

Mass Intentions this Week

We pray for all those who died recently **Vincent Casserly**, Churchfields. Funeral Mass Monday at 12noon and for all with Anniversaries, Birthday Remembrances etc. at this time of the year and all who have gone to God. Including -

Sat	2nd	5.30pm	Brian O'Connell (1st A); Cecil O'Brien (1st A) Bob & Mary Mc Donald (A); Leo Allen (A) John F Bourke (B'day Remb) Diarmuid Rooney (18th B'day Remb) Liam Mc Elheron & decd family members Decd members of the Brierton family Jim Harmon and decd family members	G.J.
Sun	3rd	9.30am	Óisín Durkin R.I.P. Angela Reade (A)	G.J.
		11 am	Nora O'Dea (A) Patrick Molloy, Glenard Rd (41st A) Joseph O'Brien, Glenard Cres (45th A)	C.S.
		12.30	Breege (A) & Tom Kelly (RIP) Carragh Hill Robert Molloy (A); Kevin & Marie Barry (A) Yvonne & Christy O'Connor (A) Martin Joe & Mary Kate O'Connor (A)	D.W.
Mon	4th	10 am	Mary Dooley R.I.P. Special Intention	G.J.
Tues	5th	10am	Martin & Bridie Brennan (A)	G.J.
Wed	6th	10 am	Bernard & Mary Kate Brady (A)	MSC
Thurs	7th	10 am	Johnny & Maggie Behan (A) & decd family members Special Intention	C.S.
Fri	8th	10am	Gerry Corbett R.I.P. Rita Ledwith (nee O'Shea) (1st A) Michael & Annie O'Connor & decd fsmily members Clara Villarino Rodriguez (40th day Remembrance)	C.S.
Sat	9th	10am	Nicky Murray (3rd A)	G.J.

Mass Intentions Next Weekend include:-

Sat	9th	5.30pm	Donat Cantrell (15th A); Peadar Corbett (A) John Caulfield (4th A); Brendan (4th A) & Teresa Maher Deceased members of the Dunleavy & Doherty Families
Sun	10th	9:30am	Patrick O'Halloran (Kelly) R.I.P.
		11 am	Frank O'Halloran (A)
		12.30pm	John Lillis (A); John Mc Nama (7th A) John Mitchell & decd members of the Mitchell family.

PARISH NEWS

3rd October 2021

"CHRIST THE KING PARISH — A FAMILY OF FAMILIES"



Parish Notices.

All our Ceremonies are on-line "salthillparish.ie - live web cam". We hope you will join us on the airways in prayer for some of them.

Weekday Mass: 10 am

Saturday: Vigil mass at 5.30pm

Sunday: Mass at 9:30 and 11a.m & 12.30pm

Parish Office Open: 9:30am to 1p.m. 2p.m-4pm. Monday to Friday (Lunch 1-2)

Communions and Confirmations



Big Congratulations to all who received Confirmation and First Holy Communion this week. We look forward to a number of similar ceremonies in the coming week. Big Thanks to all involved, families, teachers and those involved in preparation etc.



The dates for the remaining Ceremonies are as follows

Confirmations

Fri 8th Oct Scoil Éinde (class of 2021) 5.30pm

Fri 15th Oct Scoil Íde (class of 2021) 5.30pm

First Communions

Sat 9th Oct Scoil Éinde 2pm

Notable Feasts this Week

Monday St Francis of Assisi

Tuesday Sr Faustino Kowalska - inspired "Divine Mercy Devotion",

Wednesday St Bruno.

Thursday Our Lady of the Rosary.

Saturday John Henry Newman.



THE NATIONAL BOARD FOR
SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN
IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Salthill Parish is committed to the protection of all children and young people in our Church.
See notice boards for contact persons.



SCATTERED THOUGHTS !

Dear Fellow Traveller,

Coming up next Saturday October 9th is the Feast of St John Henry Newman. (1801-1890). He was instrumental in the founding of the Catholic University of Ireland (CUI) in 1854 including University College, Galway . In many ways he remains a man of our times whose influence still shines. He was high class academic, a poet and writer, a theologian, and yet an uncomplicated simple man who understood Life and knew his God. Next time you drive by the University maybe you might reflect on how a small seed he founded one hundred and fifty years ago has grown. Reflect too on all the good that has come from it's noble halls over the years. It now has 20,000 students - a lot of brains in one place Our future is secure !

Originally an evangelical University of Oxford academic and priest in the Church of England, Newman became drawn to the high-church tradition of Anglicanism. He became one of the more notable leaders of what was called the "Oxford Movement" - (influential and controversial grouping of Anglicans who wished to return to the Church of England many Catholic beliefs and liturgical rituals from before the English Reformation). In this, the movement had some success. In 1845 Newman, joined by some but not all of his followers, officially left the Church of England and his teaching post at Oxford University and joined the Catholic Church. He was quickly ordained as a priest Birmingham. He was also a versatile literary figure: his major writings include the , the *Grammar of Assent* (1870), and the reflective poem *The Dream of Gerontius*, and the essay "The Idea of a University". He wrote the popular hymns "*Lead, Kindly Light*", "*Firmly I believe, and truly*" and "*Praise to the Holiest in the Height*" and lots of simple thoughtful prayers many of which are very well known today. As we honour his memory, we pray for a few more leaders and thinkers like him in our society !



Newman saw his mission in life like this : "*God has created me to do Him some definite service. He has committed some work to me which He has not committed to another. I have my mission. I may never know it in this life, but I shall be told it in the next. I am a link in a chain, a bond of connection between persons. He has not created me for naught. I shall do good; I shall do His work. I shall be an angel of peace, a preacher of truth in my own place, while not intending it if I do but keep His commandments. Therefore, I will trust Him, whatever I am, I can never be thrown*

away. If I am in sickness, my sickness may serve Him, in perplexity, my perplexity may serve Him. If I am in sorrow, my sorrow may serve Him. He does nothing in vain. He knows what He is about. He may take away my friends. He may throw me among strangers. He may make me feel desolate, make my spirits sink, hide my future from me. Still, He knows what He is about."

His prayers are simple and profound, the most well known is very popular: -

**"May the Lord support us all the day long,
Till the shades lengthen and the evening comes,
and the busy world is hushed,
and the fever of life is over,
and our work is done.**

**Then in his mercy may he give us a safe lodging,
and holy rest, and peace at the last. Amen".**

"Dear Jesus.

**Help me to spread Your fragrance everywhere I go.
Flood my soul with Your spirit and life.**

**Penetrate and possess my whole being so utterly,
that my life may only be a radiance of Yours.**

**Shine through me, and be so in me that every
soul I come in contact with may feel
Your presence in my soul.**

**Let them look up and see no longer me but only
Jesus!**

**Stay with me and then I shall begin to shine as
You shine,**

**so to shine as to be a light to others; The light, O Jesus
will be all from You; none of it will be mine;
It will be you shining on others through me."**

MASS TIMES

WEEKENDS

Saturday: 5:30pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 9:30am,
11am,
12.30pm

WEEKDAYS:

Mon —Sat.: 10am.

The Parish Office:

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2pm —4pm

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Priests of the Parish:

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Fr Charlie Sweeney MSC

Readers

5.30pm O'Brien Family

9.30am Patricia Flynn

11am Maeve Coyle

12.30pm Kelly Family

Flowers

Freda Whyte

Linens

Bridie O'Mahoney