FRIENDS

11th OCTOBER 2025 at 8PM

TICKETS €25

CHURCH OF OUR
LADY & ST. DAVID
NAAS

AVAILABLE FROM SCHOOL OFFICE,
PARISH OFFICE,
BARKER & JONES, SWANS

40th Anniversary

OPEN DAY

Garden, Workshops, Farm

Invitation to Camphill Communities Dunshane

23rd Oct. 12 - 3pm

Join us:

- Barbeque & Cakes
- Live music sing a-long
- Ice-cream
- Bumper raffle
- Catch up with family & friends

Dunshane
Near Brannockstown
Naas, W91 XV5T

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

CARING & AGEING-Kildare Age Friendly Roadshow

Age Friendly **KILDARE**

1st October 2025, 10:00 am - 3:00 pm,
Osprey Hotel. "Who cares for Older Carers?" Older carers please join us. **This is a free event but registration is essential.** To register please call Carmel Cashin - 087-721 2966 /go to Eventbrite.ie

Liam O'Flynn Feile 2nd-5th October

Celebrating the life of the legendary Kildare Uilleann-Piper. For details of all events go to www.feileliamoflynn.com or the **Moat Theatre for tickets**. The festival will conclude with the celebration of Mass in OLSD at 11am on 5th October.

Wednesday 1st Oct at 7.30pm.

A special mass will be celebrated in honour of **"The Little Flower"** in St Joseph's Church, Ballyadams, Co Laois. There will be individual blessings with The Little Flower Bone Relic after mass.



Naas Parish Weekly Lotto Draw

There was no winner of the €10,000 Jackpot on 24th September. Lucky Dip winners were: **P. Walsh, Anon., A. Horan, S. Delahunty**

Numbers Drawn were: 28-15-9-3

You could win the Jackpot of **€10,000** on Weds. 1st Oct.

Thank you for your continued support.

