

## Mass Intentions this Week

We pray and for all those who died recently and for all with Anniversaries, Birthday Remembrances etc. at this time of the year and all who have gone to God.

Sat 2nd	5.30pm	Nuala O'Donnell, Pointe Boise (Months Mind) P. J Dobbyn, (B'day Remb) Della & Pat Cunnane (A) Séamus & Nellie O'Donohoe (A)	MMcL
Sun 3rd	9.30am	Frank Murphy (A) Special Intention	MMcL
	11am	Paddy Feeney (A) Cian Comerford (A) Noel Kelly (12th A) Nora & Padhraic O'Flaherty (A) Martin Lardner (23rd A) Padraic O'Connor R.I.P.	MMcL
Mon 4th	10am	Dr Joe Conway (10th A) Eoin O'Kelly (12th A)	MMcL
Wed 6th	10 am	Michael & Catherine Dwane (A) Abbie Casey (49th A)	MMcL
Thur 7th	10am	Carmen Zarraondia (5th A)	MMcL
Fri 8th	10am	Marie Harty R.I.P. Special Intention	MMcL

### Mass Intentions Next Weekend

Sat 9th	5.30pm	Phil O'Dea, Carragh Hill (Months Mind) Gerry Gannon, Fr Griffin Rd (Months Mind) Mai & Bridget Croker (Remb) Mary Flanagan & Anne Gavin (Remb) Tom & Nora O'Reilly (A) Rita Kinneen (6th A) Nora Hession (A)
Sun 10th	9.30am	Alice & Sinéad Burke (A) & decd members of the Burke & Mackey families
	11 am	Philomena O'Connor, Oaklands (Months Mind) Mary Kavanagh (8th A) Jack & Mary Sheridan (A) Peter & Lily Burke (A) Fr Seamus Heaney (A) Mairéad & Tom Whelan (A)

# PARISH NEWS

SUNDAY 3rd March 2024



**"CHRIST THE KING PARISH — A FAMILY OF FAMILIES"**



**Trócaire:** Many thanks to all who so generously contributed to the Trócaire collection last weekend. A total of €6,700 was raised. Your support is greatly appreciated.

### Parish in Action

#### **'MID WEEK MEET UP'.**

#### **SING ALONG afternoon Wed March 6th at 3 pm.**

Mens Shed are hosting this event and calling on men to come along. Music by Damien with lots of old favourites to enjoy. All are welcome Parish is about getting out and sharing with each other our good company.



On **Wed 13th** we plan a tip to the Museum to meet there at **11 a.m.**  
**Mark it in your diary and invite others. The more the merrier .**

**Enneagram. Resumes March 7th (no meeting this week).** Time to refresh or an introduction to this age tried and tested method. Drop in policy.

**Knitting & Crochet Group:** Every Thursday from 12.30pm in Galilee House. Bring your own knitting or crochet project to work on and share ideas in a social setting. €2 per person. From time to time the group hosts guided learn-to-crochet classes. These will be publicised here in advance.

**Gentle Exercises:** Every Friday @ 11.45am, Cost is €5 per person.

**Ark Café:** Every Mon after 10am Mass . Why not join us for a cup of tea/ coffee, biscuits, and a chat in a relaxed atmosphere. All are welcome.



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



## Spring

Such is the grip of winter– we long to escape  
Such is the darkness of winter– we yearn for the sun.

Yet, in the grip of darkness  
Restless seeds struggle toward the light;  
From the darkness of the earth buds will burst forth  
And dull landscapes will be splashed with colour.

Spring invites us into the expectation,  
Thrills us with anticipation,  
Awakens us from the quiet months  
And enlivens our yearning hearts.

As life breaks out from the earth  
The Lord of Spring,  
Working in our hearts,  
Calls us to new life

As life breaks out from the earth  
The Lord of Spring,  
Working in our church,  
Calls us to a new hope.

As life breaks out from the earth  
The Lord of Spring,  
Working in our world,  
Calls us to new vitality.



## Matters of some interest.

**St Patricks Weekend**—Dance with the “Hit Men”  
Friday 15th March , Claddagh hall 8pm. Tickets €10  
All proceeds to maintenance of Claddagh Church

**Songs of Peace this Spring:** Galway Choral Association is open to new members for the spring term, working towards a concert about Peace in early May, directed by Dr Darina McCarthy. We are a 60-voice SATB choir, based in Galway City, and have vacancies in all sections. Choral experience and ability to read music are helpful: Love of music and willingness to work on learning are essential. See [www.galwaychoral.ie](http://www.galwaychoral.ie) for more info and email [admin@galwaychoral.ie](mailto:admin@galwaychoral.ie) if you are interested.

**Knocknacarra ICA** -Book signing and stories-11th March. Meet and greet exciting new author Marie O Connor who will share extracts from her debut novel "Whisiers on Main Street" . Venue Community Rooms over Tesco @ 8pm Admisson free. Everyone welcome.Refreshments will be served.

**Hopespace** - A free public talk on "Strategies for Supporting Grieving Adolescents" has been organised for Wednesday 20th March 2024, at 7.30pm in the Galvia Suite, Connacht Hotel, Galway. This is a free event but must be booked in advance Bookings can be made through the Eventbrite link below or by emailing [support@hopespace.ie](mailto:support@hopespace.ie)<https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/strategies-for-supporting-grieving-adolescents-free-public-talk-tickets-dtcreator>

**West of Ireland Beginning Experience:** Separated, Divorced, Widowed. Are you coping? Do you need more Support than family and friends can provide. Residential Weekend 22nd/24th March “Star of the Sea Centre, Mullaghmore, Co Sligo. Further info Phone Maureen 087 6646896

### **Teams for March Holy Communion:**

**5:30pm**  
Jo Vaughan  
Joe Toner  
Frank Phelan  
Mary Bleeker

**9.30**  
Josephine Murphy  
Mary O'Mahony  
Carmel Mahoney  
Barbara Garvey

**11am**  
Martin Brennan  
Ann Flanagan  
Mary Comer  
Evangeline Cummins  
Marian Mitchell

## MASS TIMES

### WEEKENDS

Saturday: **5:30pm** (Vigil)  
Sunday: **9:30am**,  
**11 am**,

### WEEKDAYS:

Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri. **10am**

### Confessions:

Saturdays after 10am Mass  
in the Adoration Chapel  
**Adoration:** Rosary followed  
by Adoration until 6pm.  
Every day Mon–Friday after  
10am mass

### The Parish Office;

Hours: Mon–Fri: 9:30–1pm  
2pm –4.ppm

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### Parish Co-Ordinator:

Frank Keane.

**Parish Sister:** Sr Breege Ruane

**Projects:** Rita Hoy

**Priests of the Parish:**

Fr. Michael Mc Loughlin  
523413

### Weekend Readers

5.30pm O'Donnell Family  
Noeleen Boylan  
9.30am Barbara Garvey  
11am Comerford Family  
Shane O'Mahony

### Flowers

Maureen Gibbs  
Anne Marie Markland

### Linens

Maureen Kissane

Huge “Thank You” to all our  
Volunteers and Helpers..