

# Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter

Sat/Sun 21st/22nd January 2012

3rd Sunday of the year — Year B

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## Saturday 21st—Sunday 22nd

**Sat 7pm** Deceased of Boyle & Keaveney families + Bernie Donnellan

**Sun 10am** The people of the parish.

## Week-Day Masses:

**Mon. 7pm** Nicholas Giblin & cousin Bernadette

**Tues 9.30am** Private intention

**Wed. 7pm** Glenamaddy Active Retired

**Thurs 9.30am** Private intention

**Friday 7pm** Michael Egan & dec. Cloonlara South

## Saturday 28th—Sunday 29th

**Sat 7pm** Thomas & Catherine Keaveney + Martha, Oliver & Sean & deceased.

**Sun 10am** The people of the parish.

Please pray for Sean Keaveney, Cloonacross and Kathleen Kennedy, England (sister of Sonny Hussey) who died during the week; also John Joseph Murphy, Stonetown whose anniversary occurs at this time.

## what is a friend? ★

**A friend is someone who you think your life would be different if they didn't exist. A friend is someone who NEVER leaves you out, you are ALWAYS included when you are with them. A friend is there for you, no matter what.**

**Divine Mercy Devotions** at 3pm every Friday

**Adoration** every Monday 9am-12 noon & 6pm-10pm (Except Bank Holidays)

### Next Sunday's Readings

4th Sunday of the year  
1st Reading - Deut 18:15-20  
2nd Reading - 1 Cor 7:32-35  
Gospel—Mark 1:21-28



## MASSES IN THE CLUSTER

**Glenamaddy:** Saturday: 7pm; Sunday 10am  
**Williamstown:** Saturday 8pm; Sunday 11am  
**Kilkerrin:** Saturday 8:15pm; Sunday 11.30am  
**Clonberne:** Saturday 7.00pm  
**Dunmore:** Saturday 8.30pm; Sunday 11.15am  
**Garrafrauns:** Saturday 7pm  
**Kiltevena:** Sunday 10am

**Church Income last week-end:** Envelopes €1,113; Baskets €402; Shrines, Papers, Ads €206; Christmas Crib collection for Trocaire €515.

**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 9,14,18,28. 2 Matched 3's and share €100. Next Wednesday's Lotto Jackpot will be €13,800.

## 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 is (087) 6663734

Members of the group will be available in the Convent House on Friday 27th January if anyone would like to meet with them.

## Our Parish will be celebrating the Eucharistic Congress on:



Friday 25th May  
Saturday 26th May



We hope that all organisations will avoid organising any event on this particular weekend. We hope this weekend will help people reflect on the origin and continuation of the journey of faith and culture in our parish.

More details on the events taking place will be published soon.



"The Eucharist: Communion with Christ and with one another."



### What Kind are You?

- Are you the active member, the kind that would be missed?
- Or are you just contented, your name upon the list?
- Do you attend the meetings and mingle with the flock?
- Or do you mostly stay at home and criticise and knock?
- Do you take an active part, to help the work along?
- Or are you satisfied to be the kind that just belong?
- Do you push the cause along and make things really tick?
- Or leave the work to just a few and talk about the 'clique'?
- Think this over members, you know right from wrong.
- Are you an active member .....or do you just belong?

### Finding the Way.....

When nations and individuals are in deep trouble there are different and varied solutions:-

Philosophy says: Think your way out  
 Indulgence says: Drink your way out  
 Politics says: Spend your way out  
 Science says; Invent your way out  
 Industry says: Work your way out  
 Communism says: Strike your way out  
 Fascism says: Bluff your way out  
 Militarism says: Fight your way out  
 The Bible says: Pray your way out

**Jesus Christ says: I AM THE WAY (OUT)**



Next **youth.mass** in St. Patrick's Church, Glenamaddy is on Saturday 11th February.

**LISHEEN SCHOOL CARD GAME** at the school on Wednesday evening next at 8.30pm. Spot prizes on the night. Refreshments served.

**BASKETBALL** classes in the Community Centre every Thursday 5-6.30pm for all National school children. Fully supervised.

**CREATIVE WRITING** workshops recommence on 16th Feb. subject to sufficient interest. Booking essential please call Bernadette (087) 7846391. €10 deposit secures your place.

**GLENAMADDY FORÓIGE CLUB** continues on Friday nights from 8-10pm in the Community Centre

**GLENAMADDY & DISTRICT RESIDENTS & TRADERS ASSOCIATION** meeting on Thursday 26th at 9 in the Community Centre. All are welcome.

**WILLIAMSTOWN PARENT'S ASSOCIATION** are holding a monster Valentine's Bingo on Sunday 12th Feb. at 3pm in Williamstown Parish Hall. Prizes galore. Support greatly appreciated.

**CONCERN** extend thanks to all who collected and contributed €380 for their Church gate collection.

**LAND WANTED TO RENT** Approximately 100 acres for long term lease. Please call (087) 2533098.

**If you can't  
be a good  
example  
Be a  
horrible  
warning!**

### A People Place

- If this is not a place where tears are understood  
Where do I go to cry?
- If this is not a place where my spirit can take wing  
Where do I go to fly?
- If this is not a place where my questions can be asked  
Where do I go to seek?
- If this is not a place where feelings can be heard  
Where do I go to speak?
- If this is not a place where you'll accept me as I am  
Where can I go to be?
- If this is not a place where I can try to learn and grow  
Where can I just be me?



### Traffic Light Disco

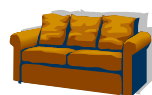
in Glenamaddy Community Centre  
on Friday 27th January 10pm-12am  
Mini Bus available—Tommy Forde  
(094) 9659688 or (086) 8149336  
or Michael Knightly (087) 2715327  
DJ Vinny Admission €5



### W. MANNION'S BAR & LIVE MUSIC VENUE

(094) 9659004

Sat 21st Live Music with The Brothers D  
Sat 28th Party night with DJ Hurricane  
Check out our all new free party package—Mannions where all the best parties happen. **Mannions Furniture Sale**—huge reductions in all beds, suites & Lighting.



### MEEHANS LONDIS

Church St. (094) 9659081

Centre Cut Bacon .....per kg €6.49  
Manor Farm Chickens .....€5.00  
Sirloin Steak ..... Save 33%  
Carrots/Turnips/Parsnips/Onions ....€1.00  
Washed Roosters 2.5kg .....€2.00  
Cono Sur White/Red .....€7.00

