

Mass Intentions this Week include:

We pray for those who died recently — **Kevin Mc Daid**, Kilkenny ,brother of Pascal, Brooklawn . We pray for all those with Anniversaries, Birthday Remembrances at this time. Etc

Sat 22nd	5.30pm	Pat & Peggy Stack (A); Tom Mannion (A); Evelyn Finan (2nd A); Mary & Coil Joyce (A) Amby & Nancy Roche & Family (A)	G.J.
Sun 23rd	9.30am	Tess O'Brien (A)	M.B.
	11 am	Sean Mc Manamon (A); Mary Ellen & Leo Murphy (A) Kieran Boran (A); Pat Mc Donagh (A) Martin & Ciss Lardner (A); Vincent Harrington (A) Dermot & Queenie O'Bric (A)	D.W.
	12.30pm	Bernard Skelly (10th A); Padraic Gill (A); Patrick & Bridget Ruane (A) & Family Jim & Peggy Kearney (A) & their daughter Nora Caroline & Christopher Barnwall (A)	C.S.
	6 pm	Eva Holland, Brooklawn (Months Mind) Jack Fitzpatrick (2nd A); Martin Scully (A)	G.J.
Mon 24th	10am	Ben & Peg Campion (A); Special Intention	C.S.
	4pm 6pm 9pm	Toddlers Mass Children's/Youth Mass Family Mass	
Tues 25th	9.30 am 11 am 12.30pm	Anne Gallagher (A) ; Cunningham & Keogh Fams. Tony O'Connor (Oaklands) R.I.P. Special Intentions	C.S D.W
Wed 26th	10am	Noreen Murray, Beach Court (Months Mind) Phyl Long (A); Noel May (2nd A) Tess & Michael Horan (A)	MSC
Thurs 27th	10am	Peter & Agnes Houlihan (A); Special Intention	G.J
Fri 28th	10am	Kevin Jennings (18th A); Brendan & Eileen Guinnane (A)	G.J
Sat 29th	10am	Special Intention	C.S

Next Weekend:

Sat 29th	5:30pm.	Clodagh Dunleavy, Devon Park (Months Mind) Nuala Coogan, Dalton Drive (Months Mind) Michael Coker (B'day Remb); Mary Thornton Kearney (A) Martin & Ellen Kearney (A)
Sun 30th	9.30am	Private Intention
	11 am	Therese Cunningham (3rd A); Laura Thornton (9th A)
	12.30pm	Mary Mannion , Lenaboy Gardens (Months Mind) Stan & Margaret O'Reilly (A); Billy Kelly (A); Denis Byrne (6th A)
	6pm	Private Intention



SALTHILL PARISH

23rd December 2018



"CHRIST THE KING PARISH — A FAMILY OF FAMILIES"

Christmas Masses in Salthill

24th Christmas Eve: 4pm - "Toddlers Mass" Please leave to toddlers
6pm. Children/Youth Mass
9pm. Parish Mass / Families

Christmas Day: 9:30am; 11am. 12:30 (No Evening Mass on Christmas Day)

St Stephens Day. No evening Mass on Wednesday 26th Dec.

After Christmas Mass daily at 10am weekdays and regular schedule at weekends

Parish Office will be closed over Christmas Holiday Period.. Dec 23rd—January 2nd.

Priest will be on duty and contactable each day after the 10am morning Mass or via phone for urgent matters (091-523413)

Adoration closed for Christmas from Fri 21st. until January 7th. (Adoration will be at the Crib).

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The Christmas story is a reminder by God that we are loved, that we should reach out to our neighbour and that we should be humble and generous enough to Dream about "Glory to God in the Highest and Peace on Earth to People of Good will".

Huge "Thank You" for your continued support, prayers and involvement,
A Very Happy Christmas to all our Parishioners and Families.

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



Peace on earth, Goodwill to all



Christmas allows us the time to spend quality time together and to show each other that we care and that our families are important.

Throughout the year most of us are caught up in a hectic whirlwind of activities which start on Monday morning, end on Sunday night and then begin all over again. Time slips by as we rush to complete urgent tasks which relate to juggling jobs, running the household, chauffeuring our children, our parents, relatives and spouses to work, school, appointments and commitments.

Let your Christmas start today even as you rush around finishing the last bits and pieces, allow a smile to shine through you as you think of how fortunate we are to have this time. Take time to press the reset button and get a chance to let bygones be bygones. Make that phone call, send that card, reach out to another and be amazed at how good it will feel.

Christmas dinner is always special as we all sit around the table and actually stop and talk. Why not take a walk on the prom. Talk about the changes you see and what your children observe around them as you go on these walks. The act of walking whilst you talk may actually make it easier for children to bring up difficult topics or problems they face because they have something else (like walking) to focus on when they bring these subjects up.

Christmas is a good time to share stories about your family's history. Dig out your old photo albums and look through them with your children. Add new pictures to the family collection together and make this a regular activity.

Christmas and a New Year might be a time to sit and have a good chat and explore new ways of "being family". How to overcome the new craze of social media and computer games is today's challenge. Teenagers are discovering the social world beyond their immediate family. They spend a lot of time with their friends, finding out who they are as individuals and learning how to socialise beyond the family. This New Year try opening up your home and welcome your teen's friends to get to know them better.

In the darkest days we await for some light to come into our lives as we struggle and despair. There is always hope. At Christmas we remember that hope can be found in the least expected place like a stable and a baby.

*The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us.
We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son,
who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.* (John 1:14)

To all our Parishioners, friends at home and abroad "Nollaig Shona Duit"
From - The Parish Team.

Age Action runs beginner and refresher computer/Internet classes for people aged 55+. Starting in Jan 2019 each course runs for 5 consecutive weeks (2 hours per week) and there is no fee. For further info or to book a place on our call Age Action on 527831

All our Masses including up and coming Christmas Ceremonies will be broadcast on our Web Cam - [www"salhillparish"](http://www.salthillparish.com).

There will be a Rosary Rally in Eyre Square, on Tuesday 1st January 2019 at 12 noon, the Feast of the Mother of God.

May God —

grant you lightness in your step,
a smile on every face you meet,
Loved ones gathered at your hearth,
and at your door, good friends to greet
A holy hymn upon your lips,
a window candle burning bright,
And may the Good Lord bless your
Heart and come to dwell there
Christmas night.

MASS TIMES

WEEKENDS

Saturday: 5:30pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 9:30am, 11am,
12:30pm, 6pm.

WEEKDAYS

Mon — Sat: 10am,
Wednesdays: 10am & 7:30pm

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ADORATION

10:30am to 7p.m.

Monday to Friday.

(except Bank holidays

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: following 10am Mass

MORNING PRAYER

Mondays 9:45am - except Bank Holidays.

Week 3 of the Breviary.

Teams for December

Holy Communion:

5:30pm

Anne White

Marie O'Connor

Billy Hyland

Seamus Hynes

Mary Mc Donnell

9.30am

Ann Costello

Rosemarie Houlihan

Carmel Mahoney

Josephine Murphy

11am

Pauline Fitzgerald

Martina Murray

Mary Mc Namara

Anne Kitt

Val Mc Nicholas

12:30

Catherine Quinlan

Mary Comer

Patricia Buckley

6pm.

Billy Rooney

Mary Caulfield

Ushers/Collectors

5:30

Paddy Hennelly
Tony O'Connor
(Pollnarooma)

9:30

John Hannon

11am

Paul Colleran

12:30

Vincent O'Connor
Tom Murphy
Peadar Burke

6pm:

Brendan Reid

This Weekend

READERS

5.30pm Parish Reader

9.30 am Parish Reader

11a.m. Mc Manamon

Family

12.30 Skelly Family

6p.m. Holland Family

Linens

Maura Connolly

Nóirín Barrett