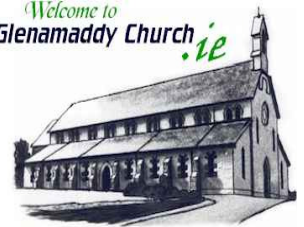


# Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter



21st Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Saturday 22nd/Sunday 23rd August 2015

Welcome to  
Glenamaddy Church .ie



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## MASSES AND PRIESTS IN OUR CLUSTER AREA OF GLENAMADDY

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

Fr. Paddy Mooney (094) 9659017

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## Sunday 23rd August

Sun 10.30am Mary Tanniane (nee Burke) & parents and niece Michelle & decd Burke & Meehan families. Oliver Joyce & decd., Cloonacat

## Sunday 30th August

Sun 10.30am Kathleen Mitchell Reilly, Sonnagh—1st anniv. & husband Michael.

**Please pray for** Julia Costello, mother of Mary Brady, Ardaslough, Jean Doherty, mother of Scott Doherty, Bushtown and Mae Keaveney, Clooncun who died during the week. Also, for, Patrick 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

1st Reading—Dt 4:1:6-8  
2nd Reading— Jm 1:17-18,21-22,27  
Gospel—Mk 7:1-8,14-15,21-23



**PARISH BAPTISMAL DATES:** Saturday 12th September @ 4pm. Sunday 4th October at 12. 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** €1633

**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 Parish & Cluster Mission 4th-11th October



It's easy for our lives to fall into dull routine, just one thing following another. We 'go with the flow', not thinking very deeply about anything, almost sleepwalking through the days, weeks, even years. A vague dissatisfaction underlies all this: we know we are capable of much more. A mission is meant to wake us up and get us really living again, not just drifting. It's a time for us, as individuals and as a community, to take stock of ourselves, to deepen the quality of our living, to repair and renew our relationships - with family, neighbours, Church, God to rediscover prayer, worship, and all the riches of our Catholic tradition. It's an opportunity offered by God, one not to be missed.

**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.

**TAX REBATE FORMS** a good number were returned this week, thanks to those who returned them. Please return yours this week, if possible.

**MASSES**—At weekend Masses we would be grateful if relatives of the deceased for whom the Mass is being offered could bring up the gifts at Mass. **Midweek Masses:** If there is a funeral Mass in Glenamaddy or Williamstown Church there will be no daily Mass in either Church on that day. This does not apply to the weekend.

**MASS** and official opening of Littlecastle Childrens' burial ground on Friday 28th August at 5pm. All welcome.

**TOCHAR WALK** on Saturday 29th August departing Ballintubber Abbey at 8.30am. Contact 094-9030934.

**ESKER MONASTERY** will host an 8 week MBSR (Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction) training course with Michael Lally. Tuesday nights from 7.30-10.00 from 1 Sept to 20 October with one full day on the 11<sup>th</sup> October. The MBSR is practical introduction to mindfulness, proven to help with stress, pain and depression. Mindfulness is about paying attention, on purpose in the present moment with no judgment. The MBSR is a basic requirement for further training in mindfulness. Contact info@redemptoristsesker.ie

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION** The Adoration Committee of Tuam Archdiocese is developing its Diocesan Team. Choice of Information Meetings to attend: IN Parish Centre, Dublin Road enter opposite Credit Union at 11am, or in the Castlecourt Hotel, Westport (Ashley Suite) at 3pm, both on Sat 19 Sept. Refreshments served. See poster in church.

**EDDIE STONES** & an evening of prayer and healing will take place in Kilbagnet Church on Friday 4 Sept at 7pm.

**TOM MORRISON COMHALTAS** Ceoltóirí Éireann registration night Friday next at 6pm in Glenamaddy Community School. Membership €6 Junior, €12 Adult, €20 family. It is imperative that existing members re-register for the 2015/2016 year. New members and especially adults are welcome. We hope to add piano accompaniment, drums and traditional singing to the existing instrument tuition offered.

**LGFA** Hard luck to Johanna & Noelle Connolly and the Galway Senior ladies who lost narrowly to Cork in the All Ireland quarter final last Saturday.

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

**GLENAMADDY SLI NA SLAINTE** & Turlough Walk. Free event to celebrate Heritage Week. Meeting at the parking area just opposite Glenamaddy new cemetery at 7.30pm on Tues, 25th August. A nature walk led by Botanist, Janice Fuller exploring the flora and fauna of this beautiful area. This is hosted by GCDC. Free copies of the Event Guide are available at GCDC offices in Ballyhard.



**Children's Liturgy** starting back on Sunday morning 6th September during 10.30am Mass. This liturgy is for all children in Junior, Senior and First classes.

**Junior Choir** practice on Monday 7th September from 5pm-6pm in the church for all children from 1st to 6th class.

**Parish & Cluster Mission 4th-11th October.** Please keep these dates free. We are appealing to all clubs and organisations, if possible not to organise any activity during these dates.

**Harvest Mass** Sunday 18th October at 10.30am

**GENTS GAA** Congrats to our Minor team who beat Monivea/Abbey 0-9 to 0-7 in the first round of the Minor A Championship. Intermediate team play Tuam Stars Sunday 23 August at 1pm in the league. U12 boys play Mountbellow/Moylough today in Glenamaddy at 11am in the 1st round of the north U12 league.

**TOWN ENCHANCEMENT** thank all who supported their church gate collection which amounted to €307.17.

**GLENAMADDY/BOYOUNAGH** heritage meeting on Wed 26 August in the Convent house at 8pm.

**HERITAGE WEEK FILM SHOW** The looking back film will be shown in the Town Hall, Glenamaddy at 8pm on Friday next. Free entry all are welcome. Refreshments & Raffle. Comper for the night is Peter Keaveney.

**MARKS WISH 2 WALK** 3 year old Mark Dolan from Ahascragh requires €120,000 to undergo a pioneering surgical procedure in USA in September that will allow him to walk for the first time. Please help to raise the money. Contact 087 2121936 for details of options to pay.

**BAGS OF TURF** good quality for sale 087 2489327.

**GLENAMADDY CLUBS' LOTTO** No jackpot winner in last Wed.'s draw, numbers drawn were 4,11,20,30. 1 matched 3 numbers and won €100. Next Wed's Lotto Jackpot will be €6,200.

**GRINDS** available in Maths, Accounting, Business & LCVP. 087-6222147

**PIANO LESSONS**  
For beginners & Improvers  
Tel. Olga 086 1989962

**MEEHANS LONDIS**  
Large Chickens ..... €4.69  
2.5kg Irish Queens ..... €2.00  
Lyons Tea Bags 80s ..... €2.00  
Connaught Gold Butter ...€1.50  
Kitten Soft 9pk ..... €4.00

**GLENAMADDY CREDIT UNION** are offering Special Educational Loans to its members at 5.5% (APR 5.7%). Available for 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> level. Terms and conditions apply. For further information please call to any of our offices in Glenamaddy, Williamstown or Glinsk. Draw for three interest free loans.

**Please Keep Our Parish Tidy**