

Mass Intentions this Week

We pray for all those who died recently including **Pat Kenehan**, Oaklands; **Mary Madden**, Ard na Mara; **Annie Bambury**, Listowel, mother of Carmel Bambury, Rockbarton Nth; **Seamus Heavey**, Renmore brother of Sean, Devon Park; **Michael Maguire**, Wexford brother of Tom, Rockbarton Park and for all with Anniversaries, Birthday Remembrances etc. at this time of the year including and all who have gone to God.

Sat 19th	5.30pm	Siobhán Murray, Glenard Crescent (Months Mind) and her husband J P Murray (20th A) Johnny Holland, Dun na Carraige (Months Mind) and his parents Eva & John Holland (A) Mary Ann Madden, Ard Na Mara R.I.P.; Anna Rodgers (2nd A) Della Walshe (A) and decd members of the Walshe Family.(ex StellaMaris	G.J.
Sun 20th	9.30am	Michael Mangan (Remb) & decd members of the Mangan family	D.W.
	11 am	Bert Lynch (2nd); Paul Duffy (2nd A); Imelda Murphy (5th A) Joe & Maureen Heaslip (A) and their sons Michael & Danno	G.J.
	12.30pm	Colman Folan (A); Decd members of the Melody family. Paddy & Margaret Geraghty (A) and decd members of the Geraghty & Brennan families. Breeda Caulfield (A); Michael Ward (A) Do this in Memory Mass—First Communion	C.S.
Mon 21st	10 am	Special Intentions	G.J.
Tues 22nd	10am	Noirín Mulligan (Remb)	G.J.
Wed 23rd	10 am	Charlie & Alice Mc Con & their son Niall (Remb)	MSC
Thurs 24th	10 am	Chris Bowden (A) and her brother Brendan Keane Special Intention	C.S.
Fri 25th	10 am	Teresa Burke (2nd A); Matt Hanley (28th A) Elizabeth & James Devery (A); Pat Mc Namara (B'day Remb)	C.S.
Sat 26th	10 am	Pat Lohan , Kingston (Months Mind) Olivia Rooney (A)	C.S

Mass Intentions Next Weekend include:-

Sat 26th	5.30pm	Decd members of Salthill/Knocknacarra GAA Golf Society Thomas & Sheila Mc Evoy (A); Fintan Fogarty (A); Charlie Kearney R.I.P.; Eoin Sugrue R.I.P.; Pascal Mc Daid (3rd A) Michael, Ita & John O'Flynn (Remb); Paddy & Nora Walsh (Remb) Clare Fahy & Pat O'Flynn (Remb); May & Paddy Murray (A)
Sun 27th	9:30am	Peadar, Norah & Enda Joyce (A) ; Clare Mc Ginty (Remb)
	11am	Mary & Bernie Casey (2nd A) Fr Alfie O'Halloran (A); P J Coyle (A); Liam Hobbs (A) Sally O'Halloran & Breege Murphy (A)
	12.30pm	Maureen Concannon (3rd A); Commitment Mass for Confirmation Class

PARISH NEWS

20th November 2022 -

"CHRIST THE KING PARISH — A FAMILY OF FAMILIES"



Parish in Action

Big “Happy Birthday” ! Our Parish is 85years old this weekend. The church was built and dedicated to Christ the King 85years ago. We give thanks for its presence among us and for all the prayers and Masses said over the years. Big thanks to all who continue to support and be involved in our parish. Good history of the parish on the web side.

Thoughts on Thursday / RETIREMENT CONVERSATIONS.

Continues **Wednesdays' at 7 pm** and **Thursdays' at 11 am** .
More info on the new Parish Website.

Gentle Exercises: Every Friday in the Conference Room.at 11.45am.
Cost €5

Lunch Club meets every Friday in Galilee House at 1pm. Main course, dessert, tea/coffee, and biscuits followed by fun bingo and if you like, a game of cards. Contact Parish Office at (091) 523413 to book your place.

Ark Café : Every Monday after 10am Mass in Conference Room at the rear of our Church. Why not join us for a cup of tea/coffee, biscuits and a chat. All are welcome including visitors to our locality.

Website: We continue the review of our revamped website. The next Index item under **Other** is **Safeguarding Policy**. Click on **Safeguarding Policy** which brings you into the Diocese of Galway website. You can scroll that page to get contact details for the Safeguarding Office in the diocese. At the top of the page, you can select **Safeguarding** which provides further details on background, reporting, policies etc. Please share the website details with family and friends both home and abroad to stay connected.



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

JUST A THOUGHT:



Dear Fellow Traveller,

A nice little story for you this week

A long time ago, an old king wanted to make sure that after he had died that the one who inherited the kingdom would be good for the country

The king thought of a way to figure out which of his three sons was the smartest.. He told them " Under the palace is an empty cellar that is never used. Each one of you will have thirty days to fill the room with something. There should not even be an inch of room that is left empty.

The oldest son asked his servants to fill the room with stones and gravel. On the thirtieth day the king checked the cellar. He was proud of his son. The room was very full, even though there was still some spaces between the rocks and the gravel.

When it came to the second son he decided to fill the room with feathers. The room seemed to full to capacity. The King recognised that the room seemed full even though there were still some tiny spaces that could be filled.

As the days passed, nothing seemed to be happening with the third Son. The 20th day came. The king came to check on the work of the third son. When he opened the door, he smiled. There was the third Son holding a lit candle in his hand. He had filled the cellar with Light. The king was delighted. He said "My Son you are the wisest of them all. You will be my successor and the next king of this county. (I. Howard).

The story brings up a few thoughts.

- * Each of us need to think of what we leave behind for the next generation. Each of us should try to pass on the best we can to the next generation, be it people or goods.
- * As people get ready to put up Christmas Lights we need to recognise the wonder of light and appreciate what we have got.
- * Thirdly, Christmas celebrates "The Light of Christ" coming into the world to guide us.

Stay well and may Life be good to you.

Have a good week G.J.

FLOWERS: Big Thanks to our volunteer parishioners who have planted the front of the church with lovely plants which will light our path for the winter months.

REMINDER: During these dark evenings and nights pedestrians and cyclists are encouraged to wear bright clothes - sometimes it's hard to spot people with dark clothes on the road (even with street lights).

Our Car Park at the back of the church is quite small. It is intended primarily for those attending church. During quiet periods we are happy for parishioners to park for One Hour. No all day parking please. Please respect the integrity of the Car Park.

Croí Nua: Wed 23 Nov at 7.30pm: wellness coach Lizzie Harrison presents a workshop on mindfulness and self-compassion. For info go to Croí Nua's website www.croinua.com or see posters on Notice Board.

Western Alzheimers fundraising coffee morning on Tuesday 22 November, 10.30am to 1.00pm, at the Salthill Golf Club. All welcome.

Barry Bridge Club - has resumed every Tuesday evening @ 7.30pm in Bridge Centre, St Mary's Rd. New members and all Grades very welcome.

Ukrainian Appeal

We have a sewing club set up for our Ukrainian friends in Galilee House. They wish to showcase some of the patchwork items as well as jewellery products that they have put together from materials provided by parishioners. We are using this as an opportunity to raise funds for the people in Ukraine. Specifically, the sewing club wants the funds to be raised for Ukrainian families who are still living in Ukraine as they face many hardships over the next few months, particularly the harsh winter climate. They are going to showcase their items during the weekend of Nov 26th/27th after each of the 4 Masses in the Conference Room at the rear of the church. The Ukrainians will be providing homemade cakes and tea/coffee. All donations raised will go directly to the Zelenska foundation which was recommended to us by the Ukrainian Embassy. Please go to the website <https://zelenskafoundation.org/en> for further details. This foundation is headed up by Olena Zelenska, the president's wife and it focusses on providing humanitarian help as well as education and medical help for its people. We look forward to your support over the weekend. Donations can also be submitted to the parish office at any stage.

As a community we welcome those refugees from Ukraine who have been housed among us — in Rockbarton Park and Upper Salthill.

Teams for Oct Holy Communion:

5:30pm
Seamus Hynes
Clare Hynes
Frank Phelan
9.30am
Josephine Murphy
Maura Connolly
Tom Quigley

11am
Evangeline Cummins
Colette Burke

12:30
Mary Comer
Martin Brennan

MASS TIMES

WEEKENDS

Saturday: 5:30pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 9:30am,

11 am, 12.30pm

WEEKDAYS:

Mon —Sat.: 10am

Confessions:

Saturdays after 10am Mass
in the Adoration Chapel

The Parish Office:

Hours: Mon-Fri: 9:30—1pm
2pm —4pm

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Fr. Gerry Jennings 091-523413

Fr Charlie Sweeney MSC

523413

Weekend Readers

5.30pm Holland Family

9.30am Parish Reader

11am Duffy Family

12.30pm Do this in Memory

Flowers

Nuala Fitzpatrick

Linens

Maureen Kissane

Huge "Thank You" to
all our Volunteers and
Helpers..