

**WEEKEND MASSES**  
 St. Mary's: Saturday: 6:00pm  
 Sunday: 8:00am, 11:00am, 1:00pm  
 St. Oliver's: Saturday: 7:00pm  
 Sunday: 10:00am, 12:00noon  
 Our Lady's Hospital: 9:00am

**WEEKDAY MASSES**  
 St. Mary's: Tues - Sat 10:00am  
 St. Oliver's: Wed - Fri 9:15am



## St Mary's Parish Navan



**OFFICE OPENING HOURS**  
 Monday: 11am-1pm & 2pm-5pm  
 Tuesday-Friday: 9am-1pm; 2pm-5pm  
 Telephone: 046-9027518  
 Email: [office@navanparish.ie](mailto:office@navanparish.ie)  
 Web & Cam: [www.navanparish.ie](http://www.navanparish.ie)

Instagram Facebook Twitter @NavanParish

**DUTY:** FR LOUIS ILLAH  
**FUNERALS:** FR ROBERT MCCABE

**WELCOME HOME TO ALL WHO WILL SPEND  
CHRISTMAS WITH YOUR FAMILIES!**

**WE WISH ALL OUR PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS  
A HAPPY AND A BLESSED CHRISTMAS AND WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR  
PRAYERFUL & GENEROUS SUPPORT OF  
THE PARISH COMMUNITY DURING THE PAST YEAR.**

**WE INVITE YOU TO TAKE A 2018 PARISH CALENDAR HOME.**

### CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES

**St. Mary's Church**  
**6:00pm** (Mass for young families) & **8:00pm**  
**Mass in St. Oliver's**  
**6:00pm** (Mass for young families) & **8:00pm**

### CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES

Usual Sunday schedule.

### Confessions (today) Sunday:

St. Mary's: 2:00-4:00pm

### DAILY MASSES

**St. Mary's:** 10:00am Mass only  
 No 8:00am daily Mass Tues 26 – Fri 29 Dec  
**St. Oliver's:** 9.15am: Wed 27, Thurs 28 & Fri 29

### PARISH SHOP DATES & HOURS

**10:00 – 4:00pm** (no lunch break)  
 Wed 27 December – Sat 30 December 2017  
 Tues 2 January – Sat 6 January 2018

### HYMN FOR ADVENT WEEK 4



O come, o come, Emmanuel,  
 And ransom captive Israel,  
 that mourns in lonely exile here  
 until the Son of God appear.

**Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
 Shall come to you, O Israel!**

O come, thou Key of David, come  
 And open wide our Heavenly home.  
 Make safe the way that leads on high  
 and close the path to misery.

**Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
 Shall come to you, O Israel!**

Rosary in St Mary's Church every evening 6:30pm.

### Parish Office & Parish Bookings Office

will re-open on Tuesday 2 January at 11am.

**World Meeting of Families Icon** is available at the Crib for use at the family table/prayer space.

**Carols at the Crib** – Parishioners and visitors are invited to gather in St Mary's at 6:00pm during the Twelve Days of Christmas. The Music & Singers' schedule is at [www.navanparish.ie/Christmas](http://www.navanparish.ie/Christmas)

**Navan Male Voice Choir Carol** will sing in St Oliver's Church on Christmas Day at 11:30 am prior to singing at 12 o'clock Mass

**Baptism Preparation Course** has concluded for Christmas period. It resumes on **Wed 3 January.**

### RECENTLY DECEASED

**Colette McLoughlin**, Abbeygrove;  
**Breda Brennan**, Aylesbury Lodge;  
**Vincent Blake**, Academy Street;  
**John Stokes**; St. Patrick's Park;  
**Yvonne O'Callaghan**, Clondalkin & Parnell Park;  
**Seán Goodwin**, Kells Road  
**Seán Foran**, Manchester & Sligo;  
**Anna Jennette née Boylan**, Raharney  
*Suaibneas síoraí, tabhair dóibh, a Thiarna!*

**SUPPORTING MEALS ON WHEELS:** Sincere thanks to the following who have provided generous support to providing this service to 90 members of our community: **St. Patrick's Classical School** €900; **Wellman International** for €500; **Mercy Secondary School Carol Service** €541; **Michael Gavigan** €250; **Anonymous Donations:** €500; €250; €300; €75; €50; €50.

**One space ...One Car.** Users of St Anne's carpark are reminded to observe the white and double yellow lines as a courtesy to all parishioners.

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

St Vincent de Paul freephone: 1800 677 777.

St Mary's Musical Society Christmas Panto  
*Beauty and the Beast* 4-7 Jan in Solstice. Family  
ticket €60. Matinee 2:30pm on Sat and Sun only.

Navan Road Club St Vincent de Paul novelty  
cycle Christmas Day 11:00am from the Ramparts.

Free 5 week Basic Laptop, iPhone, iPad,  
SmartPhone or Tablet Classes in Claremont  
Stadium on Thurs 11 Jan 10:00am -12:00 noon and  
class starting on 19 Jan from 10:00 am - 12:00noon  
– Meath Partnership. Phone 046 9280790

### MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE COMING WEEK IN THE SEASON OF CHRISTMAS

**SATURDAY:** St. Mary's 6:00pm John Maguire, Antylstown (Month's Mind)  
St. Oliver's 7:00pm Thomas Tom Farrell, Clusker Park (First anniversary)

**TUESDAY:** St. Mary's 10:00am St. Joseph's Young Priests (Funeral permitting).

**SATURDAY:** St. Mary's 10:00am **Anniversaries occurring:** Una Sherlock – Charles & Margaret Gallagher –  
Julia Stapleton – John Feeley – Benedetto Lieghio – Patrick Wolfe – James Mullins – Catherine Doolan – Josie Kerrigan –  
Paddy Smith – Mary Ann Nancy Smith – Johnny Clarke – Joe Nugent – Ann McNulty – Una Sherlock – Joseph Cregan &  
Josephine White – Justin Ward – Pat & Elizabeth Smyth – Kathleen & John Meleady – Freddie Griffith (2)

**SATURDAY:** St. Mary's 6:00pm Bridget Rowe, Mellows Terrace (Month's Mind)  
St. Oliver's 7:00pm Maureen O'Hare, England (Month's Mind)

**SUNDAY:** St. Mary's 11:00 am Frankie Farrelly, Railway Street (Month's Mind)  
St. Anne's 2pm African Catholics' Community Mass

**Masses requested:** Edward, Jane & Johanna Moyles - Dolores, Seamus, Kathleen & Bob Collins - Eddie & Betty O'Toole &  
Joan Rattigan - Brian & Bridie O'Connor - Henry & Rita McKiernan & Kevin Honan - Kevin, May & Bridie Coogan - Colm Irwin &  
Laura Kenny - Jack & Ronnie Gleeson - Jack & Monica Carberry - Owen & Monica Barbara - Mary & David Dillon - Thomas &  
Lena Loughran - Molly & Paddy O'Brien - Margaret, Imelda & Patrick Sharkey - Sharkey, Coyle, Fenlon, Fitzsimons fam - Harry &  
Helen Finnegan - Lily & Eamonn Boyle - Ronan & Freddie Reilly - Mattie, Moria, Jimmy & Audrey Proctor - Tony, Mary & John  
Boland - Teresa Powderly née Boland - Frank, Elsie & Dessie Lallaway - Thomas & Julia Carolan - Tony & Violet Carolan - Mick  
Richardson - John, Mary, Pa, Ann, Teresa & Imelda Brennan - Conrad Sharkey (2) - Teresa Boland née Sharkey - Thomas Tom Gavin  
- May Gavin - John Johnny Gavin - Joan Gavin née Crsobie - Mary Skelly née Gavin - Rosa & Albert O'Brien - Thomas Tommy  
Gavin - Thomas Gargan - Eamonn Crosbie - Rosa & Albert O'Brien - Jack, Mary Alfie & Imelda Nelson - Da & Agnes Murphy -  
Tommy & Molly Foster & Marcella Kinsella - Eileen Hurley - Patrick, Elaine & Noel Woods - Mary 'Mamie' McLoughlin (5) -  
Gerry, Mary & Gerald Carolan & Lily Carolan - Audrey Gibney - Brendan O'Brien - Nicky Lambe - Mattie McGoona Jnr - Josie  
King née Gibney - George Gibney - Lynch & Lowen fam - Gary Tully - Tommy & Eileen Conlon - Tommy & Jane Cahill - Rita  
Timmons - Josie Blake - Michael Dunne - Sr Joe Dunne - Benny & Kathleen Kane - Jackie Carroll - Annie, Gerard, Aidan, Patrick  
Jnr Smith & Patricia Thornton - Angela Mennis - Sarah & John Mennis - Sr Francis & Fr Jim Mennis - John Mennis - Bridie, Joseph  
& Madeline Govern (2) - Peggy & Billy Murray (2) - dec mem Lane fam - Thomas, Patricia, Liam & Brendan O'Brien - Frank Hosie  
- Bridie & Jack Keogan - Peg & Edward Seery - Helen Borez, Mattie Snr, Mary, Mattie Jnr & Ken McGoona - Anthony & Pat  
Rogers & Reilly fam - Meta Geraghty - Stewart "Dewi" Rennicks - Healy & Murray fam - James Fox - Mary Ann Masterson -  
Marion, Peter & John Dunne - Pauline Leonard - Patricia, Kitty, Bridget & Jack Savage - Eileen Hope - Walter & Bridget Barrett -  
Jack & Molly Moyles - Pat, Charlotte & Jim Thornton - Michael, Mary, Paddy & Michael Leddy - James, Christina & Matthew  
McCabe - Laurence & Eileen McEnteggart & Carmel Lynch - Stephen Clarke - Richard & Kathleen Boylan - John, Christy & Andy  
Boylan - Patti McAteer née Boylan - Gertie Lenehan - Anna Jennette née Boylan - Charlotte Thornton- Smith fam - Denis & Sheila  
Smith - Burke fam - Jimmy, Teresa, Patrick & Anne Ratty - Blake & Sheridan fam - Terry Bennan & Kane & Brennan fam - Joan  
Rattigan - dec mem Rattigan & Moyles fam - Marie Walsh nee Rattigan - dec mem Walsh & Rattigan fam - Matt & Kitty Keating -  
Fred & Tera McDonagh - Jimmy Coogan - Marie Clarke (2) - Paddy Clarke - John & Christina Blake - Caroline Harten née Fitzsimons  
- Colm Walsh - Kevin, Elizabeth & John Flynn - Joe & Brigid Bunt Burke - Nell Butler - Mona & Michael Farrelly - Ann & James  
Faulkner - Michael, Mary & David Curley - Michael, Mary & Mickey Clifford - Manus, Donal & Kathleen McNamee - Carol Moran -  
John, Maura & Arthur Coldrick - Christopher Connor - Byrne Fam - Lal Smyth - Finnegan & Farrelly fam - Laurence & Julia Smyth -  
Kate Boyle - Patrick, Mary & Tony Faulkner - Jack, Annie, John Joe, Michael, Patrick & Esther Carolan - Donal Caprani - Boyle &  
Faulkner fam - Carmel & Oliver Rennicks - Patrick & Anna Mary Crosby - George Foley - Imelda Maguire (2)- Joe Byrne - Tommy &  
Bridget Byrne - Brendan & Enda Cahill - Hugh Nolan - Molly & Jimmy Byrne - Kitty & Eugene Duignan - Tom O'Brien - Carmel &  
Reggie Clarke - Paddy Heery (2) - Marie Clarke (2) - John & Chrissie Blake (2) - Paddy Clarke - Vincy Blake - Noreen & Roy Simpson  
- Michael & Ann Clarke - Teresa, Jimmy, Tommy & Jim McKenna - Stena & Tony Carberry - Jim Cahill - dec mem Kane fam -  
Pauline Leonard - Paddy Clarke

### MANY THANKS TO ALL PARISHIONERS WHO CONTRIBUTED TO LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS

OFFERTORY (plate collection) €3,845

DEVELOPMENT FUND: (envelopes) €2,973

FAMILY ENVELOPE BOXES ARE AVAILABLE IN THE PARISH OFFICE

### PLEASE SUPPORT THE SPONSOR OF THIS WEEK'S SUNDAY MESSAGE

SMITH'S SUPERVALU & JOHNSTOWN POST OFFICE

Johnstown Centre, Navan.

Tel. 909 1086/909 1088

Email: [smithjohnstown@supervalu.ie](mailto:smithjohnstown@supervalu.ie)