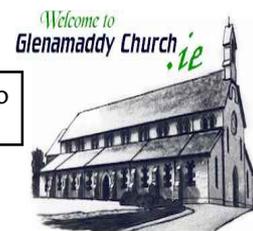


Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter



Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
6th February 2022

Church Radio
106.4 FM



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

Saturday 5th February

7pm
Mary Brady, Kilkerrin Road—
Month's Mind.
Marie Coughlan, Kilkerrin
Road—Month's Mind.
Jimmy Collins, Kiltullagh &
Martin & Rena Egan, Dudley
Heights.
Bridget, Margaret & Bill Ryan
& decd Ryan family.

Weekdays

Mon 10am Private intention
Tues 10am Private intention
Friday 10am Private intention

Saturday 12th February

7pm
Michael Mee, Scotland—
Month's Mind.
Liam Donelon, Cashel—
Month's Mind.
Willie Collins, Bushtown.
Philomena, Grainne & Baby
Sean Mullen, Lisheen.
Al Timothy, Creggs Road.
Kelsey Jane Divilly,
Glenamaddy.

Please pray for Margaret (Girlie) Lane,
Abbeyknockmoy mother of Ann Conneally,
Boyouagh Bridge who died during the
week and also for James Reilly Cashel
whose anniversary occurs at this time.

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 BAPTISMS: A copy of your child's Birth Certificate is required and two weeks notice. To book your child's Baptism please phone (094) 9659962 during office hours.

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.

ADORATION every Monday except Bank holidays in the Convent House Oratory. 9am-12 noon. 6pm-10pm.

CHURCH INCOME LAST WEEKEND €

A Faithful Friend

Let those who are at peace with you be many,
but let your advisers be one in a thousand.
When you gain a friend, gain him through testing,
and do not trust him hastily.
For there is a friend who is such at his own convenience, but
will not stand by you in your day of trouble.
And there is a friend, who changes into an enemy, and will
disclose a quarrel to your disgrace.
And there is a friend, who is a table companion, but will not
stand by you in your day of trouble.
In your prosperity he will make himself your equal, and be
bold with your servants;
But if you are brought low he will turn against you, and will
hide himself from your presence.
A faithful friend is a sturdy shelter;
He that has found one has found a treasure.
There is nothing as precious as a faithful friend, and no
scales can measure his excellence.
Old Testament Book of Wisdom

PARISH OFFICE is open to the public. Parishioners who wish to book Masses, require Mass cards or have any other query are asked to please call or phone the office (094) 9659962 between 10am-12 noon Monday, Tuesday or Friday. Queries by email can be sent to glenamaddychurch@gmail.com. Notices for newsletter can be emailed to newsletter@glenamaddychurch.ie. Deadline for notices 10am on Friday morning.

FR EUGENE will be on holidays until Friday night next. Fr Paddy will be covering for him while he is away. In an emergency please call Fr Paddy on (087) 9035910 or contact Breda in the Parish Office.

GLENAMADDY PARISH Safeguarding Representative is Mary Worrall. If you have a Safeguarding concern, contact Mary. Please note Safeguarding Statements are displayed in the porch of our Church.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION will be celebrated in the parish on Friday 18th February at 2pm.

BINGO every Wed evening at 8pm in the Community Centre. Usual hospitality, bus, prizes & refreshments.

GLENAMADDY COMMUNITY SCHEME are currently looking for 2 cooks and 2 general operatives within the area. Enquiries please to Martin Hennelly, CE Supervisor (087) 2265711.

59TH GLENAMADDY THEATRE FESTIVAL Friday March 25th-Saturday April 2nd. (Adjudicator Irene O'Meara). Season Tickets available, call 086 2045896 or contact us via social media (Facebook or Instagram)

GLENAMADDY MUSICAL SOCIETY will hold it's AGM in the Town Hall Theatre Glenamaddy on Thursday 17th February @ 8p.m. We invite all present members to attend and welcome new members to join our Society. We are excited to hopefully be getting back on stage in the coming months and would love you to be part of our plans to stage a musical this year. Spot prizes on the night.

HAND HELD PESTICIDE APPLICATION QQI Level 5 - Course commencing in GRETB Dunmore Start Date – Wednesday 16th Feb. Time: 10am-1pm. Contact – 093 39778 or register on www.fetchcourses.ie. Code – 345188 Current Legislation, requires pesticides users to have undertaken appropriate training and to register for the DAFM Register of professional users of pesticides. Only users on this Register may apply professional grade pesticides in Ireland. On completion of the course you will be able to register for the DAFM Register of Professional Users of Pesticides.

GLENAMADDY COMMUNITY CLUB'S LOTTO. No Jackpot winner. Numbers drawn 4,6,17,19. 2 matched 3 numbers and share €100. Next week's Jackpot is €8,200.

SET DANCING starting back on Tuesday 8th February at 8pm in the Parochial Hall in Williamstown. Get those dancing shoes on.

“ANOIS TEACHT ON EARRAIG”

The great Gaelic Poet, Anthony Raftery wrote in his poem
Cill Aodain.....

‘Now that spring has come, days will get longer,
And after Brigid's Day I will raise my sails’.

We have entered the month of February, St Brigid's month, the
beginning of Spring, month of lambs, calves and foals;
Month of three kinds of weather: wind, rain and snow.

We experience new life and light as nature awakens in Spring.
The days are getting longer and the snowdrops and daffodils will
soon be plentiful.

We pray, ‘God of nature, Lord of light, you have
Given us a world to respect and preserve.

We ask God's blessing on our fragile earth and on the people who
live upon the earth, through the gentleness of your son Jesus Christ.
Amen.

GALWAY SIMON COMMUNITY say a huge thanks to the people of the parish and surrounding parishes for the huge amount of gifts which were left in our church under our Family Giving Tree over Christmas. The gifts hugely benefited the ever growing number of people turning to them for help. With everyone's help Galway Simon will continue to support these people.

Humour:

There's a way of transferring funds that
is even quicker than electronic banking –
it's called rearing a family!