

# Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter

Sat 16th/Sun 17th February 2008  
2nd Sunday of Lent — Year A

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## Saturday 16th-Sunday 17th

<b>Sat 7pm</b>	Tom Cruise & d.f., Clooncun
<b>Sun 10am</b>	The people of the parish

## Week-Day Masses:

<b>Monday 7pm</b>	James & Bridget Burke + James & Josie & d.f., Clooncun
<b>Tues 9.30am</b>	Dec. Collins family, Ballyhard
<b>Wed. 9.30am</b>	Dec. Knight & Shiel families
<b>Thurs 7pm</b>	Mass
<b>Fri 7pm</b>	Margaret & Patrick Roan

## Saturday 23rd -Sunday 24th

<b>Sat 7pm</b>	Thomas & Catherine Keaveney, Cloonacross, son Oliver, daughter Martha & d.f.
<b>Sun 10am</b>	David Brick—1st anniversary

Please pray for Peter Keaveney, Cashel whose anniversary occurs at this time.

Annual Church Gate collection next weekend for the **Irish Society for Autism.**

We **welcome** Caoimhe Smallman, O'Keeffe Park and Olivia Giblin-Connaughton, Esker into the Christian Community and congratulate their parents

### Next Sunday's Readings 3rd Sunday of Lent

1st Reading: Exodus 17:3-7  
2nd Reading: Romans 5: 1-2  
Gospel: John 4: 5-42

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

**Church Income last week-end:** Envelopes: €921 ; Baskets: €332; Shrines, papers, ads.: €170

### 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: 5-6-11-24. 4 Match 3s and share €100. Next Wednesday's Lotto Jackpot will be **€12,000**

### Glenamaddy & District Resident & Traders Association

Meeting Thursday night next Feb.21st at 9pm in the GAA meeting rooms. All welcome.

This year's St. Patrick's Day parade will be held on Sunday March 16th, so get your thinking caps on!

### St Joseph's National School Parents Association

**An Afternoon Tea Dance** will take place in The Oakland Hotel on Sunday March 16th commencing at 3pm. All proceeds are going to St. Joseph's N.S. Parents Association who are currently fundraising for replacement windows in the old part of the school building. Tickets: €10. Door prize: Portable T.V./DVD Everyone welcome.

### **"Oh what a boost for Glenamaddy."**

**Congratulations** to Andrea Connolly, The Beez Kneez Childcare Facility, Kilkerrin Rd., on receiving a grant of €100,000. Wishing her all the very best.

**Cashel Stations** tomorrow, Monday, at 8pm in the home of James & Martina Comer.

**The Irish Pilgrimage Trust** thank all who contributed to their Church Gate Collection which came to **€870**

**Liturgy Committee** meeting this Tuesday at 8pm in the Parochial House

**Finance/Maintenance Committee** meeting this Wednesday at 8pm in the Parochial House.

**A Sponsored Walk** will take place on Sunday 24th February next at 2.30 from Ardeevin School. This will be followed by mouth watering refreshments and a Raffle for fabulous prizes. All proceeds of this event will go towards **purchasing a Defibrillator** for the Ardeevin School Catchment Area. We will also be financing the training of at least 6 people on how to use it. We want the people of the Parish to come out and support us. No need for babysitters!! An excellent afternoon's healthy enjoyment promised!! Should you wish to donate to this cause please contact Breda 9659388 or Gail at 9638991.

Membership fees are now due and are as follows adult players €25 plus €25 insurance, juvenile €10, Third level students €10, non-playing adults €25 and family membership which is as follows 2 adults and 2 children u16 €50, 2 adults and 3 children u16 €60 and 2 adults and 4 children u16 €65. In order to accommodate our members and any new members that wish to join we are holding an affiliation hour after Saturday evening and Sunday morning Mass. Our officers will be in the club house from 7.45pm to 8.45pm on Saturday night 16th Feb and from 10.45 am to 11.45 am on Sunday morning Feb 17th. We urge all members to take this opportunity to complete their membership forms and to pay the relevant fees.

GAA meeting in the clubhouse on Monday night next 18th February @ 8.30pm. All members welcome.

### **Focus Ireland**

**Leap Year Quiz** in aid of Focus Ireland will take place in Jim Petes Pub on Friday 29th February at 9.30pm. Tables of 4 are 20. This is to help raise funds for this worthy cause and support Marian Garvey and Colette Keaveney who are both doing a Bunjee jump

### **Speak, Lord**

In the silence of the stars  
In the quiet of the hills  
In the heaving of the sea  
Speak, Lord.

In the stillness of this room,  
In the calming of my mind,  
In the longing of my heart.  
Speak, Lord.

In the voice of a friend,  
In the chatter of a child,  
In the words of a stranger.  
Speak, Lord.

In the opening of a book,  
In the looking at a film,  
In the listening to music.  
Speak, Lord.

For your servant listens.

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



Pork Chops	6.99kg
Bag of Chopped Cabbage	Buy 1 get 1 free
Tray of Sliced Carrots	Buy 1 get 1 free
10kg Roosters/Records	4.49
Odlums Quick Scones/Bread Range	Buy 1 get 1 free
Squeeze Orange Juice 1 lt	2 for €2
Long Mountain Wines	2 for €14
Jacobs Creek	2 for €14
Bord na Mona Fire Logs	3 for €5

### **SINCERE THANKS**

Sincere thanks from the family of the late William O'Rourke, formerly Glenamaddy/Kilkerrin and late of Templenoe, Kenmare, Co. Kerry; to the large number of people who travelled from Kilkerrin, Glenamaddy and surrounding counties to the funeral, it was very much appreciated. To all who sympathised, sent cards, flowers and helped in anyway possible. Month's mind Mass in Our Lady of the Assumption Church, Templenoe, Kenmare on Sunday 9th March at 10.45 am.

### **Teenage Disco**

In Glenamaddy Community Centre on Friday 29th Feb. **10pm-12am**

**Strictly no drink, no smoking & no drugs.**

**Parents/Guardians are asked to drop their teenagers at the Centre and collect them again on time**

D.J.: Mike Adams Adm: €5

### **Friends of the Children of Chernobyl!**

Thanks to all who gave generously to our recent Church Gate Collection in Kilkerrin and Clonberne. Thanks to those who helped. €1,266.00 was raised. Thanks also to those who helped in Glenamaddy and all who gave generously - €651.00.

Four people from Clonberne are going to Belarus for 1 week on Easter Sunday along with 12 other volunteers from around the county. Our work programme is to install new toilet facilities in a very large school, and carry out some work in the children's homes. Your donations are used 100% for these and other projects in Belarus to help the children and their families. We look forward to helping these people and having their children here again this summer. Anybody interested in this charity and its work please contact 086 2557942.

### **Lenten Suggestion**

Spend a little time on a Monday at the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament