

Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter

Sat 20th/Sun 21st March 2010

5th Sunday of Lent— Year C

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Please Don't Litter Our Town

Saturday 20th-Sunday 21st

Sat 7pm The people of the parish

Sun 10am John Glynn & d.f., Leitra

Week-Day Masses:

Mon. 7pm John & Mary Gilmartin & sons
Michéal, Thomas & John

Tues 9.30am Dec. Collins family, Classaroe

Wed. 9.30am Mass

Thurs 7pm Pat & Helen Brennan, Boy-
ounagh

Fri. 12 noon Confirmation Mass

Fri. 8pm Darby Comer, Cashel

Saturday 27th-Sunday 28th

Sat 7pm Brendan Timothy, Creggs Rd.

Sun 10am The people of the parish

Please pray for Ellen Mitchell, Cloonlara and Bridget, Patrick, Tommy, Sonny, & Mary Raftery, Mountkelly whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Active Retired meeting on Tuesday 7.30pm
New members welcome

Thanks to all who supported the card game in
Lisheen School recently

We welcome Ella Elise O'Brien, Cloonminda into the Christian community & congratulate her parents Patricia & David

Next Sunday's Readings

Palm Sunday

1st Reading: Is 50:4-7

2nd Reading: Phil 2:6-11

Gospel: Lk 22:14-23:56

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

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

Church Income last week-end: Envelopes: €1091; Baskets: €347; Shrines, papers, ads.: €249

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: 10-12-13-16. 1 Matched 3s and won €100. Next Wednesday's Lotto Jackpot will be **€6200**

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

All-Ireland Confined Drama Finals Art Competition

The closing date for the Art Competition is Thursday next **25th March**.

School entries will be collected. All other entries can be left in Donnie Keaveny's before 9pm on that date.

Glenamaddy & District Residents & Traders Association

The St. Patrick's Day parade was a huge success all round. Thanks to all who participated and all the spectators. Prises were awarded on the day in 3 different categories:

Funniest Category: 1st: 'Glan's X-Factor'—Harte's Bar/Lounge
2nd: 'Ryanair' - SUPERVALU, Kilkerrin Rd.

Topical Category: 1st: 'Wacky Backy' - Kilkerrin Rd.
2nd: Headerz Shop' - The Oakland Hotel.

Original Category: 1st: 'The Big Freeze' - Bushtown/Loughpark Group
2nd: 'NAMA' - Tommy Cunniffe, Ballymoe Rd.

Cortoon/Lavally Drama Group present '**Tom, Dick and Harry**' in the Town Hall theatre, Glenamaddy on Sat. March 27th at 8.30pm.

The A.G.M. of Boyounagh/Ballyedmond Group Water Scheme

will take place in the Resource Centre, Clonberne on Tuesday 23rd March at 8.30pm.
All members are asked to attend.

Confessions for Easter will be heard after the Masses next weekend

Ability West—Éirim An Iarthair is currently reviewing its voluntary sector and Memorandum and Articles of Association. If you want to know more and would like to get involved, we invite you to one of four consultative meetings so that we can share our thinking with you and hear what you have to say.

St. Dymphna's Adult Day Care Service, Shannon Rd. Portumna on Mon. 22nd March at 8.30pm.

The Glebe Adult Resource Centre, Hugh Hession Road, Tuam on Tuesday 23rd March at 8.30pm

Mountbellew Vintage Club will hold their annual vintage road-run today,

Sunday March 21st. The run will pass through Glenamaddy today..

This is a wonderful opportunity for the older generation to reminisce on olden days and should prove to be a source of wonder and awe for the younger viewers. We will be collecting monies en-route and all monies will go to Habitat for Humanity Ireland, (this is a Christian housing organisation who have built over 350,000 houses in over 90 countries since 1976. Your support on the day would be gratefully appreciated.

Teenage Disco

In Glenamaddy Community Centre on
Friday 26th March **10pm-12am**
Mini-Bus available, contact Tommie Forde
094.9659688/086.8149336
Note: Premises protected by CCTV Cameras
Strictly supervised
D.J.: **Mike Adams** Adm: €5

Glenamaddy Credit Union Quiz: Well done to the Glenamaddy National School U.11 and Lisheen National School U.13 teams who participated in the Chapter finals last Sunday week.. They were an absolute CREDIT to their schools and parents on the day. A special word of thanks to all the teachers and parents for their support and tutoring for this event. Again, Well done teams..

Flora Women's Mini Marathon on Bank Holiday Monday, 7th June at 3pm in Dublin. Are you interested ?? Now is the time to book you place. So get your trainers out to walk, run, jog or crawl.. this biggest all women's event of its kind in the world.. For registration and bus please phone Liz at 086 3718217. Please note:- number of entries are strictly limited so to avoid disappointment, early registration is advisable.

Glenamaddy Foróige Club wish to thank sincerely all who attended in such great numbers the Level 1 Training course held last Thursday in the "Bean Bag Youth Café". A big thanks to Gerry Prior, RYO who gave a enlightening presentation and the girls who served the cuppa..

Found: Keys— car/door—found on Ballymoe Road

Come back to me with all your heart

Don't let fear keep us apart
Trees do bend though straight and tall
So must we to other's call

Chorus

**Long have I waited for your coming home to me and
living deeply our new life**

The wilderness will lead you to your heart where I will
speak
Integrity & justice with tenderness you shall know

All that I am

All that I am, all that I do,
All that I'll ever have I offer now to you,
Take and sanctify these gifts
For your honour, Lord.
Knowing that I love and serve you
Is enough reward.
All that I am, all that I do,
All that I'll ever have I offer now to you.

All that I dream, all that I pray,
All that I'll ever make I give to you today.
Take and sanctify these gifts
For your honour, Lord.
Knowing that I love and serve you
Is enough reward.
All that I am. All that I do.

Turas na Croise

Traditional stations of the Cross will be celebrated at *Máméan* (Turn right between Maam Cross and Recess) on Good Friday at 3.00 pm. The sean-nós *caoineadh* will be sung by the renowned Joe John Mac Con Iomaire. *Fáilte roimh 'chuire dhuine.*

Dawn Mass on Easter Sunday Morning

Dawn Mass will be celebrated on the shores of Lough Corrib at Cong on Easter Sunday Morning. This year, again, it will be organised by the Diocesan Youth Council. See <http://dyctuam.ie/> for details.

Clonberne Bingo on Monday, March 22nd in Clonberne Community Centre at 8.30p.m. €2000 of hampers and cash.

Friends of Ollie is a new charitable organization that has been set up as a Sub-Committee of Milltown Community Council. Our aim is to raise funds for Oliver Burke of CarranThomas, Dunmore who has an acquired brain injury sustained in a work related accident. The charity will be launched in Milltown Community Centre at 5pm on Sunday the 28th of March. All welcome and especially those who would like to become involved as an active fundraiser within our organisation or if you would like to organize an event for our charity please contact any of the Committee Members or email us at friendsofol- lie@gmail.com. Please also visit our web-site for more details www.friendsofollie.com

Glenamaddy Community School Connaught A Championship

Glenamaddy CS 4-13 Scoil Muire Strokestown 0-13
Well done to our Junior A ladies footballers who had a good victory over Scoil Muire Strokestown in the Connaught final played in Kilbride last Monday. This was Glenamaddy's first Connaught title in "A" division. We took the game to Strokestown from the throw in, with Tara Tully adding 5pts from frees and play to lead at the 10th minute 0-5 to 0-1 Our girls drove on with Tara Tully and Mary Fahy adding a goal a piece to leave at half time score Glenamaddy CS 2-9 Strokestown 0-5

In the 2nd half Scoil Muire applied a lot of pressure adding 4 consecutive points. Back came Glenamaddy CS and took complete control in the last 20 minutes and added a further 2-4 to run out convincing winners. This was a wonderful victory for the school and the clubs who provide the players. We look forward to the All-Ireland semi-final against the Leinster winners. Thanks to the Management team and trainer Jason Tanniane a lot of work and effort has gone into this team "well done". Thanks to the supporters, parents, and teachers and all who travelled to the game.

The Team

Brigid Barlow, Megan Heneghan, Michelle Conneally, Cathy O'Reilly, Aisling Hegarty, Nicola Ward, Laura Kirrane, Lorna Fallon (VICE CAPT.) 0-1, Claire Gibbons 0-1, Daneille Tully, Louise Ward, Ciara Morgan, Mary Fahy 2-1, Tara Tully (CAPT.) 2-8, Rosin O'Brien 0-2, Subs: Michelle Tiernan, Ursula Comer, Grainne Fahy, Claire Donelan, Micheala Joyce, Mary Conneally.

Mountbellew Golf Club

Group golf lessons for lady Beginners will commence on 29th March from 7-8pm. Lessons given by Raymond Ryan PGA professional. For further information contact Florrie Ryan 087.1258876 or Bernadette (after 3pm) at 087.7940754