

Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter

Sat 20th/Sun 21st September 2008

25th Sunday of the year— Year A

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Please Don't Litter Our Town

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

every Monday 7am-12 noon & 6pm-10pm. All welcome

Church Income last week-end: Envelopes: €981; Baskets: €260; Shrines, papers, ads.: €26

Glenamaddy Bingo:

On Wednesday night in the Community Centre at 9pm. €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: 2-8-10-27. 8 Match 3s and share €100. Next Wednesday's Lotto Jackpot will be **€18,200**

Divine Mercy devotions every Friday at 3pm in Glenamaddy Church.

Foróige Registration night

Foróige will recommence on Friday 3rd Oct. at 8pm in the Community Centre. All youth members, both existing and new, please attend with a parent/guardian to enable registration on the night. Present leaders and new leaders are more than welcome.

Beneficial for 'Gaisce' participants.

National Cancer Screening Service

BreastCheck will be offering free breast X-rays (mammograms) to women aged 50-64 years in your area soon. Women will receive an appointment by post to attend the BreastCheck unit in Galway (located at the rear of University Hospital).

BreastCheck aims to reduce the number of deaths from breast cancer by finding and treating the disease at an early stage.

BreastCheck encourages all eligible women (aged 50-64) to make sure their name is on the BreastCheck register by calling Freephone 1800 45 45 55 or visiting www.breastcheck.ie

CPR/AED REFRESHER COURSE has been organised for Ardeevin School for the 47 people who achieved certification in March. This course will run for approx. 1½ hours on **Monday 29th September at 9pm sharp**. We look forward to your attendance on the night.

IRISH DANCING CLASSES with Maureen Cunniffiee have now started in Ardeevin NS on Wednesday evenings at 4 - 5 for beginners and 5 - 6 for advanced. New members welcome

Glenamaddy Community School

Well done to our Senior Boys who have qualified for the Galway colleges final with a good victory over Oranmore Secondary School on a score of 1-11 to 1-10

Saturday 20th-Sunday 21st

Sat 7pm Nanette Brady, Gortnagier—
1st anniv

Sun 10am Bridget & Tom Haverty,
Classaroe

Week-Day Masses:

Mon 9.30am Mass

Tues 9.30am Annie & Tommie Fleming,
Barna

Wed. 9.30am Mass

Thurs 9.30am Mass

Fri 7.30pm Michael Egan, parents Tom &
Kate & d.f., Cloonlara Sth

Saturday 27th -Sunday 28th

Sat 7pm William & Edward Gilmore,
parents & d.f.

Sun 10am The people of the parish

Please pray for William & Ellen Glynn & d.f., Kiltullagh; Patrick Hussey, Parkroe; Cornelius & Brid Kelly, Stoolpark; and Kate Glynn whose anniversaries occur at this time.

The autumn collection for the priest's salary will be taken up next weekend.

Next Sunday's Readings

26th Sunday of the year
1st Reading: Ezek 18:25-28
2nd Reading: Phil 2:1-11
Gospel: Mt 21:28-32

In daily life, we must see that it is not happiness that makes us grateful, but gratefulness that makes us happy.

Love is Not Blind.

Love is not blind
It can see what microscopes
have never seen,
Love does not need a magnifying glass
It has clear eyes that see forever.

You do not have to be afraid
in love's presence.
You will not be used or taken lightly
You will not be ignored or laughed at
Your goodness will be seen
with the pure eye of truth

Love does not need glasses
though some people who love wear them
Those glasses are to see earth-things
things that will not last
But love sees spirit-things
the deep things of God that last forever.

You don't have to be afraid of futility
in love's presence
Love has a way of filling you up
yet never smothering you.
Love does not greedily snatch you to itself
It breathes on you and gives you wings
then lets you free.

Love doesn't tell you how to use your wings
but it watches while you fly
And because love sees
it can tell you how your flying
needs to be improved
—a little higher
—a little lower
Love watches
and it knows
because it sees.

Love's glance is sometimes gentle
sometimes stern
To fit your need it falls on you
like morning dew
or like a lightning bolt
But it is vision to the very end
It sees the things we dare not see
because we are afraid of sight
It sees the things we try to hide
because we are afraid of light
Love is vision
and love is not afraid.

**Meeting of the Liturgy committee in the
Parochial house on Tuesday 8.30pm**

Meehans Londis

Church St. 094.9659081



Petit Filous 6pk 1/2 price
Little Stars 6pk 1/2 price
Green Isle Selection of Frozen Veg. 2 for €2.50
Pizza Delicia Range 2 for €5.00
McCains Homefries 50% extra free
Donegan Catch Breaded Fish €2.99



Harte's Corner House

Phone: 094-9659086 / 094-9659368

Sat 20th: **Magner Sound**

Sun. 21st: **Enjoy viewing All-Ireland finals this
Sunday with tasty food.**

Lounge available for all occasions.

Teenage Disco

In Glenamaddy Community Centre on
Friday 26th Sept. **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

Anger Issues? Everyone knows what anger is, but how do you express it without hurting others or hurting yourself? Uncontrolled anger can cost you your marriage, your job, relationships, health and respect of your loved ones. The **Irish Association for Anger Management** will be running a residential training programme **on Sat. 1st & Sun. 2nd November at Knock House Hotel.** Places are limited, therefore booking is essential. For further information contact Peter Devers, Regional Consultant at the Irish Association of Anger Management, Tel: 09490.37677 or 0897.7989253 or log onto www.difficultemotions.com

Glenamaddy Ladies Football Club

We had a good week on the football field. Last Sunday our **Junior girls** secured a place in the Intermediate Championship for 2009 when they beat Corofin in the county Junior 'A' final in Williamstown by 6-15 to 2-5. They now represent the county in the Connacht championship when they play the Mayo champions on Sunday October 5th.

We are travelling to Dublin next weekend for the All-Ireland 7's—good luck to all the girls and team management. Last Wednesday our **U14 girls** had a good win over St. Brendans in the county 'A' semi-final in Ballygar. They play the winners of Claregalway and Salthill in the final. **Our U12's** are at home to Annaghdown this Sat. 20th in the county quarter final. Good luck to all involved.