

Mass Intentions this Week

We pray for all those who died recently **PJ Flaherty**, Flaherty's Pub, Lr Salthill, funeral Monday at 12noon; **Noreen O'Dowd**, Carragh Hill: **Maura Hayes**, Mincloon and ex Pollnaroona and Lr Salthill ;**David Gunning**, Salthill & Rathfarnham and for all with Anniversaries, Birthday Remembrances etc. at this time of the year and all who have gone to God. Including -

Sat	14th	5.30pm	Michael Croker (A) Tony O'Connor (9th A) Maureen & Barney Geraghty (A)	C.S.
Sun	15th	9.30am	Jennifer & Brian Silke (A) Special Intention (100th B'Day Sr Imelda Gill)	C.S.
		11 am	Liam & Anna O'Coinne (5th & 1st A) Delia O'Halloran (A) Séan & Maureen Coyne (A)	D.W.
		12.30	Tommy Kelly, Oaklands (1st A) Annie Henry (B'day Remb) Maureen Bourke (B'day Remb)	G.J.
Mon	16th	10 am	Michael Concannon (18th A)	G.J.
Tues	17th	10am	Bridie, Paddy, Rose & Dan Mahoney (A)	G.J.
Wed	18th	10 am	Eileen Morris R.I.P.	MSC
Thurs	19th	10 am	Maria, Dan, Jack & Joe Greaney (A)	C.S.
Fri	20th	10am	John Higgins (A); Thanksgiving;	C.S.
Sat	21st	10am	Fr Joe Ruddy MSC (Months Mind)	C.S.

Mass Intentions Next Weekend include:-

Sat	21st	5.30pm	Brendan Conway, Devon Park (Months Mind) Mary Sherlock (2nd A) Tom & Ellen Donohoe (A)
Sun	22nd	9:30am	David & Mary Mc Cormack (A) Special Intention
		11am	Aileen Kelly (27th A) Kay & Tommy Nevin & Fr Patrick Burke (A)
		12.30pm	Pat Mullins (3rd A) William & Bernadette Costello (A)



PARISH NEWS

FEAST of the ASSUMPTION today 15th August.

"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.

**Booking Necessary
for Weekend Masses**

Weekday Mass: 10 am

Saturday: Vigil mass at 5.30pm

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

Church Open daily for private prayer

Parish Office Open: 9:30am to 1p.m. 2p.m-4pm. Monday to Friday (Lunch 1-2)
Parishioners are asked to continue to "Register" for seats at the 9:30a.m and the 11am Mass on Sundays. People are asked to wear masks while in church and observe Social Distancing both in the Church and outside afterwards.

Thank You Yvonne

Moving on to pastures new is Yvonne Thornton who has job shared the position of Parish Administrative Secretary (with Rhona). for many years. Words are inadequate to express our gratitude and appreciation of the incomparable work performance and attitude she displayed during her 8 plus years in the Parish Office. We were all privileged to have her work for the parish, we are sorry to see her leave and we wish her every success and happiness as she takes up a new position with a local enterprise.



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,

The Olympics have come to a close. That they happened at all, is quite a miracle. It was a celebration of 00 commitment and persistence. I read a few days ago of the work of many of the athletes' families. The energy and cost and stamina is most impressive. These families are an example of greatness. The fine-tuning of the skills by the athletes is wonderful to behold and we all take delight in personal best, new records and high standards. In a way, the Olympics highlight that we are all Olympians. We arrive from God. We are loved into life. We are challenged to be the best we can be. We are unique. We have something different to offer life. There is no room for the moaners and the groaners. We are called to bring colour and light to the world. Laughter. Artistry. Beauty. Wonder. Miracle. Everyone has that within themselves. Kellie Harrington wanted to put a smile on the nation's face and she did. Her interviews were honest and very real. There was nothing robotic and artificial. She was lovely. She also remembered everyone; her family and neighbours; her workmates; her training team. We couldn't help but break into a smile. It wasn't the colour of the medal but rather the authenticity of the voice. The Gold medal is the icing on the cake. All that said, (there is a little bell in the back of my mind that questions whether it is good that Ladies should be boxing at all ! I suppose the same for men - is it actually Sport that two athletes should be trying to bash each others brains out ! Are we promoting violence or athleticism ? However, that argument is for another day).

There are Olympians all around us, heroic medics working long hours healing and consoling, wonderful parents caring and loving a child that doesn't understand or an ageing spouse caring for their lifelong partner who does not even know their name. I could go on - Heroes all around ! So let's celebrate achievement, hard work, dedication, the Human Spirit - the wonder of Life, the taste the lushness of good ice cream or a creamy pint ! People are wonderful. They are all around us. Life in all it's diversity is wonderful .

Have a good week.

G.J.

Cemetery Sunday – Bohermore August 15th

Galway City Council, in agreement with the Diocese, has decided that the 11.00am Graveyard Mass will be held behind closed doors and will not be open to the public. To facilitate the public, the Mass will be live-streamed via studiorove.ie/graveyardmass

Legion of Mary: The centenary of the foundation of the Legion of Mary is Tuesday 7 Sept, and to mark the occasion Bishop Brendan will celebrate a special Mass in the Cathedral at 7.30pm. Present and past members of the Legion are invited to attend.

A commemorative display is planned, so members or parishioners who have photographs, memorabilia, or any other material related to the Legion of Mary which could be used in a display are encouraged to send or bring them to the cathedral, where items will be scanned or photographed and returned immediately. To allow time for preparation of a display, items need to be received by 24 August.

MASS TIMES

ON-LINE ONLY

WEEKENDS

Saturday: 5:30pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 9:30am, 11am,
9Booking Necessary).

WEEKDAYS:

Mon –Sat.: 10am.

The Parish Office:

Hours: Mon-Fri: 9:30–1pm
2pm –4.pm

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Priests of the Parish:

Fr. Gerry Jennings 523 413

Fr Charlie Sweeney MSC

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Readers

5.30pm Parish Reader

9.30am Silke Family

11am O'Coinne Family

12.30pm Kelly Family

Flowers

Mary Mc Namara

Madge Broderick

Linens

Maura Connolly

Noírín Barrett