Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter

Sat 14th /Sun 15th May 2011
4th Sunday of Easter— Year A

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Saturday 14th -Sunday 15th	
Sat 7pm	Michael Mullin—Month's Mind
Sun 10am	Deirdre Brosnan & Mary Finnegan & d.f.
Week-Day Masses:	
Mon.	
Tues	
Wed.	
Thurs 9.30am	Mary O'Gara, nee Egan, -Barna, Month's Mind
Thurs 7.30pm	Bethany Bereavement Support Group Mass
Fri. 7pm	Con Finnegan, Clooncun
Saturday 21st—Sunday 22nd	
Sat 7pm	Frank & Flo Murray, Knockmascehill
Sun 10am	Tom & Bridie Conneally, Boyounagh

Please pray for Michael Naughton, Lisheen who died recently in England; also, Michael & Ellen Mitchell, Cloonlara South whose anniversaries occur at this time.

We welcome Aoibheann Mulligan, Kiltullagh into the Christian community and congratulate her parents Caroline & John

Congratulations to Seamus Mannion, Lisheen and Eilíse McGarrell on the occasion of their marriage

Next Sunday's Readings
5th Sunday of Easter
1st Reading: Acts 6:1-7
2nd Reading: 1 Peter 2:4-9
Gospel: Jn 14:1-2

Masses in the Cluster
Glenamaddy: Saturday: 7pm; Sunday 10am
Williamstown: Saturday 8pm; Sunday 11am
Kilkerrin: Saturday 8.15pm; Sunday 11.30pm **Clonberne:** Saturday 7pm
Dunmore: Saturday 8.30pm; Sunday 11.15am
Garrafrauns: Saturday 7pm; **Kiltevna:** Sunday 10am

Adoration every Monday 7am-12 noon & 6pm-10pm. All welcome
Church Income last week-end: Envelopes: €904; Baskets:€260; Shrines, papers, ads.:€231; Trócaire: €125
Glenamaddy Bingo: On Wednesday night in the Community Centre at 8.30pm. €1,170 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: 10-13-17-25. 2 Match 3s and share €100. Next Wednesday's Lotto Jackpot will be **€6,600**
Divine Mercy Devotions at 3pm every Friday

Glenamaddy Bethany Bereavement Support Group is a parish-based group ministry whose aim is to help those bereaved and grieving. If at any time you feel a need to talk we are here to listen.
Our contact number: 087.6663734

Youth Climb of Croagh Patrick
Glenamaddy Pastoral Council would like to thank all our young people who climbed Croagh Patrick on Saturday last. It was a great experience and a most enjoyable day. We wish to thank Tuam Diocesan Youth Council for organising it.

I will be away of Retreat from Sunday until Wednesday night.

Youth Mass Williamstown (Cluster)
Thanks to everyone who supported the cluster Mass in Williamstown on Saturday evening. Thanks to Williamstown Pastoral Council for the lovely refreshments afterwards.

Please Don't Litter Our Parish

Parish Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick
Our annual climb of Croagh Patrick is on Saturday 11th June next. We would encourage as many people as possible to join with us. Last year was a great success and enjoyed by all. We will be providing a free bus and bookings can be made at 9659017. This year we hope to organise a BBQ at the bottom of the reek for people to have a little get together after the climb. If you haven't yet climbed the Reek … let 11th June not go by!!

Glenamaddy Bethany Bereavement Group have organised a **Healing Mass** for the bereaved of the parish. The Mass will be on Thursday next 19th May at 7.30pm in St. Patrick's Church, Glenamaddy. Sr. Margaret Buckley, guest speaker, will give a short talk on grief and loss. All are welcome

Solas Community Magazine

We are presently compiling our next edition of Solas which will be in the shops from mid-June onwards.
'Did You Know?' section. Is there anyone out there with interesting facts/information/trivia or funny stories about Glenamaddy, surrounding areas or people who may have lived or visited here at one time. Contact Ann at 094.9659829.
Amateur Photographers: Area there any budding amateur photographers out there who take photos of interest in the locality? (scenery, wildlife, unusual photos, etc.) Would you like to submit one of your photos for the next edition? If so, why not drop it out to GCDC office in Clondoyle. There will be space available to put in some photos.

National Learning Network Castlerea is now recruiting for a number of its FÁS funded courses, for people who are unemployed due to illness or disability and wish to develop the job skills necessary to progress to employment, further training or education. If you wish to enquire about the courses please contact Helena / Regina on 094 9625468 / 094 9625465

"Thy Will Be Done" by Michael Carey

Ballymoe's Boystown Players are bringing their ***hilarious comedy*** to Kilkerrin Community Centre on Friday May 20th and Sunday May 22nd at 9pm. Cast are Michael Keane (Nora's brother), John Martin Griffin, Marie Mc Hugh Coneran and Seamus Connolly. Proceeds in aid of Boystown Players and Kilkerrin Defibrillator Fund for a new Defib in Clonberne National School. Your support is as always appreciated!

Glen Celtic Fixtures

Monday 16th May - U14 Challenge Cup - Roscommon Lions V Glen Celtic. Kick off 7pm in Roscommon. All players leaving pitch at 6:00pm.
Tuesday 17th May - U12 Challenge Cup - Cloonfad Utd V Glen Celtic. Kick off 7pm in Cloonfad. All players to be in Cloonfad for 6:30pm.
Friday 20th - U10 Europa League - Glen Celtic V Skyvalley Rovers - Kick Off 6:45pm. All players at pitch for 6:15pm
Fri 20th - U10 Champions League - Glen Celtic V Skyvalley Rovers - Kick Off 7:30pm. All players at pitch for 7:00pm.

Glenamaddy Sports Camp

The camp will be held in Glenamaddy Community School from Mon. 4th to Fri. 8th July, 10am-2.30pm each day. Lots of fun and games. Cost: €50. Tel. 087.6816763

Could you be Ireland's next top model?? We need you!! **Fashion Show Extravaganza** in aid of Beanbag Youth Café in the Community Centre, Glenamaddy on Saturday night 20th May. Tall or thin, big or small—Give us a call. Lorraine: 087.7606900 or Mary Jo: 086.1576012
Anyone interested in having a stall on the night please contact: 087.6724510

Glenamaddy Secondary School presents **'Music for a Summer's Evening'** an evening of music from many styles and times performed by the students of Glenamaddy Community School will take place on Wednesday the 25th of May at 7pm in the school gymnasium. Admission for adults is €5 and for students and children €3, all are welcome.

Donnie Keaveny
Church St. 094.9659009
Open: 8.30am– 9.30pm Mon– Sat.
10.30am-6pm on Sunday
Beautiful selection of First Communion gifts:
watches, chains, beads, Mass books, pens, frames and many more gifts for boys and girls.
Large selection of cards and keepsakes.

Trad Session
In Jim Pete's Pub
Friday 20th May 10pm
Musicians & Singers Welcome
Craic agus Ceol

Dunmore Choral Festival takes place on Friday May 20th and Sat May 21st in Dunmore Commuity School at 8pm. Choirs participating are Cois Cladaigh, Gracenotes, Mayo Male Voice Choir ,Cavan Singers.,St Patricks Church Celbridge ,Drumshambo Choir, Kiltimagh Choir and Dunmore Church Choir.Tickets €10 available at Eurospar Dunmore and Quinns Tuam.

Glenamaddy/Williamstown Ladies Football Club

Intermediate Ladies v Caltra in Round 1 of Championship at 4.30pm today, Sunday, in Williamstown. Well done to Glenamaddy Community School Jnr Girls who beat Pres. Athenry in the Connacht final.Well done to our U12 team & management who have won 5 out of 6 league games so far. Keep it up girls.
U14 v Ballinasloe on Monday at home. Girls will be notified of time.
Registration is **now due.** Anyone who has not paid yet must do so by next week.
Good luck to all doing exams—Junior Cert, Leaving Cert and 3rd Level.

The Lord of the empty tomb
The conqueror of gloom
Come to you.

The Lord in the garden walking
The Lord to Mary talking
Come to you.

The Lord in the Upper Room
Dispelling fear and gloom
Come to you.
The Lord on the road to Emmaus
The Lord giving hope to Thomas
Come to you.

The Lord appearing on the shore
Giving us life for ever more
Come to you.

Dates for your Diary

11th June Parish Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick
19th June: Dawn Mass in Ballinastack 4am
19th June: Mass to mark & bless the site of the children's graveyard in Scotland at 2pm