

Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter



Saturday 2nd/Sunday 3rd March 2013
Third Sunday of Lent —Year C

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Saturday 2nd—Sunday 3rd

Sat 7pm Ned Winters, Patch –1st anniversary and wife Ann's — Month's Mind.
 Dan & Sarah Coughlan, Parkroe

Sun 10am Thomas & Bridget Ward, Scotland

Week-Day Masses:

Monday 7pm Nora & Michael Gilligan, Esker

Tues 9.30am James & Bridie Ganley, Ballinagrally & deceased Ganley & Heneghan families.

Wed 7.30am Private intention

Thurs 7pm Thomas & Darby Comer, Cashel

Friday 7pm Thomas & Kathleen McLoughlin, Barna

Saturday 9th—Sunday 10th March

Sat 7pm John Glynn & Mary Glynn & deceased, Leitira.
 Ciss Murray, Fartown — Month's Mind.

Sun 10am The people of the parish.

Please pray for Mary Ward & daughter Bridie, Patch whose anniversaries occur at this time..

PLEASE PRAY for the sick of our parish, those in Hospitals and Nursing Homes and for our Homebound:
 Please contact Fr. Mooney if you would like him to visit you or a family member/ neighbour who is sick, housebound or in hospital.

Next Sunday's Readings

4th Sunday of Lent
 1st Reading— Joshua 5:9-12
 2nd Reading—Corinthians 5:17-21
 Gospel—Luke 15:1-3, 11-32



MASSES IN THE CLUSTER

Glenamaddy: Saturday 7pm: Sunday 10am
Williamstown: Saturday 8pm: Sunday 11am
Clonberne: Saturday 7pm
Kilkerrin: Saturday 8.15pm: Sunday 11.30am
Dunmore: Sunday 11.15am
Garrafrauns: Saturday 7pm
Kiltevena: Sunday 10am

Adoration every Monday 9am-12 noon & 6pm-10pm (except Bank Holidays)
Divine Mercy Devotions at 3pm every Friday.

Church Income last week-end: Envelopes €876: Baskets €333; Shrines, Papers, Ads €132.

Glenamaddy Bingo is on Wednesday nights in the Community Centre at 8.30pm €1,200 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 11,14,17,23. 5 matched 3 numbers and share €100. Next Wednesday's Lotto Jackpot will be €5,600.

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

DON'T QUIT

When things go wrong as they sometimes will,
 When the road you're trudging seems all uphill,
 When funds are low and the debts are high,
 And you want to smile, but you have to sigh.
 When care is pressing you down a bit,
 Rest, if you must, but don't you quit.
 Life is queer with its twists and turns
 As everyone of us sometimes learns.
 And many a failure turns about
 When he might have won had he stuck it out,
 Don't give up through the pace seems slow
 You may succeed with another blow
 Success is failure turned inside out
 The silver tint of the clouds of doubt
 And you never can tell how close you are.
 It may be near when it seems so far:
 So stick to the fight when you're hardest hit
 It's when things seem worst that you must not quit.

LENT AND YEAR OF FAITH Rosary & Benediction in Glenamaddy Church on Wednesday at 8pm.

JUNIOR CHOIR Rehearsals changed to Monday evening 5-6 starting this Monday evening.

YOUTH MASS next Saturday night at 7pm in our church.

AN EVENING WITH MONICA BROWN has been arranged for our Pastoral Council, Readers and Ministers of the Eucharist on Wednesday 13th March at 8pm in the Lunch Room of Glenamaddy Community School.

GLENAMADDY PLAYERS Best of luck to the cast and crew of Glenamaddy Players with their production of "Moment" by Deirdre Kinahan on the festival circuit, they will perform this Sat 2nd March in Tubbercurry, Tue 5th March in Roscommon and Fri 8th in Doonbeg.

LADIES GAA Congrats to the Glenamaddy Community School u14 girls who won the Connacht B final v Mercy Tuam 3-8 to 3-0. Well done to all our girls involved, especially to Leanne Davis (capt) & to Caoimhe Keaveney who got a well deserved player of the match award. Thanks to all who supported our sponsored walk last Sunday, sellers prizes : €50 Ciara Clarke, €40 Karen & Michaela Gilooly, €30 Leanne & Kathlynn Davis. Underage fun day out this Sunday, hope they enjoy it. Cash for clobber ongoing. Training continues on Tuesday & Friday as usual. The club are currently selling St. Patrick Day badges in aid of the Carer's Association at €2 each. Please support.

GLENAMADDY 52ND ANNUAL THEATRE FESTIVAL takes place from Thursday March 14th, with Glenamaddy Players performance of 'Moment', to Saturday March 23rd. Doors open each night at 7.30pm and shows begin at 8pm. Tickets can be booked at 086 -2045896 between 11am and 4pm, nightly €12, concessionary €10, season tickets for ten nights €80. Come along and enjoy.

TRAD SESSION IN JIM PETE'S on Sunday 10 March at 3pm. Young people who are working on 'trad' tunes most welcome. There will be some 'seasoned' musicians there to encourage everyone, and you can join in with your tunes if you don't want to play by yourself. Niamh on fiddle, Paul and Mick on Button Accordion, and Mary Jo on Piano and flute will be there. Listeners welcome also.

ST JOSEPH'S N.S. wish to thank everyone who supported and contributed to their church gate collection. Amount raised €567.90.

INVITATION TO LAUNCH OF SPRING EDITION OF NEW DAWN the Magazine of the Diocesan Pastoral Council in Carrowbeg House, beside the Church in Westport, on Thursday March 7 at 7.30pm. Ms. Monica Morley of Mid-West Radio show - Faith Alive will launch it.

TUAM DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK for the Archdiocese of Tuam will be on Sunday, May 5th.

KNOCKMASKEHILL GROUP WATER SCHEME Meeting in Clondoyle Dev Office at 8.30pm this Tuesday.

COMMUNITY SCHOOL Congrats to MacDara Geraghty who qualified for the All Ireland Cross County final in Belfast next month. To our Juvenile girls in winning the Connacht final on Monday beating Mercy Tuam 3-8 to 3-0. Best of luck to our Junior girls in the All Ireland Semi Final in football and Basketball this coming week.

GLEN CELTIC SOCCER CLUB Registration Night on Wednesday 6th March from 6:00pm to 7:30pm at the clubhouse. Youth League for Boys starting beginning of April. All registrations to be completed within next two weeks. Cost of Registration €25 per player with family discount for 2 players set at €40 and 3 players €50. Training for U8's, U10's and U12's on Wednesday night from 6:30pm to 7:30pm. Glen Celtic are always looking for anyone who would like to become a member of the club whether in the capacity of player, manager, coach or any capacity. Anyone who is interested please talk to us on registration night.

GLENAMADDY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMPANY are now taking bookings for an exciting new course "Get Yourself On-Line" on Tuesday 19th and Tuesday 26th March, limited places available. A step by step course on how to use the Internet to: Shop, Bank, Pay Bills, such as Car Tax & TV License; Email, Skype and much more. For more information or to register a place contact: 094-9659570.

ABILITY WEST AGM of the local branch will take place in Dochas Glenamaddy on Monday 4 March at 8pm. All are welcome to attend.

LISHEEN SCHOOL Friends please donate unwanted clothes/shoes/curtains/handbags/bed linen/towels, €3/bag will go to school.

DUNMORE/KILTEVNA Fianna Fail Cumman meeting on Tuesday 5th March in the Enterprise Centre Dunmore. Agenda to include, Cumman registration under the new rules. All members are requested to attend and new members are welcome.

Thoughts for the Week

You can only be young once but you can be immature forever.

There is no argument equal to a happy smile.

The next best thing to coming of good stock is to own plenty of it.

The last taste of things gives them the name of sweet or sour.

It would be a better world if we spared for others a little of the sympathy we have for ourselves.

A good plan today is better than a perfect plan tomorrow.

Doubt is the beginning, not the end of wisdom.

Compassion is the most beautiful of all God's names.

PARISH BAPTISMAL DATES: Saturday 9th March 4pm:
Sunday 14th April 12.30pm. Attendance at a Baptism meeting by the parents is necessary and these meetings will take place the Wednesday before the Baptism. Also a copy of your child's Birth Certificate is required and two weeks notice. To book your child's Baptism please phone (087) 2805241.



'It may be that your sole purpose in life is simply to serve as a warning to others'

FLAT TO RENT contact
(086) 2622294

*Funny how small
our sins seem,
but how big
'their' sins are!*

Please Do Not Litter Our Parish

MEEHANS LONIDS

Tel: (094) 9659081

Apples 7pk Bananas 7pk

Loughnanes Pudding White/Black

Pitta Bread White/Wholemeal 6pk

Knorr Quick Soup 4pk

Mars/Snickers 4pk

All the above €1 each