

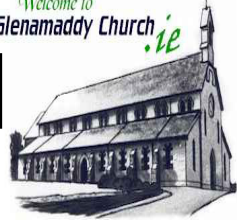
Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter



7th February 2021
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Church Radio
106.4 FM

Welcome to
Glenamaddy Church .ie



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

Sunday 7th February

10.30am

Willie Collins, Bushtown—1st anniv & deceased of the Collins & Lohan families. Jimmy Collins, Kiltullagh. Martin & Rena Egan, Dudley Heights & decd Egan family. Michael McDonagh, Knickanes and the deceased of the McDonagh family.

Weekdays

Tues 10am

Al Timothy, Creggs Road.

Friday 10am

Private intention

Sunday 14th February

10.30am

Philomena, Grainne & Baby Sean Mullen, Lisheen. Kelsey Jane Divilly, Gortnagier. Sonny Hussey, Stoolpark & decd Hussey & Murray families.

Please pray for Teresa Raftery Philadelphia formerly Greene from Littlecastle wife of late Dan Raftery Belwell who died recently and for the deceased of the Murray family, Ardaslough whose anniversaries occur at this time.

MASSES AND PRIESTS IN OUR CLUSTER AREA OF GLENAMADDY

Saturday	Williamstown	7.00pm
	Kiltevena	7.30pm
	Clonberne	7.30pm
Sunday	Garrafrauns	10am
	Glenamaddy	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: Sunday 14th February @ 12 noon. Saturday 13th March at 4pm. Sunday 11th April @ 12 noon. Baptisms are restricted to Parents, Siblings, and Godparents. 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: €390

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.

The Hill we Climb

“So, let us leave behind a country better than the one we were left with. We will rebuild, reconcile and recover in every known nook of our nation, in every corner called our country. Our people diverse and beautiful will emerge battered and beautiful. When day comes, we step out of the shade aflame and unafraid. The new dawn blooms as we free it. For there is always light. If only we are brave enough to see it. If only we're brave enough to be it.”

(from a poem read by Amanda Gorman at President Joe Biden's inauguration)



PARISH OFFICE Due to Level 5 restrictions it will be operating behind closed doors. Parishioners who wish to book Masses, require Mass cards or have any other query are asked to please ring the office (094) 9659962 between 10am-12 noon Monday, Tuesday or Friday and arrangements will be made.

CLONBERNE VALENTINES ONLINE BINGO This Monday at 8pm with increased prizes. Prize fund of over €3,800 8 games – One line –€20 Two line –€30 and full houses €100 Game 5. Flyer - One line €60 Two lines €100 and Full House €250 Game 10 Jackpot - One line €50 Two lines €100 and Jackpot of €2000 on 42 calls, €1000 on 47 calls, or €500 guaranteed on over 47 calls. Extra money on double checks 11, 22, 33, 44, 55, 66, 77, 88, and 1st single check on number 13 gets an extra €50. To play go to: www.clonberne.ie

PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

You are enough If you can still weep at injustice, you are enough.
If your eyes are dry but you are moved to act, you are enough.
If you can extend a hand to the hopeless, you are enough.
If all you have to give is a tender thought, you are enough.
If you will not abide by the exploitation of others, you are enough.
If your soul feels the suffering of our sisters and brothers in poverty, you are enough.
And if you can imagine a world made better one life at a time because you cared,
You – remarkable, kind, compassionate, you – are so much more than enough. Trócaire.

GET WELLknowing that someone really cares helps healing along its way, so we hope all our Parishioners who are sick or housebound feel better and keep improving, day by day. We keep you in our thoughts and prayers

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK 11th February 2021 The theme of this year's observance is, "You have but one teacher and you are all brothers" (Mt 23:8), which calls for "a trust-based relationship to guide and care for the sick". In his message for the 29th World Day of the Sick on 11th February, Pope Francis urges a path of healing grounded in a trusting and interpersonal relationship between the sick and those who care for them. The annual day "is an opportunity to devote special attention to the sick and to those who provide them with assistance and care both in healthcare institutions and within families and communities." He expresses his spiritual closeness and the Church's loving concern for those suffering the coronavirus pandemic, especially the poor and the marginalized. Sickness has many faces, there are the sick, as well as all those who are ignored, excluded and are a prey to social injustices that deny their fundamental rights. The 11th February is also the Feast of our Lady of Lourdes Day

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES On 11th February 1858 Our Lady first appeared to 14-year-old French peasant girl, Bernadette Soubirous. Later Bernadette, asked her, "Who are you?" and heard from Our Lady's own lips, "I am the Immaculate Conception". Our Lady made 18 appearances to 14-year-old Bernadette and after the 18 appearances the Virgin Mary appeared two more times, on the Wednesday after Easter, and on the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. In 1862, the local bishop declared the apparitions worthy of belief. St. Bernadette left Lourdes in 1866 to join a religious order in central France, where she died after several years of illness in 1879. By the time of her death, a basilica had been built and consecrated at the apparition site, under the leadership of Fr. Peyramale.

WARNING Over Covid Vaccine Scam: An Garda Síochána, the HSE, and The Department of Health have issued a warning to members of the public about potential scams relating to the Covid-19 vaccine. An Garda Síochána has been made aware of members of the public having received fraudulent text messages and telephone calls regarding Covid vaccination. The text messages and phone calls have made requests for people to confirm private and sensitive information such as PPS number, date of birth, and address. The HSE will never text or call individuals requesting personal information and they will never request payment for a Covid test or Vaccine. Your local GP will be the first point of contact about vaccination or Covid testing. The Covid-19 vaccine is free and it is not available privately. We would ask that members of the public make any friends or family aware of these calls and text messages.