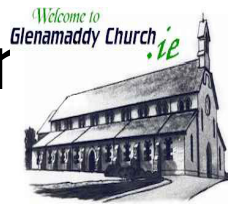


Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter



St. Patrick's Church

**3rd March 2024
Second Sunday of Lent**

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Saturday 2nd March

7pm Tom Hussey, Patch—Month's Mind.
John Glynn & decd., Leitra.
Shane Giblin, Cashel.
Edward & Kathleen Fahy, Classaroe.
Josephine Gannon, Cashel & decd Morris & Gannon families.
Tom Conneally, Boyounagh & decd Conneally & Heneghan families.
Patrick & Mary Ward, daughter Bridie, Patch.

Weekdays

Tues 10am Private intention

Fri 10am Ann Collins nee Burke, Fartown & decd Burke, Meehan, Rooney & Collins families.

Saturday 9th March

7pm Bridie & Bob Raftery, Sonnagh & decd Leonard & Raftery families.
Anne Feeney, Kiltullagh & her brother Paraic Feeney, Leitra.
Michael & Margaret Keaveney & Nora & Kitty Keaveney, Creggane.
Josephine & Eamon Phelan, The Square & decd Phelan and Johnston families.
Michael & Evelyn Walsh, Middletown.

PLEASE PRAY FOR Joe Divilly, Leitra, Gretta Duggan, Mullingar and formerly of Creggs Road, Fr Seamus Nohilly, SMA and Fr Eamon Concannon, Knock who died during the week.

Mass in Williamstown 10am Monday & Wednesday and 10.30am Sunday

MASSES AND PRIESTS IN OUR CLUSTER AREA OF GLENAMADDY

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

Fr Anthaiah Pudota (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. Baptisms will be the first Saturday of the month at 11am in Glenamaddy Church & the first Sunday of the month after Mass in Williamstown church.

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

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

THIS WEEK: SUNDAY COLLECTION: €1,195

Reflection

Jesus went up into the hills to pray.

The hills were special to Jesus.

He preached his most famous sermon from a hilltop.

He was transfigured on Mount Tabor,

And he died on Mount Calvary,

He ascended to heaven from Mount Olivet.

He loved hills and mountains.

Why was this?

Was it because he grew up among the hills of Galilee?

Or was it because heights enlarge our vision

And cause our spirit to soar?

Lift us up, Lord, that we may see further.

Strengthen our faith that we may see beyond the horizon.

And when the valley closes us in

Help us to remember the view from the hilltop.

LENTEN CALENDAR

This Lent, you are invited to pray with a line of God's Word each week and to express that Word in action each day..

3rd Sunday of Lent: Lord, you have the message of eternal life

Mon: Notice signs of new life around you and give thanks

Tues: Give to those who are in need

Wed: Pray for those who feel unloved

Thurs: Fast from what does not bring life

Fri: Pray for the gift of trust in God

Sat: Cherish the unexpected moments of wonder

GARMENT OF SUFFERING Don't forget to leave a piece of material 6 inch x 6 inch into the basket in front of the altar. This material can represent a hurt in your life, or any intention you have. These will be sewn together and used during the Holy Week and Easter Liturgy when we celebrate the Death and Resurrection of The Lord.

CONFESSIONS available after Mass next Saturday evening.

YOUTH MASS next Saturday evening.

THE IRISH CATHOLIC BISHOPS Conference have issued a statement on the forthcoming Referendums on the Family and Care. Briefly they are urging us to vote No on these two proposals. They believe the proposed changes to our Constitution on Family diminishes the importance of marriage and family in the eyes of the State and society in general.

THANKS VERY MUCH to Fr Paddy and Fr Paddy Mullens for covering for me while I was in India. It is very much appreciated. Fr Anthaiah.

GLENAMADDY DISTRICT PLOUGHING AND AGRICULTURAL SHOW will hold a EGM on Friday, 8th March @ 8pm in Glenamaddy Community Centre.

GLENAMADDY PLAYERS 2024 Circuit show 'The Outgoing Tide' by Bruce Graham will take to the drama circuit road this weekend, wishing them the very best of luck - Tubbercurry Drama Festival on Sunday 3rd and Roscommon Drama Festival on Monday 4th of March.

CANA Talks – “A Roadmap to Happiness” – T.F Royal Theatre, Castlebar – Friday 31st May, 8 pm. 6 speakers plus Special Guests. Inspiration + Entertainment. Each speaker has just 15 minutes to inspire you (from a faith perspective)! Enjoy real-life stories, humour, inspiring talks, great visuals, music, + more. This is not a conference, but a show! Tickets €20 + booking fee @ www.ticketmaster.ie. Can pay cash at the door. www.canatalks.com.

GLENAMADDY TIME CAPSULE Every local Group, Clubs, Committee, School and Business are invited to place something in the "Glenamaddy Time Capsule". A nice way to give the future generations a taste of Glenamaddy as we know it today. All the items collected will be placed in the time capsule on Saturday 16th March 2024. We need everything that will go into the time capsule by Saturday 9th March. All items can be given to any member of the Glenamaddy Town Twinning. If you have any question, do not hesitate to contact Bernard Mahe (0863159075).

The "**SEEN BUT NOT HERD** project from GRD and the HSE is back walking and talking in 2024. If you or anyone you know would like to get active, learn new skills and meet like minded people please call Emily from GRD on 087-4131248 for more information. Next week's walk will be in Clonberne pitches from 7pm on the 5th March, all welcome, fully lit walking track.

GLENAMADDY TOWN TWINNING meeting on Tuesday 5th March at 7pm in the Community Centre. Everyone welcome.

BINGO every Wed evening at 8.30pm in the Community Centre. Usual hospitality, bus, prizes & refreshments.

GLENAMADDY CLUBS' LOTTO draw on Wednesday nights. Next Wed's Lotto Jackpot will be €18,900. No Jackpot winner this week. Numbers drawn 3,4,15,31. 2 matched 3 numbers sharing €100.