

Mass Intentions this Week include:

We pray for those who died recently — **Padhraic O’Flaherty, Dr Mannix Rd** ;
Mrs Kathleen Bolger, (Co Laois) mother of Pat in Dalton Pl; . We pray for all those with Anniversaries,
 Birthday Remembrances etc

Sat 3rd Nov	5.30pm	Feilim Walls (A); Michael Ward (A); Special Intention Gerald & Poppy Corbett (A) and their daughter Cecily Hennigan. John & Bridget O’ Brine (A)	G.J.
Sun 4th	9.30am	Tommy, Julia & Alice Burke & decd family members	C.S
	11 am	John W O’Connor (A); Eddie Bennett (8th A) Sean & Rita de Burca (A); Jack Mahon (A) Thecla Finnan (B’day Remb)	J O’C
	12.30pm	Megan & Donogh Mc Donogh (A) & Kay Murray	C.S
	6 pm	Private Intention	G.J.
Mon 5th	10am	Nuala Ramaker (A); Special Intention	G.J.
Tues 6th	10am	Private Intention	C.S
Wed 7th	10am	Private Intention	MSC
Healing Mass	7.30pm	John F Bourke (1st A)	G.J
Thurs 8th	10am	Bella Glynn (A)	C.S
Fri 9th	10am	Private Intention	M.B
Sat 10th	10am	Con Crowley, Monksfield, (Months Mind) J.P. Murray (A)	G.J

Next Weekend:

Sat 10th	5:30pm.	Bridie Conway (1st A); John Mc Cann (A) Michael & Sheila Ryan (B’day Remb); Paddy Mc Donnell (A)
Sun 11th	9.30am	Nicky Murray, Devon Gardens (Months Mind)
	11 am	Amby O’Halloran (A); Angela Mc Mahon (1st A)
	12.30pm	John Conneely, Dalysfort Rd (Months Mind) John Kinneen (A)
	6pm	Private Intention

SALTHILL PARISH NEWS

4th November 2018



“CHRIST THE KING PARISH — A FAMILY OF FAMILIES”

Parish List of the Dead.

You are invited to submit lists of those family and friends who have died whom you wish to pray for during the month of November (the Holy Souls). We will have special prayers at all Masses during the month. Envelopes and blank sheets are available throughout the church.



Our parish community in Salthill will hold a Special

Memorial Service of Remembrance at 3pm on Sunday next, Nov 11th

to remember those who have died over the past 12 months and in particular those from the parish. We come in solidarity and offer support to those who are struggling to come to terms with their loss. This ceremony will involve reflections, prayers and hymns for about half an hour and afterwards people are invited to plant a Bulb in the front of the Church in remembrance of those who have died. We welcome especially all those who have suffered a recent loss.



Big group of new Mass Servers in training. Next Training session this Tuesday Nov 6th at 3:30pm. After this “Training for new servers” we will have a “General Meeting” of all servers — New and Existing in Supermacs at 4:30 (Refreshments will be served!) Servers can be collected from Supermacs at 5:15pm.



We invite Boys and Girls who have made their First Communion to join our excellent team of Altar Servers. Applicants can be from any school or area. All that is required is a willingness to help with ceremonies here in Salthill Church. Big Thanks to Claire Hynes Info Parish Office-523413.

Our Parish in Action this week

Regular Schedule:

- ◆ **Adoration** weekdays 10.30am to 7 pm
- ◆ **Mass for Healing** on Wednesdays Evenings at 7:30pm. Extra evening Mass this week on Thursday and Friday for All Saints and Holy Souls
- ◆ **Gentle Exercise Class:** Fri 11.45am & Sat at 12 noon
- ◆ **Seniors Luncheon:** Fridays at 1pm in Galilee Hse.
- ◆ **Bridge:** Monday @ 2pm in the Conference Room.
- ◆ **25 Card Game Fridays @ 2pm** in Galilee House.
- ◆ **Ark Café** every Monday after 10am Mass at back of Church. Coffee and a Chat.
- ◆ **Musicians:** Trad session/rehearsals Mondays at 11 am in Galilee house.
- ◆ **“Thoughts on Thursday”** 10.45am in Galilee. **INTELLIGENCE.** What is it? Where is it? Can one strengthen it? How the mind works.

Salthill Parish is committed to the protection of all children and young people in our Church.



I was thinking !!

Dear Fellow Traveller,

Interesting article in the Irish times recently by William Reville, emeritus professor of biochemistry at UCC concerning evidence that suggests that Religion is good for your health.

Religion in Ireland is currently under strong and persistent criticism from liberal commentators. One frequently heard criticism is that it is seriously wrong to “indoctrinate” young children in religious dogma, a charge that, in practice, seems to be aimed almost exclusively at the Catholic Church – most liberal critics go all coy when other religions are mentioned.

A considerable body of existing academic research correlates religion with better health and wellbeing in adults. Some of this research suggests religion has even greater positive effects at younger ages. Major research has recently been undertaken by Harvard University and the results indicate a religious upbringing greatly helps adolescents to navigate these challenges and also brings about many health and well-being outcomes in young adulthood. The study found significant effects indicating that the practice of religion and prayer/meditation can help adolescents/young adults to successfully navigate life’s challenges. Specifically the study found those who regularly attend religious services, at least once weekly, are 12 % less likely to suffer from depression, 33 % less likely to use illegal drugs, 18 % more likely to report high levels of happiness and 87 % more likely to have high levels of forgiveness compared with those who never attend religious services. And those who pray/meditate frequently, at least once a day, are 30 % less likely to start having sex at a young age, 40 % less likely to contract a sexually transmitted disease, 38 % more likely to volunteer for community service and 47 % more likely to have a strong sense of purpose in life, compared with those who never pray.

Something to think about!

Have a good week,

G.J.

Christmas Shoe Boxes:

It’s nearly time to be getting organised for Christmas. Once again the Parish is involved in promoting Christmas presents for needy children in Africa and Eastern Europe through The Shoe Box Appeal. Flyers etc are available in the porch and Marie Rice 086 2658383. will co-coordinate the venture for us. We have ten days to get organised so please bring in the show boxes this week if you can.

Communion at Home: As the winter sets in some people are unable to come to Mass on a regular basis. We can arrange regular visits and bring Holy Communion to your home. Give Rhona or Yvonne a call in the Parish Office— 091-523413.

Croí Nua, Rosary Lane - www.croinua.com Ph: 520960

The Enneagram Part 2. Sunday Nov 11th & 18th 2.00-7.00 p.m. Facilitator: Fr. Benny McHale Booking Necessary

Galway Hospice Annual Mass for deceased patients of Hospice, will be held in Renmore church today at 3pm. all are welcome. Celebrant, Bishop Brendan Kelly. Refreshments afterwards at Hospice.

Miscarriage Service of Remembrance on Sun 11th Nov at 3pm in the Redemptorist Church, Esker. For info contact Dawn O'Connor on 087 6893456.

COPE Galway are holding a Table Quiz next Thursday 8th November @ 7.30pm in the Connacht Hotel to raise some much need funds for their services.

“**Swimmers Mass**” — Next Saturday 10th November @ 10am in the Claddagh Church.

Old Galway Society Lecture on Nov 8 @ 8pm in the Victoria Hotel. Speaker; Willie Henry - ' Galway and the Great War 1914-1918' All Welcome

Book Launch - All welcome to the launch of Carol Kelleher’s book “Reflections of a Cleaning Lady” in Charlie Byrne’s bookshop next Friday 9th November @ 6.30pm

Are you affected by a family member's **Gambling problem?** If so, help is available. Meeting at Ozanam House, St Augustine St. 8:00pm Monday 5 November

A fundraising Table Quiz for the Pioneer Association Galway Region will take place at the Menlo Park Hotel on Friday 16th Nov @ 8pm. Tables of 4 €40. Non Pioneers welcome.

CROÍ New York Marathon— Best of luck to Emer O’Byrne, Burrenview Heights and all other participants doing the New York Marathon for Croí today.

Teams for November

Holy Communion:

5:30pm
John Gibbs
Joe Toner

9.30am

Noreen Loughnane
Maura Connolly
Josephine Murphy
Tom Quigley

11am

Annette Hanley
Delma O’Reilly
Evangeline Cummins
Doreen Mc Alinney
Colette Burke
12:30
Terry Fanning

6pm.

Rosaleen Carroll
Martin Brennan
Mary Geraghty
Antoinette O’Neill

Ushers/Collectors

5:30
Eugene Dunleavy
Tony O’Connor (Poll)
9:30
Thomas Nestor

11am

John Cuffe
Mattie Gilmore

12:30 Vincent O’Connor
6pm: Brendan Reid

MASS TIMES

WEEKENDS

Saturday: 5:30pm (Vigil)
Sunday: 9:30am, 11am,
12:30pm, 6pm.

WEEKDAYS:

Mon — Fri: 10am,
7:30p.m Wednesdays
Sat.: 10am & 5:30pm

THE PARISH OFFICE

Phone: (091) 523413
E-mail: salthillparish@eircom.net
Hours: Mon-Fri: 9:30—5pm

AT YOUR SERVICE

Office:

Yvonne Thornton
Mon, Tues, Wed.,
Rhona Bolger: Thurs & Fri..

Parish Co-Ordinator:

Frank Keane.
Parish Sister: Sr Breege
Ruane

Priests:

Fr. Gerry Jennings PP
☎ 523 413
Fr. Michael Bailey OFM, CC
☎ 526 006
In Residence:
John Acton.

ADORATION

10:30am to 7p.m.
Monday to Friday.
(except Bank holidays)

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: following 10am Mass

MORNING PRAYER

Monday 9:45am - except Bank Holidays.
Week 3 of the Breviary.

This Weekend

READERS

5.30pm Corbett Family
9.30 am Burke Family
11a.m. Bennett Family
12.30pm Mc Donogh Family
6p.m. Parish Team

Linens
Flowers
Ann O’Connor
Dorothy King