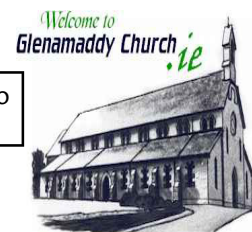


Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter



18th October 2020
Mission Sunday

Church Radio
106.4 FM



Fr. Eugene O'Boyle PP
Phone (094) 9643774

Saturday 17th October

7pm John & Maureen Molloy, son Michael & daughter in law Julie, Ballinlass.
Christina Monaghan, mother Isabelle & brother Martin, Kiltullagh.
Mary, Michael Martin Keaveney & decd., Clooncun.
John & Nora Mulryan, Ballyhard, John Jnr, Nonie, Ann, Pat, Sr. Bertranda & Manie.
Michael Trayers and his son Steven, Curragh.

Weekdays

Tues 10am	Private intention
Wed 10am	Private intention
Thurs 10am	Private intention
Friday 10am	Private intention

Saturday 24th October

7pm Patsy Fleming, Cloonlara South—Month's Mind.
Mary & Michael O'Dwyer & Evelyn Connolly.
Tommy O'Grady, Creggane & son Patrick Joseph.
Denis McCabe, parents Lawrence & Josie & nephews Adrian & Justin, Dudley Heights.

Please pray for Paddy McDermott, Shannagh who died during the week. Also for Fr. Colm Kilcoyne, former PP of Cong, teacher in Colaiste Seosaimh and was the founder member of Glenamaddy Players who died during the week.

MASSES AND PRIESTS IN OUR CLUSTER AREA OF GLENAMADDY

Saturday	Glenamaddy	7.00pm
	Kiltevena	7.30pm
	Clonberne	7.30pm
Sunday	Garrafrauns	10am
	Williamstown	10.30am
	Kilkerrin	11am
	Dunmore	11.30am

Fr. Eugene O'Boyle (094) 9643774

Fr. Fergal Cunnane (093) 38124

Fr. Tommie Commins (094) 9659212

PARISH BAPTISMAL DATES: Saturday 14th November @ 4pm. Sunday 13th December @ 12 noon. Baptisms are restricted to Parents, Siblings, Godparents and Grandparents. 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 (094) 9659962.

CHURCH INCOME LAST WEEKEND: €530

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL, DUNMORE helpline (086) 4169828

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.

Harvest Prayer

Father, we are mindful that whilst we are well fed and nourished there are many who are short of food, whose harvests have failed for lack of rain as climate changes, or whose livelihood has been destroyed by war, inhumanity and exploitation. Bless the development agencies who are seeking to redress the balance and bring peace and justice where there is want, discord and destruction. Bless those who work for climate justice so that all countries, rich and poor, will have an equal entitlement per person to create greenhouse gas emissions. Give us generous hearts that from our riches we may increasingly give our support to those working among the poor and under-privileged in the world, and keep us ever mindful of our Lord's command to love our neighbours – whether close at hand or in the wider world – as ourselves. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

PARISH OFFICE is now open in the Convent House from 10am to 12 noon on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays. Telephone: (094) 9659962. Mass bookings, weddings, baptisms etc can be done through the Parish Office on the above number. Please call to the office during the above hours if you require Mass cards or any Parish Office business.



We are in level 3 of Covid restrictions so unfortunately there will be no public Masses for the next few weeks. However Mass will be said daily and will be broadcast on parish radio on 106.4fm from Tuesday to Friday at 10am, Saturday 7pm & Sunday 10.30am. Funerals and weddings are now restricted to 25 people. Glenamaddy church will remain open for private prayer during the present-Covid 19 restrictions. Thank you for your understanding and stay safe.

GLANFEST Glenamaddy Virtual Heritage Festival will go on line on Saturday 24th October. Lots of videos on local heritage themes. See our facebook page at Glenamaddy Heritage Project for more details.

GLENAMADDY CLUBS' LOTTO No jackpot winner in last Wednesday's draw, numbers drawn were 10,15,23,25. 5 matched 3 numbers and share €100. Next Wed's Lotto Jackpot will be €3,200.



Glenamaddy Parish Responds by:-

- 1% of Sunday Collections
- Stamp Collecting
- Trocaire collection
- Christmas Shoe Box Appeal
- €2,000 for Mass bookings by Fr Paddy is forwarded each year to Children helping Children Mission Appeal.
- Praying for our Missionaries

WE WELCOME into the Christian community Matthew Maurice Curtin, Clooncun and Sophie Catriona Farragher, Esker and congratulate their parents Ann Marie & Thomas and Mary and Paul.

Prayer Reflection
Archbishop Oscar Romero

It helps, now and then, to step back and take a long view.

The kingdom is not only beyond our efforts, it is even beyond our vision.

We accomplish in our lifetime only a tiny fraction of the magnificent enterprise that is God's work. Nothing we do is complete, which is a way of saying that the kingdom always lies beyond us. No statement says all that could be said. No prayer fully expresses our faith. No confession brings perfection. No pastoral visit brings wholeness. No program accomplishes the church's mission. No set of goals and objectives includes everything.

This is what we are about.
We plant the seeds that one day will grow.
We water seeds already planted,
knowing that they hold future promise.

We lay foundations that will need further development. We provide yeast that produces far beyond our capabilities. We cannot do everything, and there is a sense of liberation in realizing that. This enables us to do something, and to do it very well. It may be incomplete, but it is a beginning, a step along the way, an opportunity for the Lord's grace to enter and do the rest.

We may never see the end results, but that is the difference between the master builder and the worker.

We are workers, not master builders; ministers, not messiahs. We are prophets of a future not our own. Amen.