

# Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter

Sat 15th/Sun 16th December 2007

3rd Sunday of Advent 2007— Year A

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*Please Don't Litter Our Town*

## Saturday 15th - Sunday 16th

Sat 7pm	John Connolly, Shannagh
Sun 10am	Tim English—Month's Mind

## Week-Day Masses:

Monday 7pm	Tommy & Mary Connelly, Lisheen
Tues 7pm	Teresa & Christy McGrath, O'Keeffe Park
Wed. 9.30am	Thomas & Kate Egan, son-Michael & daughter Marsie, + Peter Egan
Thurs 9.30am	Marcella Maguire
Fri 10am	Mass with the children of the 3 Primary Schools.
Fri 7pm	Andrew, Catherine & Kathleen Mulryan, Mountkelly

## Saturday 22nd - Sunday 23rd

Sat 7pm	Paddy Donlon, Ballinastack
Sun 10am	The people of the parish

Please pray for John Raftery, Mountkelly whose anniversary occurs at this time.

10.30am Tuesday: Carol Service by the children of Ardeevin N.S.

**The Crib is being erected and the Church decorated today, Sunday, at 3pm.** People are invited to come out and help with the decorating.

St. Joseph's N.S., Glenamaddy  
No school tomorrow, Monday 17th

**Carol Service on Sunday  
next 23rd at 8pm**

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**  
every Monday 7am-12 noon & 6pm-10pm. All welcome

**Church Income last week-end:** Envelopes: €795 ; Baskets: €294; Shrines, papers, ads.: €155 Holyday: €792. Tax Refund: €330

### Glenamaddy Bingo:

On Wednesday night in the Community Centre at 8.30pm. €1,150 in prize money including €500 Jackpot on 48 calls or less.

### Community Clubs' Lotto:

No Jackpot winner in last Wednesday's draw; numbers drawn were: 1-13-16-27. 4 Match 3s and share €100. Next Wednesday's Lotto Jackpot will be **€10,400**

### Solas Community Magazine

The next edition of Solas will not be on sale for Christmas but will be in all the local shops from the middle of January 2008

### Communion Calls

**Thurs. 10am:** Ballymoe Road-Cloonacross, Creggs Road, Kilkerrin Road, Shannagh  
**Friday 11am:** Esker, Ballingrally, Woodfield

### **Ardeevin National School Board of Management 2007-2011**

Patron's representative & Chairperson: Siobhán O'Brien  
Patron's representative: Fr. Paddy Mooney  
School Principal & Secretary: Róisín O'Loughlin  
Teachers' representative: Mary Quinn  
Parents' representatives: Breda Keaveney, Marcus Keaveney  
Community representatives: Gail Clarke, Willie Collins

**Kilkerrin IFA meeting** in McNulty's lounge, Monday 17th Dec. @ 9pm.  
Joe Kelly, Cogaula, Clonberne will give a talk on his experience on farming life in Canada which he visited recently through the scholarship he won with the IFA

### **Lisheen National School Board of Management 2007-2011**

Patron's representative & Chairperson: Dermot Dolan  
Patron's representative: Fr. Paddy Mooney  
School Principal & Secretary: Siobhán Conneally  
Teachers' representative: Mary Collins  
Parents' representatives: Mary Jo Comer, Ron Cummins  
Community representatives: Michael Devane, Noreen Long

**Glenamaddy Credit Union AGM** on Thursday 20th December in the Community Centre. All members welcome.

Community School Carol Service on Wednesday 12 noon

**Ducks for sale**—ready for pluck!. Phone 086.3718217

### Tax Refunds

**A very special word of thanks** to the 49 PAYE taxpayers who allowed the tax they had paid to be reclaimed by Glenamaddy Church. The total came to €12,074.32—which is a massive contribution to church funds. If there are any more PAYE taxpayers who wish to do the same (at no cost to themselves) please let me know.

### Diocesan Implementation Group Update.

**Youth:** An open meeting last month in Claremorris gave enthusiastic support to the setting up of a Diocesan Youth Council. The Youth Council will provide meaningful opportunities for young people throughout the diocese to engage with church through liturgy, social action and community building. A group of interested young people will gather on Jan 5/6 to move this project forward.

**Pastoral Ministry:** A training programme for Parish Baptismal Teams has been developed. Information evenings for parishes about this programme will be held on Feb 20/21

**Pastoral Councils:** Facilitator training for the presentation of the first phase of a Diocesan pastoral Council training Programme will take place on Feb. 7th and 19th. The programme will be offered locally to all members of Pastoral Councils in early March.

**Liturgy:** A commissioning service for new Boards of Management will be available in mid January. Work is almost complete on the development of a job description and contract for the proposed Diocesan Liturgical Resource Person.

**Glenamaddy Musical Society** presents a festive treat of songs and carols with seasonal drama performed by the children of local schools in the Town Hall Theatre on Sat. Dec. 15th & Sun. Dec. 16th @ 8pm sharp. **Booking** at Donnie Keaveny's 094.9659009

### *Harte's Corner House*

Phone: 094-9659086 / 094-9659368



Sat. 15th (Bar) Live music by Jimmy Hussey

Lounge: Music by Magner Sound  
Fri 21st Dec.: DJ Ollie

Sat. 22nd: Magner Sound  
Sun. 23rd: Brother's D

**Lounge available for all occasions, 21st etc.**

### ***Molloys' Fruit & Vegetables***

Tel 094-9659167 or Mobile 086 8778004



**Orders now being taken for:**  
Christmas trees (Non shedding)  
Christmas Wreaths  
Fruit Baskets

**Wishing all our customers a  
Happy Christmas and  
a fruitful New Year!**



### **The Beez Kneez Childcare, Kilkerrin Rd., Glenamaddy 086.3030827**

Childcare places available for all your last minute Christmas preparations!

Drop in available—opened from 8am daily. Also, full and part-time childcare places available for children from 3 months.

Qualified caring staff in a home from home environment. Wishing all our children's parents and guardians a very happy Christmas and prosperous 2008.



**The Welcome Inn  
Glenamaddy  
Sat. 15th: Live music with  
Owen McDermott  
All are welcome**



### **Meehans' Londis, Church St**

Baileys 70cl €16.99

Jameson 70cl €20.89

Smirnoff 70cl €17.99

Coke/Diet Coke/Club Orange/Diet Orange/  
Cidona/7up regular/7up free.....**2ltr Triple Pack  
only €4.50**

Sweppes 1ltr mixers only 99c

Pringles: 2 for €3

### **Christmas Teenage Disco**

In Glenamaddy Community Centre on Friday 21st December, **10pm-12am**

Usual rules apply.

**Parents & Guardians asked to drop their teenagers at the disco and collect them on time at the Centre.**

D.J.: Mike Adams Adm: €5

**The AGM of Glenamaddy GAA club** will be held today, Sunday, 16th December at 4.30pm in the clubhouse. Looking forward to seeing all members there.