

Mass Intentions this Week - online only.

We pray for all those who died recently **Joe Woods**, Knocknacarra and ex Rockbarton Pk; **Sr Mai Eivers**, (Mercy sister), Rosary Lane and for all with Anniversaries, Birthday Remembrances etc. at this time of the year and all who have gone to God.

Sat 27th	5:30pm	Christy Walsh (Months Mind) Noreen & Austin Cunney, Glenard Crescent (1st A) Paddy Lydon, Burrenview Heights (2nd A) Roy Connery, Beach Court (3rd A) Patrick J Dobbryn, Carragh Hill (4th A) Mary & Joe Thornton (A)	C.S.
Sun 28th	9.30am	Decd members of the Mahoney & Greaney families Martin & Lena Donnellan & decd members of the Donnellan & Crowe families Holy Souls	T.P.
	11 am	Bridie O'Connell (Seamount) Months Mind Brian Silke, Kingston (1st A) Patrick Keogh, Rockbarton (2nd A) Jack Sheridan, Dr Mannix Rd (12th A) Deirdre Manifold (A) & Margaret Courtney (A) Paddy & Lily Mullen (A) Eileen & John Moriarty & decd family members	.G.J
Mon 29th	10 am	Decd Members of the Houlihan & Morris Family Carmel Walshe (nee Cunningham) R.I.P.	G.J.
Tues 30th	10am	John & Mary Newell (A) Oswald & Mary Routh (A) Nuala Benson R.I.P.	G.J.
Wed 31st	10 am	Joe Cummins (A) & decd members of the Niland and Cummins Family	MSC
Thurs 1st	8am	Private Intention	G.J.
Fri 2nd	12noon	Anniversaries _ - James Henry (A)	G.J
Sat 3rd	8p.m	Special Intention (60th Wedding Anniv) Special Intention (50th Wedding Aniv) Thanksgiving	C.S

Mass Intentions Next Weekend include:-

Easter Vigil 8pm Private Intention
Easter Sunday 9:30am Private Intention
11 am Joe Woods, (Ardmore) (2nd A)
Benedicta Jordan (1st A)
John & Mary Melody (Monksfield) (A)
Lena & Michael Kilboy & decd family members,

PARISH NEWS

28th March 2021

"CHRIST THE KING PARISH — A FAMILY OF FAMILIES"



Parish Notices.

No Public Masses until FURTHER NOTICE due to Covid restrictions.

All our Ceremonies are on-line "salthillparish.ie - live web cam". The following are the Parish arrangements for Holy Week and Easter. We hope you will join us on the airways in prayer for some of them.

Holy Week

Wednesday March 31st: "Service of Reconciliation & Penance" at 8pm

Holy Thursday, April 1st: Mass of the Last Supper 8p.m.

Good Friday, April 2nd: 12noon - Ceremony of the Passion
8p.m. - Prayer around the Cross

Holy Saturday: Easter Vigil ceremony and Easter Mass at 8p.m.

Easter Sunday: Mass at 9:30 and 11a.m.

Church Open daily for private prayer (after Mass til 7p.m.)

Parish Office open as usual Mon-Fri) 9:30am to 4:30pm (lunch 1-2pm).



Every year Trócaire asks for your help during Lent to fund life-saving programmes around the world. Trócaire needs your support this Lent. Donations can be made directly online or dropped in to the Parish Office and we will pass it on. Every donation, no matter how small, makes a significant difference. To compound poverty issues the people of the Third world are trying with little resources to cope with the pandemic like us all.

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,

I hope you are well and healthy. A short review of where we are at:

Present Position: The Covid figures remain stubbornly high and while the vaccine is beginning to take effect we are still in the throes of “lockdown” in terms of people being able to gather for Mass, Easter ceremonies, etc. Hopefully the government will be in a position to relax some of the restrictions in the coming weeks and when that happens we will circulate the parish with our plans for resumption of ceremonies etc. In the meantime we continue to keep the church open for private prayer and to keep the Parish Office open for individual services, Mass Cards, booking Anniversaries, arranging Funerals, Baptisms* etc.. *[We hope to resume regular Baptisms as soon as Level 5 restrictions are relaxed]. All First Communions and Confirmation ceremonies scheduled for this Spring have been postponed until the Autumn.

Parish Finance: Like a lot of enterprises the parish has suffered financially from Covid 19. Over the past year our income is down overall by between a third and a half. Traditionally we raised finance to keep the parish going primarily through “Sunday Offertory Baskets” and parish Collections three times a year (- at Christmas, Easter and Autumn.) Huge Thanks to all those Parishioners who continue to support the parish by dropping in envelopes and cheques to keep the parish afloat on an ongoing basis. When Level 5 restrictions are lifted we will organise The Easter Parish Collection in a traditional formal way. There are Collection Envelopes at the front of the church for those who wish to use them and there is a new Extra secure Donation Box beside the Sacred Heart shrine.

Have a good week. G.J

As a reflection for this week I came across a few lines from the late John O’Donoghue that caused me to pause and which you might find thoughtful.

This is the time to be slow,
Lie low to the wall
Until the bitter weather passes.
Try, as best you can, not to let
The wire brush of doubt
Scrape from your heart
All sense of yourself
And your hesitant light.
If you remain generous,
Time will come good;
And you will find your feet
Again on fresh pastures of promise,
Where the air will be kind
And blushed with beginning.

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MASS TIMES

ON-LINE ONLY

WEEKENDS

Saturday: 5:30pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 9:30am, 11am,

WEEKDAYS:

Mon —Sat.: 10am.

The Parish Office:

Hours: Mon-Fri: 9:30—1pm

2pm —4.30pm

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Readers

5.30pm Walsh Family

9.30am Carmel Mahoney

11am O’Connell Family

Flowers

Maureen Gibbs

Anne Markland