

# Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter

Sat 24th/Sun 25th February 2007

1st Sunday of Lent— Year C

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## Stations of the Cross & Benediction on Wednesday 7.30pm

### Saturday 24th-Sunday 25th

Sat 7pm	John & Mary Kate Donlon, Esker & son Martin & grandson Liam
Sun 10am	Tom Murphy, Stonetown 1st anniversary

### Week-Day Masses:

Monday 7pm	Paddy Mooney
Tues 7pm	John & Peter Gannon
Wed. 9.30am	Thomas & Annie Smith
Thurs 9.30am	The people of the parish
Fri 7pm	Michael Higgins & d.f., Meelick

### Saturday 3rd - Sunday 4th

Sat 7pm	Sonny Kelly, Stoolpark & Eileen & Billy & d.f.
Sun 10am	The people of the parish

Please pray for  
Fr. Frank Brady, Gortnagier who  
has died in Dublin and  
Nellie Conneely, formerly of Shannagh,  
sister of the late Luke Conneely, who  
has died in New Jersey.  
Also, Margaret McDermott, Shannagh;  
Katie Brennan, Boyounagh;  
Katie Finnegan, Lisheen &  
Catherine Tully, Knickauns whose  
anniversaries occur at  
this time.

**“He who does not know one thing  
knows another” - Keynan proverb**

Next Meeting of the Residents &  
Traders Association on Thursday  
March 1st at 9pm in the GAA  
meeting rooms. All welcome.

Church Income last week-end: Envelopes: €790; Baskets: €386;  
Shrines, papers, ads.: €167

Glenamaddy Bingo:

On Wednesday night in the Community Centre at 8.30pm. €1,150 in  
prize money including €500 Jackpot on 48 calls or less.

Community Clubs' Lotto:

No Jackpot winner in last Wednesday's draw; numbers drawn were:6  
-11-25-27. Three Match 3s and share €100.

Next Wednesday's Lotto Jackpot will be €2200

Glenamaddy Drama Festival will take place in the Town  
Hall Theatre, Glenamaddy from the 15th-24th March

### Communion Calls

*Thursday 10am:* Ballymoe Road-Cloonacross,  
Creggs Road, Kilkerrin Road, Shannagh  
*Friday 10am:* Esker, Ballingrally, Woodfield

### Reminder

Continuous prayer for Marriage and Family Life on 2nd day of  
each month i.e. next Friday for March

*1st Saturday:* Our Lady of Fatima prayer service next  
Saturday at 11am

The Irish Pilgrimage Trust thank all who contributed  
to their recent church gate collection which  
came to €820-

### **“Relationships—how to survive and thrive” -**

Conference for parents/guardians and teenagers on  
Sat.24th March in Abbey Hotel, Roscommon  
9am-4.30pm. Adm. Free & complimentary lunch.  
*Booking:* Rosemary Murphy 091-548437

### Servers for March

*Saturday 7pm:* Catherine Quinn, Cathal  
Burke, Kelly Divilly, Gráinne Fahy, Rachel  
Raftery

*Sunday 10am:* Conor Ryan, Padraic Dillon,  
Michelle Tiernan, Edel Keaveney

*Confessions: Saturday 12-12.30pm*

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
every Monday  
7am-12 noon and 6pm-10pm

I had a fairly good relationship with the Lord. I would ask him for things, converse with him, thank him. But always I had this uncomfortable feeling **that he wanted me to look into his eyes....** And I would not. I would talk but look away when I sensed he was looking at me. I always looked away. And I knew why. I was afraid. I thought I should find a demand there. There would be something he wanted from me. One day I finally summoned up courage and looked! There was no accusation. There was **no demand. The eyes just said, 'I love you.'** I looked long into those eyes. I looked searchingly. Still, the only message was, **'I love you!'** And I walked out and, like Peter, I wept.

(A De Mello)

*There are 40 kinds of lunacy, but  
only one kind of common sense*  
African proverb

Glenamaddy & District Residents &  
Traders Association

Pull out costumes, polish that trailer and  
**put on your thinking caps .....**

Calling on all clubs, societies, schools,  
businesses and individuals to participate  
**in this year's St. Patrick's Day parade—**

Sat. March 17th at 12.30pm.

More details later.

Trip to Croatia

in early October for 10 nights including  
Medjugorje. Guided tour throughout—**€1180**

Everything inclusive. Top class hotel, etc.

For details ring: Julie Healy 087-9049388 or  
Bridie Jennings 087-6160426

Serenity Prayer

*God, grant me the serenity  
to accept the things*

*I cannot change;*

*The courage to change  
the things I can;*

*And the wisdom*

*to know the difference.*

**Meehans' Londis, Church St**

*Impulse Body Spray...Buy 1 get 1 free*

*Nivea Facial Wipes...Buy 1 get 1 free*

*Dove Body Cream...Buy 1 get 1 free*

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*Colgate Toothpaste pump...Buy 1  
get 1 free*

*Palmolive Shower gel...Buy 1  
get 1 free*

*Lux Shower gel...Buy 1 get 1 free*

***Wash & Go shampoo/Cond...***

*Buy 1 get 1 free*

*The mother came into her son's room and said,  
'Come on! Get up! It's Sunday and you'll be late  
for church'. 'I don't want to go to church!' 'Don't  
be silly. You've got to go to church'. 'No, I don't!  
I don't want to go to church! First, I don't like  
them and second, they don't like me!'  
'Nonsense! You have to go and I'll give you two  
good reasons. First, you're fifty-one years old  
and, second, you're the parish priest!'*

Lent

This Lent

I will fast my ears from talk that harms;

I will fast my voice from words that hurt.

This Lent

**I will fast my eyes from things I don't need;**

I will fast my mind from jealousy and hate.

This Lent

I will fast my hands from pushing and shoving

I will fast my feet from stamping and kicking

May I praise God and love others.

Amen.

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**Harte's Corner House**

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Sat.20th: Free-bird

Disco in Lounge

Fri. March 2nd: Country Music—

Tommy Kilcoyne

Sat.3rd: The 2 Max

