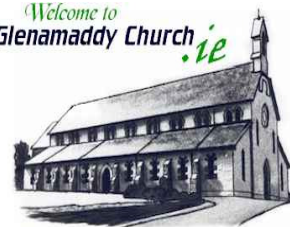


Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter

Saturday 8th/Sunday 9th February 2014
5th Sunday in Ordinary time —Year A

Welcome to
Glenamaddy Church .ie



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Saturday 8th February

Sat 7pm Nora Giblin, Esker —1st anniversary
Al Timothy, Creggs Road
Mick McDonagh, parents & decd
McDonagh family
Dan & Sarah Coughlan, Parkroe

WEEKDAYS

Fri 7pm Sean Keaveney,
Mountkelly—Month's Mind
Baby Kelsey-Jane Comer Divilly

Saturday 15th February

Sat 7pm Philomena, Grainne & Baby Sean
Mullen, Lisheen.
Catherine & Owen Tully, Knickanes.
Patrick & Catherine Fahy, Patch.
Jimmy Collins, Kiltullagh & Martin
& Rena Egan Dudley Heights & decd

Please pray for Margaret Murray, Ardaslough who died during the week. Also, for Josie Reilly, Cashel whose anniversary occurs 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

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
1st Reading—Ecclesiasticus 15:15-20
2nd Reading— Corinthians 2:6-10
Gospel—Matthew 5:17-37



MASSES AND PRIESTS IN OUR CLUSTER AREA OF GLENAMADDY

Saturday	Glenamaddy	7.00pm
	Kiltevena	7.30pm
	Clonberne	8.00pm
Sunday	Garrafrauns	10.00am
	Williamstown	10.30am
	Kilkerrin	11.00am
	Dunmore	11.30am

Fr. Paddy Mooney (094) 9659017

Fr. Tommie Commins (094) 9659212

Fr. Fergal Cunnane (093) 38124



PARISH BAPTISMAL DATES: Saturday 8th March 4pm. Sunday 13th 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.

CHURCH INCOME LAST WEEKEND €1,000.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL, GLENAMADDY helpline (086) 8364866.

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.

Adoration every Monday 9am-12 noon & 6pm-10pm (except Bank Holidays) in the Convent.

Divine Mercy Devotions at 3pm every Friday.

Padre Pio Devotions 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7.30pm.

Marriage and Family Life continuous prayer on 2nd day of each month.

Our Lady of Fatima Prayer Service 1st Saturday of the month at 11am.

CHURCH WEBSITE www.glenamaddychurch.ie: **NEWSLETTER** newsletter@glenamaddychurch.ie

I'd Rather See A Sermon

*I'd rather see a sermon
than hear one any day;
I'd rather one should walk with me
than merely tell the way.
The eye's a better pupil
and more willing than the ear,
Fine counsel is confusing,
but example's always clear;
And the best of all preachers
are the men who live their creeds,
For to see good put in action
is what everybody needs.
I soon can learn to do it
if you'll let me see it done;
I can watch your hands in action,
but your tongue too fast may run.
And the lecture you deliver
may be very wise and true,
But I'd rather get my lessons
by observing what you do;
For I might misunderstand you
and the high advice you give,
But there's no misunderstanding
how you act and how you live.*

CHILDREN'S LITURGY in our Church every Saturday night for Junior, Senior and First Class children. Thanks to the children for making lovely St. Brigid's crosses which were blessed at Mass last Saturday night.

PARISH OFFICE open Monday and Friday 10am-12pm. Please use the office during these hours to book Masses, Baptisms, Weddings or all general enquiries and to view records. Please telephone (094) 9659017 or email newsletter@glenamaddychurch.ie.

CONFIRMATION Leaders and children making their Confirmation will gather in the Convent again this Tuesday evening at 8pm sharp for Session 2 of the 'You Shall be My Witness Confirmation Programme'. Parents to meet their children in the Church at 8.45pm sharp. Thanks very much to all involved in Session 1 which was lovely and there was a great atmosphere both in the Convent and in the Church.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION children and their families—'Do this in Memory Mass' next Saturday night at 7pm in our Church.

JUNIOR CHOIR practice this Monday evening 5pm-6pm in the Church.

FOLK CHOIR practice this Monday evening 8pm-9pm in the Church.

SENIOR CHOIR practice this Thursday evening 8pm-9pm in the Church.



YOUTH PILGRIMAGE to Camino de Santiago de Compostela. There will be a meeting for anyone (18+yrs) who would like to travel on the Camino Youth Pilgrimage this summer. It will be an information evening, held in the Cúram, Claremorris on Friday Feb 21st at 8pm. The meeting is open to anyone in the Tuam Archdiocese aged between 18 -35 yrs, who might be interested in this walking pilgrimage into Santiago. Places will be limited. Further information contact Trish 09352284/ trishobrienyouth@gmail.com.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGES- TO SHRINES OF SPAIN Avila, Salamanca, Segovia & Toledo. 5 nights (3 nights in Avila, 2 nights in Madrid). June 30th. For details, leave name & address at 09328337 or talk to Therese at 012410822. LOURDES pilgrimage will take place from August 7th to 13th and as usual will be led by Archbishop Michael. Contact Ms. Sheila Davin at 086-8664633.

THE CALL TO THE PRIESTHOOD— Tuam Archdiocese. If you want to find out more about Christ's call to be a priest come and see: Regional Vocations Event- NUI Galway- Saturday, March 8. Please contact Fr. Fintan Monahan 093 24166 or email him at archdiocese-tuam@gmail.com to book a spot before February 21st.

GLENAMADDY BINGO is on Wednesday nights in the Community Centre at 8.30pm €1,200 in prize money including €500 Jackpot.

COMMUNITY CLUBS' LOTTO No jackpot winner in last Wednesday's draw, numbers drawn were 3,6,11,14. 8 matched 3 numbers and share €100. Next Wednesday's Lotto Jackpot will be €3,400.

LADIES GAA Elected officers at our AGM were as follows: Chairman Peter Clarke, Vice chairperson, Ciara Clarke, Secretary Mary Fahy, Ass. Secretary Marie Ryan, Treasurer Mary Gannon, Ass. Treasurer Martina Ruane, Registrar Mary Gannon, Child Welfare Officer Patricia Keady, PRO Gail Clarke, delegates to the County Board, Mary Fahy, Gail Clarke, Joe Gillooly and Nicola Conneally. Thanks to all who attended our Social and made it such a successful night, to all who sponsored spot prizes, the parents, Ard Ri Hotel and staff for the great meal & service, Noel Finnegan (Free Bird for the music), our invited guests & our guest of honour Pat Quill President of the L.G.F.A. Well done to our hard working committee who organized this successful event. Congrats to Gail Clarke Club Person of the Year. Finally congrats to all girls on their awards. Registration for players in on Tues 18 Feb 5.30-7.30pm in the Community Centre. Parent has to attend, payment on night or in instalments.

KNOWING MY PEOPLE, KNOWING MY PLACE Genealogy and Local Studies Course will commence in Glenamaddy Community Development Company on Thursday February 13th 7.30-9.30pm. The course will run for 7 consecutive Thursdays up to and including Thursday 27th March. There will also be 4 workshops on Thursday 1st May 7.30 – 9.30pm. Saturday 8th, Sat 15th March and Saturday 10th May 10am – 4pm. This course will comprise elements of Genealogy and will provide you with skills, to enable you to research your fore fathers and their origin. To reserve a place, please contact GCDC on 094-9659570. Places are limited.

GLENAMADDY PLAYERS present their circuit play 'Agnes of God' by John Pielmeier on Friday 14th, Saturday 15th and Wednesday 19th of February in the Town Hall Theatre, Glenamaddy at 8pm. For booking, please call 086 2045896, Monday-Friday 11am-4pm. Please support the group before they head on the 2014 circuit. An intriguing play not to be missed.

GALWAY COUNTY FLEADH— will be held in Glenamaddy on the weekend of the 16th, 17th and 18th May. With extra people coming into town for the weekend, there will be a demand for accommodation. Anyone out there who is interested in providing B & B, or who has a house to let for the weekend can contact GCDC, Ballyhard on 094 96 59570/email gcdc@eircom.net

MONSTER BINGO Williamstown National School Parents Association are hosting their 7th Annual Monster Bingo on Sunday, 23rd February at 3pm. Your support would be greatly appreciated on the day.

CPR/DEFIBRILLATOR TRAINING (organised by the Ardeevin committee) training dates Thursday 20th and Thursday 27th February in Glenamaddy Community School. If you would like to do this training please contact Marie on (087) 2891582. One evening 3-3½ hours— it could save a life of a loved one. Limited places available.

MEET AND GREET EVENING Dr. Gergely Kasa cordially invites the Community to a 'Meet and Greet' wine and cheese reception at the Health Centre, Williamstown on Friday 14th February from 6pm—8pm. All are welcome.

GLENAMADDY HERITAGE PROJECT meeting Wednesday 12th February in Glenamaddy Community Centre at 8pm.

IRISH SOCIETY FOR AUTISM Church-gate collection next Saturday night.

LEAVING CERT IRISH Oral Preparation Course on 15th February in Claregalway College (9.30-4pm). Contact Daithi Ó Bruadair 086 0825106.

KNOCKMASKEHILL GROUP WATER SCHEME Outstanding monies to paid to GCDC before Friday 14th please.

GLENAMADDY COMMUNITY CARE LTD vacancies exist on the Parish CE Scheme; 3 Operatives, 2 Daycare workers. Interested? Contact Project Dev. Officer, Glenamaddy Community Care Ltd or phone (094) 9659269

MEEHANS LONDIS

Congratulations on winning our €100 Vouchers to;
Tom McHugh
Mary Gannon, Cashel
Bernie Brosnan
Linda Murphy

Our 10th Anniversary is still going on, lots of 'Special Offers' in store, also more €100 Vouchers to be won.

PLEASE KEEP OUR PARISH TIDY