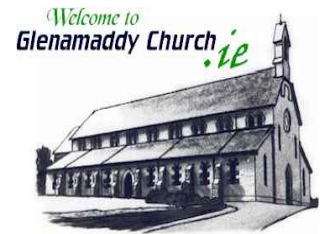


Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter

2nd Sunday of Easter —Year A
Saturday 26th/Sunday 27th April 2014



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Saturday 26th April

Sat 7pm John L & Myra Garvey, Church St. Brendan & Blathnaid Timothy, Creggs Road. Michael & Mary O'Hagan, son Joe daughter Christina & granddaughter Marlene Monaghan & decd O'Hagan & Foley families. Anthony & Mary Farragher & Patrick Dolan, Esker & decd Farragher & Dolan families.

WEEKDAYS

Thurs 7pm Kate & Thomas Kenny + Jack & Bridie Kenny, Ardeevin.
Williamstown Friday @ 9.30am.

Saturday 3rd May

Sat 7pm Thomas & Nora Treacy & d.f., Lisheen Michael & Bridget Connolly & dec Kelly & Connolly families, Frass

Please pray for Tom McDermott, Whitepark & USA who died during the week.

FIRST CONFESSIONS in Glenamaddy Church on Thursday 8pm.



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

3rd Sunday of Easter
1st Reading—Acts 2:14,22-33
2nd Reading— 1 Peter 1:17-21
Gospel—Luke 24:13-35



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

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Fr. Tommie Commins (094) 9659212

Fr. Fergal Cunnane (093) 38124



PARISH BAPTISMAL DATES: Saturday 10th May 4pm. Sunday 8th June @ 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 €1,178.

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

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Bingo on Sunday at 3pm in Glenamaddy Community Centre in aid of St. Vincent de Paul. All proceeds raised will be distributed locally.

Saturday 10th May at 7pm in our church. At this Mass we will be remembering our students who will be doing examinations. We would encourage as many young people as possible to please attend.



Saturday 7th June Parish Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick.

Awaken me, Lord
To your light,
Open my eyes
To your presence

Awaken me, Lord
To your love,
Open my heart
To your indwelling.



ROTA FOR CHURCH MINISTERIES FOR MAY

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat 3rd @ 7pm Odhrán Geraghty, Shauna Cunniffe, Sinéad Comer, Gerard Smith, Adrian Knight.

Sat 10th & 17th @ 7pm Olivia Duane, Stephen Duane, Adrian Divilly, Lauren Conneally, Rachel Long

Sat 24th & 31st @ 7pm Ryan Duffy, Evan Duffy, Niamh Collins, Mica Comer, PJ Shanks.

READERS

Sat 3rd @ 7pm Mary Brosnan & Paddy Forde

Sat 10th @ 7pm Mary Brosnan & Tony Worrall

Sat 17th @ 7pm Colette Ganley & Tony Worrall

Sat 24th @ 7pm Brenda Smyth & Paddy Forde

Sat 31st @ 7pm Brenda Smyth & David Forde

BASKET COLLECTORS

Alphy O'Brien, Pat Collins, Catherine Fahy. Gallery: Tony Molloy

COUNTERS

Mary Quinn, Moira Donlon, Padraic Keady

FLOWER ARRANGING

Noreen Glynn

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Sat 3rd & 10th @ 7pm Helen Giblin, Patricia Scarry, Tony Molloy
Gallery: James Burke

Sat 17th & 24th @ 7pm Mary Davis, Ita Brogan, Gertie Timothy
Gallery: Marian Keaveney

Sat 31st @ 7pm Tess Connolly, John Molloy, Mary Mannion
Gallery: Julia Dolan

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Sat 3rd @ 7pm Ciaran Fernie

Sat 10th @ 7pm Ann Marie Crehan

Sat 17th @ 7pm Nora Fahy

Sat 24th @ 7pm Marie Keaveney

Sat 31st @ 7pm Siobhan O'Brien

BAPTISMAL TEAM

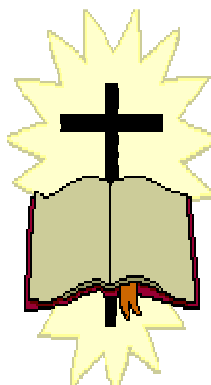
Mary Jo Comer & Liz Collins

STEWARDS

Stephen Burke & Joseph Knight

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Helen Fox, Andrea Connolly, Georgina Martin



CHILDREN'S LITURGY in our Church every Saturday night for Junior, Senior and First Class children.

PRIEST'S SALARY—Thanks to all who contributed so generously to the priest's salary collection.

EASTER CEREMONIES Thanks to all the people who helped in any way with the Easter ceremonies.

COMMUNION CALLS 10am Thursday: Cloonminda, Classaroe, Ballymoe Road, Creggs Road. **Friday 10am:** Dunmore Road, Woodfield, Ballinagrally. (Please note the calls will be Thursday 8th and Friday 9th May not this coming week).

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

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

THE NATIONAL VIGIL FOR LIFE is being held on next Saturday the 3rd May in Dublin. All are urged to attend. There is a leaflet with details for your information in the Church. Your continued support at this critical time is crucial if we are to turn things around. If there are enough people interested in going to Dublin for the pro life rally on Saturday next a bus will be organised. Please contact (086) 3636270.

MASS TIMES Last July we said we would have a review of our weekend Masses before the year is out in both parishes. A vote will take place in both parishes to give people a preference of Sunday morning/Saturday night Mass in either Glenamaddy or Williamstown Church. Voting paper will be available at the back of each church. You tick the box for Saturday night or Sunday morning Mass. Only one vote per household will be accepted. The person voting must sign their name and village. The last chance to vote will be Sunday 11th May.

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 10,23,28,30. 4 matched 3 numbers and share €100. Next Wednesday's Lotto Jackpot will be €5,600.

GLENAMADDY PLAYERS A huge thank you to everyone who supported us at the All-Ireland Confined Drama Finals on April 10th in Claremorris, while we did not bring home the silverware we did our group and parish proud. Also thank you to everyone who contributed to our recent church gate collection where €355.00 was raised.

HERITAGE PROJECT meeting Wed. at 8.30pm in the Convent House.

GENTS GAA It has been a good week for the club with victories at U16, Junior & Intermediate level. Our Intermediate team beat Williamstown 0-11 to 0-6, Junior team beat Dunmore 2-6 to 0-7 and the U16 beat Corofin 2-7 to 1-7. The next outing for the U16 is against Annaghdown on Tuesday April 29th in Glenamaddy. U14 team play Caherlistrane on Friday May 2nd in Caherlistrane. Training commences on this Monday April 28th for U8, U10, U12 boys in Glenamaddy GAA pitch. All players must pay their €10 registration fee on or before Monday 28th as players are not covered by insurance otherwise. Lotto reps for May are Tom Comer, Tony Molloy and Michael Geraghty.

LADIES GAA Congrats to our u14 girls and team management on their league win over Claregalway away last Saturday. Well done to John Kennedy and the Glenamaddy Community School TY Students on their successful u10 training and skills course held in Glenamaddy GAA pitch last Tuesday. Thanks to all who helped in any way. Tickets on sale for the Galway ladies night at the dogs on May 3rd at €20. 1st prize €1,000. Anybody wishing to buy one can contact any club officer. Please let us know by Monday at 6pm as we have to return the tickets

ACTIVE RETIRED meeting on Tuesday evening at 7.30pm in Glenamaddy Community Centre. All members please attend.

GLENAMADDY TOWN ENHANCEMENT COMMITTEE Home Composting in conjunction with Galway Co. Council are hosting an Information Session on Tuesday 29th April in the Community Centre at 8pm. All are welcome and it is free of charge. Glenamaddy Parish Spring Clean weekend of 1st, 2nd and 3rd May as our Parish Spring Clean weekend. We are appealing to villages to organize the collection of litter, bottles, plastics etc. Your co-operation is needed to make our community cleaner, tidier and a better place for all of us. Spring Clean Day This is a reminder to let you know the spring clean day is on Thursday 29th April starting at 10am from the Community Centre. We are asking households to tidy their own premises. All help is welcome.

DG ROOFING AND AGRI SUPPLIES WILLIAMSTOWN Attention all Farmers

We are inviting you to attend a Spring seminar on Grass Land improvements on Monday 28th April @ 7.30pm. Speakers on the night will be Paul Ward from Gold Crop on Grassland re seeding, John Boylan from Whelehan Crop Protection on Grass Land Weed Control options, Colin Boyd from Tinsley Wire Fencing Products. There will also be a fencing promotion on the night with offers on all fences. This will prove to a very informative evening. DG Roofing & Agri Supplies, Williamstown. Tel: (094) 9643355