

Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter

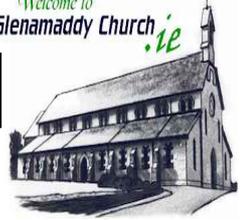


The Baptism of the Lord
8th January 2023

Church Radio
106.4 FM

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Welcome to
Glenamaddy Church .ie



Sunday 8th January

10.30am Kathleen Geraghty, Classaroe —
Month's Mind.
Marie Coughlan, Kilkerrin Rd
—1st anniv
Mary Brady, Kilkerrin Rd — 1st anniv
& her husband Paddy.
David Forde, Ballyhard—1st anniv
his uncle Peter & decd Forde &
Raftery families.
Michael & Tina Heneghan, son Pat &
decd Heneghan & Toman families
Kilkerrin Road.
Rose & Michael Halloran, Ballymoe
Road.
Eileen Mannion, Lisheen.
Martin & Sarah Ann Keaveny, Esker &
decd Keaveny & Coyne families.
Thomas & Annie Smith, Leitra
John Molloy, Ballinlass.
Tommie & Kathleen McLoughlin &
decd McLoughlin & Finneran families,
Barna & Timicat.

Weekdays

Mon 11am Funeral Mass Fr Michael Goaley
Fri 10am Private intention

Sunday 15th January

10.30am Cathy Conneally, Ballyhard —
1st anniv
Liam Donelan, Cashel—1st
anniv.
Tommy Fleming, Gortnadeeve
& Margaret Mitchell.

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 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.

A Prayer for the New Year

Month of January, month of frost, month of wind and rain,
month of darkness!

O Lord, be with us this January.

We do not know what is in store for us during this year but
we can be certain God will be with us.

Lord Jesus, your birth bound heaven and earth in harmony
and peace.

Establish that peace among nations and peoples of today.

Lord, we ask you to overcome the walls of hatred between
nations; clear the way for those who work for peace, move
the hearts of those who govern.

We place this year under the protection of God.

Amen.

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 is 10am on Friday morning.

PLEASE PRAY for Fr Michael Goaley, Retired Parish Priest of this parish whose funeral will take place today Sunday. Fr Goaley will be reposing in Glenamaddy Church from 3pm-6pm on Sunday evening. Funeral Mass will be at 11am on Monday with burial afterwards in Annaghdown cemetery. Please pray also for Jim Farrell, Glink father of Justin Farrell, Stonetown, Kathleen McGrath, Tuam mother of Mary Muldoon, Middletown and for Johnny Burke, Ballyhard whose anniversary occurs at this time.

FR MICHAEL GOALEY RIP
1989-2006

We say goodbye to our dear friend, a beloved Parish Priest, Fr Michael Goaley. We are grateful for his dedication, hard work, love and humour. Our sympathies are with his family, his many friends and to Joy who was his right hand woman. We thank the Lord for him and for his long and happy life. We ask the Lord to receive him in his mercy and love and to grant him rest after all his great work.

Fr Eugene.



FAMILY GIVING TREE is on display in our church. Please leave all of your unwanted gifts under the tree and they will be given to Galway Simon Community next week.

GLENAMADDY CLUBS' LOTTO draw on Wednesday nights. Next Wed's Lotto Jackpot will be €13000. No Jackpot winner this week. Numbers drawn 1,6,9,18 4 share €100 having 3 numbers. Lottery draw still available on line.

THE 'SEEN NOT HERD' project run by Galway Rural Development and the HSE is delighted to bring the "Fit Farmers" program to Glenamaddy in early January. This is a fantastic opportunity to shape up and to meet with like minded farmers. Shake off those winter blues and get healthy in 2023. If you or someone you know would like to sign up please contact Emily Hughes GRD on 087-4131248, places are limited.

BINGO in Glenamaddy Community Centre every Wednesday night at 8.30pm. Refreshments served. Usual bus service in operation.

'Life can only be understood backwards. But it must be lived forward'

GLENAMADDY THEATRE FESTIVAL All Ireland Season Ticket's are now available to buy online via Eventbrite, with a season ticket to Glenamaddy Theatre Festival, the holder will have access to all nine performances at the reduced rate of €110 (nightly tickets will go on sale in March for €15 + booking fee). In Eventbrite's search engine add 'Season Ticket - All Ireland Confined Drama Finals 2023' to purchase. Also our social media platforms will bring you directly to the Eventbrite link. Any problem email glenamaddydrama@gmail.com and we will get back to you. The All Ireland's run from Thurs 13th of April - Friday 21st April 2023 (Gala Awards night on Saturday 22nd of April). (Line up of performances will be determined at the All Ireland Draw on Sunday 2nd of April)

Prayer for the Feast of the Baptism of Christ

God our Creator, we thank you for the wonder of new life and for the mystery of human love. We give thanks for all whose support and skill surround and sustain the early years of life. As Jesus knew love and discipline within a human family, may the children of our parish grow up in faith and wisdom. As Mary knew the joys and pains of motherhood, give all parents your sustaining grace and love. We ask this through Jesus Christ Our Lord, Amen.