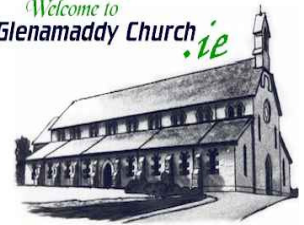


# Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter



24th Sunday in Ordinary Time.  
Saturday 12th/Sunday 13th September 2015

Welcome to  
Glenamaddy Church .ie



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## Sunday 13th September

Sun 10.30am Mary Kate Garvey, O'Keeffe Park—  
1st anniversary & her husband  
James.  
Martin, Tom & Bridget Donlon,  
Lisheen.

## Weekdays

Tues 7pm Pat & Mary Ward, Lisheen & decd  
Coyne & Ward families.  
Michael Comer, Ballinagrally.  
Decd. Collins family, Bushtown &  
Seamus O'Neill & decd. Lohan  
family, Kilkerrin.

Thurs 9.30am Private intention.

WILLIAMSTOWN Wednesday & Friday @ 9.30am

## Sunday 20th September

10.30am Jonathan Fox, Esker.

### Don't forget your blessings

Treasure the memories of all God  
has done in the past—bring them  
to mind as beacons of hope in the  
future.



**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

1st Reading—Ws 2:12-17-20  
2nd Reading—JM 3:16-4:3  
Gospel—Mk 9:30-37



## MASSES AND PRIESTS IN OUR CLUSTER AREA OF GLENAMADDY

Saturday	Williamstown	7.00pm
	Kiltevena	7.30pm
	Clonberne	8pm
Sunday	Garrafrauns	10.00am
	Glenamaddy	10.30am
	Kilkerrin	11am
	Dunmore	11.30am

Fr. Paddy Mooney (094) 9659017

Fr. Tommie Commins (094) 9659212

Fr. Fergal Cunnane (093) 38124



**PARISH BAPTISMAL DATES:** Sunday 4th October @ 12pm.  
Saturday 14th November @ 4pm. 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 Cer-  
tificate is required and two weeks notice. To book your child's Bap-  
tism please phone (087) 2805241.

**CHURCH INCOME LAST WEEKEND** €1,271

**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)

**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.

*Celebrations are precious to us....* Whether we are  
young or old, single or married, celebrations are precious  
to us. They bring us back to what is important in our lives  
and in the life of the community. These times of  
celebration put us in touch with our best selves, in ways  
that even the best camera can never capture. Our upcom-  
ing Mission starts on Sunday 4th October will be such a  
celebration. In every community there is a deep goodness  
that we are not always aware of. Our parish mission is an  
opportunity to allow that goodness to breathe and express  
itself. It becomes a joyful celebration of life at its best. We  
look forward to it. Our Parish Mission begins on Sunday  
4th October. Please clubs and organisations don't  
organise any activity if possible during this Mission.  
*See you there.*

**PARISH OFFICE** open on Mondays and Fridays 10am-12pm. Please use the office during these hours to book Masses, Baptisms, Weddings or all general enquiries and to enquire about records. Please telephone (094) 9659017 or email newsletter@glenamaddychurch.ie. Deadline for newsletter 10am on Friday mornings. Mass cards available during office hours. Office open in the Parochial House, Williamstown from 10am-12pm on Tuesdays.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** every Sunday morning during 10.30am Mass for children from Junior, Senior and First classes.

**A SPECIAL WELCOME** to Fr Denis Luddy and Sarah Kenwright, Redemptorist Missionaries who will be speaking at Mass today. They are part of the Mission team who will be joining us from Saturday 3rd October to Sunday 11th October for our Parish Mission. We hope they enjoy their stay.

**JUNIOR CHOIR** practice on Monday 5pm-6pm in the church. Thanks to the large number who attended last week.

**WE WELCOME** into the Christian community Amelia Jane Cunningham, Dudley Heights and congratulate her parents Catherine & Alan.

**PRIEST'S SALARY** The Autumn Collection towards the Priest's Salary will be taken up at Mass next Sunday.

**THE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS** will serve both as a spiritual preparation for the fifty-first International Eucharistic Congress 2016 in Cebu next January, and as an opportunity to focus, in the light of our Eucharistic communion, on some of the important pastoral questions in the life of the Church at the present time. The theme for the National Congress, echoing the theme of IEC2016, is 'Christ, our Hope' (Col 1:27). The Congress, which is free of charge, will have a particular focus on marriage and the family as well as the Year of Consecrated Life 2015 and the upcoming Jubilee of Mercy. It will be held in Knock from 26th-27th September next. An excellent programme laid on please contact Knock Shrine for more details.

**HOSPICE COFFEE MORNING** at the home of Brid and Mary Morgan, Sonnagh on Thursday September 17th from 3pm-7pm.

**IRISH DANCING** lessons by Cunniffe School of Irish Dancing take place every Wednesday in Ardeevin National School at 4pm. Classes available for beginners/advanced. Enquiries to Siobhan 086 8388840.

**GLENAMADDY BRIDGE CLUB** resumes on Monday 14th September at 7.30pm. New members welcome. Tea served at 9pm nightly.

**GLENAMADDY CLUBS' LOTTO** No jackpot winner in last Wednesday's draw, numbers drawn were 3,14,16,32. 5 matched 2 numbers and share €100. Next Wed's Lotto Jackpot will be €6,800.

**GLENAMADDY DISTRICT PLOUGHING & AGRI SHOW** (Sunday 4th October) Volunteers meeting in the Community Centre @ 9pm Tuesday 15th September. Everybody welcome.

**TRADITIONAL SINGING** some vacancies for lessons still available through Tom Morrison CCÉ. All ages welcome please contact 0858409321

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

**GLENAMADDY BOYOUNAGH HERITAGE PROJECT** If there are any people in the townlands who have any past/historical stories that may be of interest to be included in the Heritage Book, please could they be brought to the Heritage Office in the Convent house asap.

**GLENAMADDY MUSICAL SOCIETY** will commence rehearsals for their upcoming show "A Night at the Musicals" on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2015 from 4-6 pm in the Town Hall Theatre Glenamaddy. New members are most welcome..... bring a friend.

**GLENAMADDY PLAYERS** present three One-Act plays. Come and see Holy Mary by Eoin Colfer, the hilarious farce Costa del Packet by Anthony Booth and the fantastically funny This Desirable Cottage also by Anthony Booth. These shows will run on the 25th and 26th of September and again on the 2nd and 3rd of October in the Town Hall Theatre, Glenamaddy at 8pm. For booking please call 086 2045896, Mon-Fri 11am-4pm. Adm. €10.

**LGFA** Best of luck to our Intermediate ladies and team management in the County final this weekend v Annaghdown. Well done to our u16 girls and team management who done our club proud in the All Ireland 7's, last Saturday in Clare. Congrats and best wishes to all who received their Junior Cert results this week. Congrats to our new Grandmother Patricia Keady on the arrival of her grandson Daire and best wishes to Fionán & Miriam.

**GLENAMADDY COMMUNITY SCHOOL GYM** will re-open on Tuesday 15th September. The gym is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7.30pm -9.30pm. €5 per evening. Supervised by a gym instructor. Come along to get fit and healthy.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to our Junior Cert students who received their examination results this week. We hope you were happy with your results.

**A SENIORS CARD** is a new initiative introduced in 2015 in conjunction with Active Age. It's quite simply a means of rewarding our older citizens with a simple Discount Scheme, where there is no assets test or income bias. To qualify you must be over 60 years of age. If you would like some assistance applying for a Seniors Card, contact Helen at Glenamaddy CDC free information (Tues-Thurs) or tel: 094-965 9570/9829.

**COMFORT KEEPERS HOME CARE** are now recruiting for Home Care Assistants in the Glenamaddy area. Please call 061 490760 for more information, apply online at [www.comfortkeepers.ie/careers](http://www.comfortkeepers.ie/careers) or post your CV to Comfort Keepers, Charlotte House, Charlotte Quay, Limerick.

**GET YOURSELF ON LINE** at GCDC Ballyhard. The programme is run over just 2 mornings or 2 Wed evenings, commencing Wednesday, 23rd September to equip beginners or increase your confidence in using the internet & social media in everyday life. Nominal cost of €40 - places limited. To register please phone 094-965 9570/9829 (office hours) or mail: [gcdc@eircom.net/gcdchelen@gmail.com](mailto:gcdc@eircom.net/gcdchelen@gmail.com)

**GENTS GAA** Well done to our Intermediate team who had a good 1-9 to 0-10 victory over Ballinasloe in their relegation game. U12 boys play Headford today at 11am in the GAA pitch. U15 boys play Mountbellew/Moylough Sun 20 Sept at 12 noon. The Club wishes Mark Dolan a speedy recovery.

**PIANO LESSONS** available in Glenamaddy area, contact David on 086-1606566 for more details.

**SAMARITANS** church gate collection next weekend. Please support.

**BAGS OF TURF** for sale. Please contact 087 2489327.

#### **MEEHANS LONDIS**

Kerrygold Butter 1lb ..... € 2.00  
Lyons Gold Tea Bags 160s...€ 4.00  
Nescafe 200g .....€ 3.00  
Surf 70 wash .....€10.00  
Fire logs ..... 4 for € 5.00