

Mass Intentions this Week

We pray for those who died recently **Michael Kelly**, The Maples (funeral arrangements later) and for all Anniversaries and Birthday Remembrances at this time of the year, and all who have gone to God.

Sat 10th	5.30pm	John Lillis (A); Johnny Holland (A) Séamus Brennan (A) & decd members of the Brennan and Mc Donnell families Bob & Mary Mc Donald (A) Monksfield Dr Billy Herterich (A)	MML
Sun 11th	9.30am	Sonny Forde (100th B'day Remb) & his wife Patsy Nicky Murray (A) Robert Molloy (10th A) Kevin & Marie Barry & their son Kevin (Remb)	MML
	11am	Angela Dennehy (nee Kavanagh) ex Lenaboy Gardens (Months Mind) Mattie Monaghan (A) Special Intention	MML
Mon 12th	10am	Phil Lally (A) James, Noreen & Corry O'Regan (A) Special Intention	MML
Wed 14th	10am	Frank O'Halloran (A) Pat Mullen (A) Brid O'Loughlin (A) James Mullane & Maranna Mc Loughlin (A) Special Intention	MML
Thur 15th	10am	Mae & Luke Bree (A)	MML
Fri 16th	10am	Private Intention	MML

Mass Intentions next week

Sat 17th	5.30pm	Sr Enda Egan, Months Mind Peadar Corbett (A) Rory Keane (A) Dominic & Bridget Curran (A) Edward Wrynn (2nd A) John Mulholland (A) Brendan Lynas (3rd A) Charles Reid (A) Elsie Cuffe (3rd A)
Sun 18th	9.30am 11am	Julia Healy (A) Eamon Goggin (A) Maura Diskin (A) & her husband Padraic & their son Pat



PARISH NEWS

SUNDAY 11th October 2026

"CHRIST THE KING PARISH — A FAMILY OF FAMILIES"

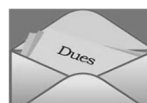


ONE IN CHRIST,
United in Mission

100 YEARS OF WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

**World Mission Sunday
October 18th, 2026**

Mission Sunday Next Weekend Mission Sunday 19th October - a second collection will be taken up at all Masses next weekend in aid of the Mission of the Church - particularly where it works in countries where the Church is fragile or new. Your contribution can make a huge difference to the many, varied and important works of the Church in parishes all over the world who work to bring the Good News to families, children, the poor, the sick, the elderly and to all. Please remember the intention of missionaries in your prayer and consider giving in the collection. Thank you.



Autumn Dues envelopes are located in Church Porch. Your contributions are greatly appreciated. Thank You.

Parish in Action

Finding Rest Take time to Pause, Take time for yourself. New group Fridays @ 10.30am in Galilee House. See Notice Board for full details.

Lunch Club; Every Friday @ 1pm in Galilee House.

Contact Parish Office if you would like to join us.

Ark Café: Every Monday after 10am Mass in Conference Room at the rear of our Church. . All welcome.

Mens Shed: Tuesday in Galilee House @ 10.30am

Gentle Exercises: Wednesday's @ 12.30 and Fridays at 11.45 am

Crochet: Thursdays in Galilee House. 12pm to 1.30pm.

Holy Communion Rota for October

5:30pm

Frank Phelan
Michael Mc Cann
Sheila Garvey
Renee de Souza

9.30am

Margaret Quigley
Tom Quigley
Mary O'Mahoney
Mary O'Hara
Mary Mc Donnell
Mary Bleeker

11am

Mary Comer
Catherine Quinlan
Evangeline Cummins
Ann Flanagan
Fiona Jackson

WOULD YOU ACCEPT THE INVITATION?

Imagine **receiving an invitation to a wonderful wedding feast.** Everything has been prepared. The tables are laid, the food is ready, and a place is waiting for you.

But before accepting, wouldn't you want to know who was inviting you? In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus tells of a king who prepares a wedding feast for his son. Surprisingly, many of those invited refuse to come. Some are too occupied with their farms and businesses, while others respond with hostility. It is a challenging story, particularly as the king's generosity is followed by severe judgment.

But perhaps it raises a question we seldom ask ourselves:

Who do I believe God is?

Do I see God as someone who makes demands upon me, someone to be feared, or someone who lovingly invites me into a fuller experience of life?

The way we understand God influences the way we respond to him.

As autumn settles around us, the harvest reminds us of another kind of invitation. After the busyness of summer comes a time to gather the fruits, share a meal, enjoy one another's company and give thanks.

Yet how easily we become so occupied with the business of living that we overlook the life we have already been given.

Throughout the Gospels, Jesus invites us to discover a God who loves, forgives and calls us into relationship. His invitation may reach us through a moment of silence, an unexpected kindness, someone needing our attention or a quiet stirring within our hearts.

But how do we recognise it?

Perhaps we begin by making time to notice, to question, to listen and to discover whether our choices are leading us towards greater love, compassion and gratitude.

This week, rather than simply asking whether we would attend the feast, perhaps we might ask:

What am I putting my faith in, and what does the way I spend my time reveal about that faith?

And let us remember:

DON'T BECOME SO BUSY MAKING A LIVING THAT YOU FORGET TO LIVE.

Prayer

Lord Jesus,

Help us to know You more deeply, beyond the images and expectations we have formed.

Open our eyes to the gifts of life, our ears to Your invitation, and our hearts to Your love.

Teach us to recognise Your presence in the ordinary moments of our days and give us the courage to respond.

Amen.

Croí Nua, Taylors Hill.

Re-Imagining the Divine in Celtic Spirituality

Thursday 15 October, 7.30–9.30pm €10 Facilitator: Dara Molloy

“Wood” You Believe

Friday 23 October, 7.30–9.30pm & Saturday 24 October, 10am–4pm €60 Facilitators: Fr Jim Cogley & Luba Rodzhuk

Our Lady of Győr, Consoler of the Afflicted - Solemn Enshrinement and Blessing of the new devotional shrine, Galway Cathedral, Sunday 4 October at 6.00pm, celebrating the links between our Dioceses and the Diocese of Győr.

The annual October Rosary Procession will take place in Galway Cathedral each Sunday of October at 8.00pm.

HopeSpace, children's grief support service is hosting a free public talk titled **‘Supporting Grieving Children’** at **7.30pm on Monday, October 12, 2026, at Dexcom Stadium**. This session is designed to offer clear, compassionate guidance on recognising how children experience loss, normalising their reactions, and finding practical ways to support them through their grief. See Notice Board.

Admission is free, but prior booking is advised

Knocknacarra ICA will host a talk by Community Garda Damien Carey on Monday October 12th at 8pm in the meeting rooms behind Tesco. Intending new members are welcome to attend.

"The Art of Presence: Yours to Step Into." A morning workshop to discover the natural charisma already within you. Saturday, October 17th, 10am - 2pm, Croí Nua, Taylor's Hill, Galway. €40 + Eventbrite booking fee. Advance booking required. Any questions, please contact Maria at 085-8357566, mariakingguidance@gmail.com.

Age Action free Digital Drop-In service. We offer help with IT issues on your phone/laptop/tablet.

Tuesdays 11am-12pm.

Age Action, 3 St. Francis Street, Galway City.

MASS TIMES

WEEKENDS

Saturday: **5:30pm (Vigil)**

Sunday: **9:30am,
11 am,**

WEEKDAYS:

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

Confessions: Any time on request

Adoration: Rosary followed by Adoration until 6pm. Every day Mon, Wed Thurs Fri after 10am mass
Tues 11am to 6pm

The Parish Office:

Hours: Mon-Fri: 9:30–1pm
2pm –4pm

Orna Hosty {Mon –Wed}

Rhona Bolger [Thurs-Fri]

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Priests of the Parish:

Fr. Michael Mc Loughlin
523413

Parish Co-Ordinator:

Frank Keane.

Parish Sister: Sr Breege

Weekend Reader

5.30pm Ann Holian

9.30am Molloy Family

11am Barbara Garvey

Flowers

Linens

Maura O'Halloran
Huge “Thank You” to all our Volunteers and Helpers..