

Parish Newsletter

7th June 2026

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

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Youth Pilgrimage to Knock and Croagh Patrick.



Last weekend, 25 young people and leaders from the St. Patrick's and Holy Spirit Youth Clubs, went on a two night pilgrimage to Knock.

Starting off with Mass in Ballycane Church. The weekend included a climb up Croagh Patrick, a paddle in the sea at nearby Bertra Beach as well as the two night stay in Knock.

Many thanks to Fr. Robert and his leaders.

For more details on the variety of Youth Clubs available in the parishes, please contact Fr. Robert or the Parish Office.



PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION

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

FACEBOOK: [facebook.com/naasparish](https://www.facebook.com/naasparish)

TWITTER: @naasparish

PRIEST ON DUTY: 085 708 8407

PARISH WEBSITE: www.naasparish.ie

Registered Charity No: 20015848

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: Michele Hughes,
c/o Bishop's House, Carlow Phone: 086 171 0643
or email: dlp@kandle.ie

Safeguarding Policy displayed in all Church Porches

PARISH TEAM

Fr. Liam Morgan	Sallins Road	087 133 7879
Fr. Michael Flattery	Hazelmere	045 879 730
Fr. Robert Petrisor	Sallins Road	045 879 730
Fr. Yohan Fernando	Lakelands	045 879730
Dn. Jody Callan	Parish Deacon	045 879730
Ms. Trish O'Neill	Youth/Pastoral Minister	045 879 730
Ms. Sarah Farmer	Parish Manager	045 879 730

Padre Pio's Glove will be in Fitzpatrick's House, Kilberry, Athy on Sat. 13th June 11am -5pm

LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTIONS

Naas: Development Fund: €2,805 Offertory: €2,445

Online donations (28th May - 3rd June): €145

Tap&Go (28th May - 3rd June): €696.34

Sallins: Envelopes: €475 Baskets: €650

TMH: €625

Rosary in the grounds of OLSD

Please join us:

- 12th June for the Feast of the Sacred Heart 8pm.
 - 13th June for the Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary at 8pm.
- All are welcome



NAAS
SALLINS
TWO MILE HOUSE
PARISHES

Employment Opportunity

Naas Parish are looking to employ a
Parish Caretaker for 35hrs/week to look after all parish premises and their grounds.

Role would include general maintenance and a working knowledge of electrics, plumbing, painting and carpentry. Experience of working in a trade would be an advantage.

Closing date for applications: 19th June 2026.

CVs may be sent to the Parish Office, Sallins Road, Naas or emailed to office@naasparish.net

Cemetery Masses 2026

Naas Wednesday, 10th June at 7.30pm
There will be no 7pm Mass that evening.

Sallins Sunday, 21st June at 11.30am

Two Mile House
Sunday, 5th July at 10am



There will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in Two Mile House Church to celebrate the Feast of the Sacred Heart Friday 12th June after 9.30am Mass till 7pm.

All are welcome

Family Masses - 13th/14th Jun

Ballycane: Sat 6pm, Sun 9.30am,
11am & 12.30pm

Sallins: Sat 7pm

Two Mile House: Sun 10am

All are welcome to attend any Mass. We invite you to wear your Communion clothes for this last Family Mass of the school year



Recent Baptisms



Harrison Yelverton, Stonehaven
Finn Finnegan, Australia
Conn McHugh, Morell Green
Nessa Greaney, Blessington
Cliona Greaney, Blessington
Claire Amorim Harter, New Caragh Court

Concern Worldwide Church Gate collection this weekend 6th & 7th June

Third Annual Parishes Alive Day

Sat 20th June, Carlow College, 10-4pm

Exploring how we can become more synodal. Attendees will be given resources to take away for future use in their Parishes. This promises to be a very engaging and interesting day and will appeal to anyone who is interested in how Parishes and Pastoral Areas develop into the future. Much of it will be interactive and workshop based. **No charge, lunch and refreshments provided.**

To book, or for more info: call 083-8305681 or email parishdevelopment@kandle.ie

Timetable of Masses in Ballycane Church

25th May to 17th July

All Masses including Funerals will take place in Ballycane Church.

Monday	7.30am	10am			
Tuesday	7.30am	10am			
Wednesday	7.30am	10am	7pm (May + June)		
Thursday	7.30am	10am			
Friday	7.30am	10am			
Saturday	10am	6pm			
Sunday	8am	9.30am	11am	12.30pm	6pm

Weekday Adoration in the Day Chapel, Ballycane, will commence each day at 11am. The Upper Room, Our Lady and St. David's will open each day 9am to 6pm for quiet prayer. **Confession will be available in Ballycane Church after 10am Mass on Saturdays.**

WHY SUNDAY MATTERS – CHRIST'S PRESENCE AMONG US: AN EXCERPT FROM THE LETTER OF THE IRISH BISHOPS

'Sunday has always been the day of the Lord: the day of resurrection, the day of rest, the day of Eucharist. From the very beginning of our Christian faith, Sunday has been central to the life of the Church and remains the heart of Christian practice. It is on this day that we gather as a community, united in our love for Christ, to encounter the risen Lord and be nourished in body and soul.

The Mass is not just a ritual; it is the source and summit of our faith. It is where we encounter Christ in His living presence, and it is through the Eucharist that we are strengthened to live as true disciples. Attending Mass on Sundays, or its vigil on Saturday evening, is not just an obligation; it is a profound privilege and a chance to experience God's love in a deeply personal way. As we come to this sacred celebration let us do so with hearts full of gratitude for the precious gift of Christ's presence among us.'

What does Sunday and Sunday Mass mean to you?

St. Brigid's Lough Derg Pilgrimage 2026

Three Day Pilgrimage to Lough Derg:

• Fri 3rd - Sun 5th July & Thurs 13th - Sat 15th August

Bus departs Naas at 7am and Sallins at

7.10am. Cost: Island €85; Bus €50 return app.

Contact Joe 087 3815887 or

email deirdregleeson@medwise.ie



Allen National School Kilmeague

15 minutes from Naas Town. Small classes.

Limited number of places available for children starting primary school. If you need a

Junior Infant place for September

2026, contact us at 045 860043 or

email office@allennationalschool.com



POP UP SHOP outside Ballycane Church Sat. 13th June 12-4pm in aid of NaasPoint

Brannoxtown National School:

Brannoxtown CNS is delighted to share that enrolment is open for the 2026/27 school year.

Brannoxtown CNS prides itself on the progressive and caring learning environment that it provides for all pupils. To enrol your child go to: www.brannoxtowncns.ie/enrol/



Cystic Fibrosis IRL Church Gate Collection



Our annual Church gate collection will take place next weekend, 13th & 14th June, outside Ballycane, Sallins and Two Mile House Churches.

Your support would be greatly appreciated.

Are you grieving the loss of a loved one?

Grief Peer Support Group, next meeting is Thurs 11th June: 11am to 12 noon in the Ballycane Church Centre. For more details please call Máirín on 083 1120060

Naas Parish Weekly Lotto Draw

There was no winner of the €5,600 Jackpot on 3rd June.

Numbers Drawn were: 12-20-27-26

Lucky Dip winners were: M. Kelly, C. Byrne and 2 people who wish to remain anon.

You could win the Jackpot of **€5,850** on Wednesday 10th June.

Thank you for your support.



Outdoor Masses

