

Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter

Sat 26th/Sun 27th April 2008

6th Sunday of Easter — Year A

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Please Don't Litter Our Town

Saturday 26th-Sunday 27th

Sat 7pm John L. Garvey, Church St.

Sun 10am Patrick Brennan—Month's Mind

Week-Day Masses:

Mon. 8pm Kate, Tommy, Jack & Bridie Kenny, Ardeevin

Tues 9.30am Mass

Wed. 8pm Bernard Collins, Kilkerrin

Thurs 7.30am Peter Keaveney, Cashel

Fri 9.30am Mass

Saturday 3rd -Sunday 4th

Sat 7pm Thomas Comer, Cashel

Sun 10am Nellie Garvey—Month's Mind

Readers for May

Sat.7pm: Susan Reilly, Malachy Donelan

Sun.10am: Bridie Comer-Dolan, Coman Keaveney

Ministers of the Eucharist for May

Sat. 7pm: Anne C. Molloy, John Joe Kelly, Mary Davis

Sunday 10am: Mary T. Comer, Helen Giblin, Anne Curtin

Active Retirement meeting Tuesday 8pm. Sr.

Evelyn Geraghty instructing in relaxing exercises. All welcome

Liturgy committee meeting on Tuesday at 8.30pm in the Parochial house

Next Sunday's Readings

Ascension of the Lord

1st Reading: Acts 1: 1-11

2nd Reading: Ephesians 1: 17-23

Gospel: Matthew 28: 16-20

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

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

Church Income last week-end: Envelopes: €865; Baskets: €311; Shrines, papers, ads.: €150; Trócaire: €98

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: 2-25-27-28. 2 Match 3s and share €100. Next Wednesday's Lotto Jackpot will be **€14,000**

Servers for May

Sat.7pm: Rachel Raftery, Mark Garvey, Siobhán Murphy, Seamus Comer

Sunday 10m: Edel Keaveney, Eddie Walsh, Yana Metlova

Glenamaddy & District Residents and Traders Association

Meeting on Thursday next May 1st at 9pm in the GAA meeting rooms. All welcome.

Glenamaddy Community Care Ltd annual church gate collection next weekend 3rd/4th May. Thanks for your support in the past.

GLENAMADDY GOLF SOCIETY OUTING:

Golf in Cregmore on Friday 2nd May at 3pm

Social Dance Classes: New classes beginning Thursday, May 1st in Clonberne with two hours of dancing.

Jive, Old Time Waltz, Foxtrot, Quickstep and Slow Waltz. No partner needed. Book now. Phone Noreen: 0879542554

Anger Management: 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, your health and the respect of your loved ones. The Irish Association of Anger Management will be running a two day intensive residential programme "**Temper your Anger**", on Sat. 17th and Sun. 18th May. Places are strictly limited so early booking is essential. Further information from Peter Devers, Regional Consultant 094.9037677 or www.difficultemotions.com

Bus to Lough Derg on Sat. 10th May. **One day retreat.** Name before 5th May. Phone: 094.9659216/094.9659556

Neil Diamond Tribute for Niall Mellon

The unmistakable voice of Mike Tobin and his Neil Diamond Tribute Show comes to Morgan's Williamstown on Friday May 2nd next. The dance is a fundraiser for two local volunteers – Tomas Tobin and Anne Marie Kenny, who are both taking part in the Niall Mellon Charity Building Trip in South Africa this November. Doors open at 10pm with dancing until 12. This will be followed by a live disco with DJ Robbie from Ros FM. Admission on the night is €10.



Meehans' Londis, Church St

Charmin toilet tissue 4pk ..	Buy 1 get 1 free
Klennex ultra soft tissues..	Buy 1 get 1 free
Sun Dishwasher tab 30s..	Buy 1 get 1 free
Extra large Daz/Bold washing powder ..	€19.99
Fairy W U L 1lt..	Twin pack €4
Domestos 750ml ..	2 for €2.50
Flash multisurface cleaner ..	Twinpack €3.50

The Big Draw in aid of the Niall Mellon Charity for which tickets have been selling over the past number of weeks, will take place on the night. There will also be another raffle on the night with many great prizes up for grabs. Light refreshments will be served. A fantastic nights entertainment is guaranteed and through your attendance you will also be helping to alleviate some of the homelessness in the Townships of Capetown.

Tickets for the Big Draw will be on sale right up to the night of the dance so if you haven't bought one yet don't hesitate. Tickets available from the volunteers themselves and family members. The prize line up is as follows: 1st - Female Calf or the equivalent in money; 2nd prize – Overnight stay in the Clayton Hotel, Galway with Dinner for two; 3rd prize – Dinner for two people in the China Palace Restaurant, Roscommon. Tickets are €10 each or a book of 6 for €50. Looking forward to your support on the night.

Anne Marie and Tomas

Glen Celtic

U10's - Friday 2nd May - Kick Off 7pm - Glen Celtic V Dunmore Town - all players to be at the pitch for 6:15pm.

U12's - Tuesday 29th April - Kick Off 7pm - Glen Celtic V Skyvalley Rovers - all players to be at the pitch for 6:15pm

U14's - Monday 28th April - Kick Off 7pm - Glen Celtic V Castlerea Celtic - all players to be at the pitch for 6:15pm

Youth training continues on Saturday mornings with all players to be togged and ready to start at 11am. Any player interesting in registering for Glen Celtic can do so on the day. Registrations being taken now for U12 & U14 girls with these leagues beginning the middle of May.

Glenamaddy Town Enhancement Committee

Public meeting in the Community Centre on Tuesday 29th April at 9pm. We hope for a good attendance from all interested in discussing/planning how best we can improve the appearance of the town.

The West of Ireland Alzheimer's Foundation would like to thank all who supported their tea-day at the house of Mary & Joseph Donelan, Ballyhard. Total amount: €345

Library News

The children who did the Reading Club last summer are asked to please call to the library on Sat. 10th May for certificates. Please return any overdue books as other people might like to read them. Thank you.

Communion Calls

Tuesday 10am: Ballymoe Road-Cloonacross, Creggs Road, Kilkerrin Road, Shannagh
Thursday 10am: Esker, Ballingrally, Woodfield

Glenamaddy Community Games

The Committee would like to thank all the children who participated at the Sports Day last Sunday. Congratulations to the children who are going forward to Galway county finals on May 31st. A special word of thanks to all who came to support, assist or help on the day.

Astonished and Amazed

Like tulips long lying hidden
Suddenly springing forth
Making beauty out of sunlight

Like soil caught and turned,
Warm, moist, and ready for seed,
Opening its heart for growing

Like spring speaking to the day
About the goodness of the earth,
Patterning green on every plain

Like trickles of raindrops
Smoothing earth's rough edges,
Healing hardened hillsides

Like all these quiet miracles
So is the coming of the Spirit,
Telling of the surge of life

Urging me to gaze again
Upon my very common days,
To look within and be amazed.
-Joyce Rupp

**To forgive is to set a prisoner
free and discover the
prisoner was YOU**

An Irish Blessing

With the first light of sun
God Bless You

When day is done
God Bless You
In your smiles and in your tears
God Bless You.

Through each day of your years
God Bless You.