R.E.TUITION AVAILABLE for GCSE and 'A' Level students. Contact on 07734245329 or (028) 94 454356

<u>GH TYRES:</u> 40a Glenavy Road, Crumlin. Punctures repairs, Wheel Balancing, Wheel Alignment, Batteries, General service and repairs Tel:94423113. We have moved to the top of the yard.

St. Joseph's GAC LOTTO RESULTS: 22 Dec 2016. **8-23-26-27.** No winner. 3Nos Winner: None. Lucky Dips: Desmond McCann, S Torbitt and Christine c/o S D. Next week's Jackpot £2,450.

ST JOSEPH'S G.A.C. GLENAVY are holding their Annual Christmas Charity Quiz on Wednesday 28 December at 8.30pm in the Fiddlers Inn, Crumlin. Proceeds are in aid of Crohn's and Colitis UK (local NI Group). All welcome to support this good cause.

ST. JAMES GAC LOTTO RESULTS: 18 Dec 2016, **10-12-16-26**. No winner. £15: Mark McGarriety, £10: Colette Rafferty. Next week's Jackpot: £1,500.

ST PATRICK'S ACADEMY, LISBURN is celebrating 50 years this academic year. As part of the celebrations we are organising a Mass on Sunday 22nd January 2017 at 2pm in St Patrick's Church, Lisburn to mark the occasion. Afterwards the school will be open to pupils, staff and friends past and present to joins us for refreshments and a unique opportunity to stroll down memory lane. We are also collating as many photographs as possible of school life to mark this significant milestone. If you have any photographs which you would like to be included in a display to mark the 50th anniversary please forward them to the school office

GLENAVY AND KILLEAD BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP: A member of the Bethany Group may be contacted on the following phone number 07746032796.

<u>ST VINCENT DE PAUL</u> Emergency Helpline Crumlin/Aldergrove 02894423759. New members needed, for further details please contact the helpline number.

To book St Clare's Community Hall please PHONE: 075 1777 9334.

THE BIG 80's ADULT DISCO will be held on Tuesday 27th December from 9pm to 1am. No Bar - B.Y.O. 80's dress optional, Tickets £5.00 phone 078 1381 3844 / 078 6753 6110 or hall mobile.

<u>Calling all Traditional Musicians</u>, singers and storytellers to come along to a get together in St Clare's Hall on the last Sunday of each month from . Next session Sunday 29th January 201, 7-9pm. Entry £3 includes refreshments. Contact Tricia 07821905672

Bingo

in St Clare's Community Hall
Thursdays at 8.00pm sharp-9.30pm approx.

Jackpot £1,000 in 53 Numbers Lines £15 Houses £25 **Scoop** £25 Line House £50

Game 9 if Jackpot not won, House £50



THE NATIVITY OF OUR LORD 25 DECEMBER 2016

Very Rev Fr Colm McBride PP: St Joseph's Presbytery, 59 Chapel Road, Glenavy, 94459560 Rev Chris McGuinness, CC Mater Dei Presbytery, Glenavy Road, Crumlin, 94452941

Parish Office at St Joseph's Glenavy:

Monday - Friday 10am - 3pm. Office Closed1.00 - 2.00pm

Secretary: Máire Rafferty Tel: 028 94422278

Email:glenavy@downandconnor.org

THE NATIVITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST

Fr Colm and Fr Chris wish a very Happy, Holy and Peaceful Christmas to all.



26 December—01 January2017			Mass Intentions	
	St Joseph's	Mater Dei	St James	Feumore
Mon	9.30am Catherine Jean Lamb (1st)	No Mass		
Tue		9.30am Rosaleen McClean		
Wed		9.30am Annie & Jimmy McGuickian		
Thurs	9.30am Joseph Paul Murray			
Fri	9.30am		A CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF TH	TI WIN
Sat	10.00am	7.00 pm May & Patrick McKeown		
Sun	9.30am Holy Souls 12.00 noon Vinnie McAreavey	10.30am 12.30pm Thomas Boyle (Mass Intention)	9.00am Winnifred Dean	10.45am Betty McQuillan

Please note changes to Mass Times: There will be no evening Mass in Mater Dei on Monday 26 December.

REQUIESCANT IN PACE

RECENTLY DECEASED: Rosaleen McGarry, Mgr Colm McCaughan, Fr George McLaverty **Month's Mind**: Jim McGreevey

ANNIVERSARIES: Hugh Faloon, Pat McGrandles, Rosaleen McClean, Samuel Nelson, Michael Lavery, William & Elsie Magerr, Kathleen Sweeney, Annie Lavery, Rory & Madge Campbell, Seamus McGarry, Eileen Shepherd (30th), Catherine Jean Lamb, Annie & Jimmy McGuckian, , Margaret Sweeney, Kathleen Wilkinson, Seamus McCullagh, Sarah Carmichael, Joseph Paul Murray, Bernard McCorry, Joe Ayre.

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTIONS: A Sanctuary Lamp burns for a week in each of our four churches. If you would like to dedicate a lamp for a loved one or a special intention please contact the Parish Office. There is a suggested offering of £5. This week's dedications: **Sean McGarry & Special Intentions, McCleave Family, Murphy family, Patricia Armstrong.**

PARISH DRAW: The second £1,000 draw will take place on Thursday 29 December in St Joseph's Presbytery after 9.30am Mass. Tea & light refreshments will be provided. If you chose to pay your subscription in two £50 instalments the second must by paid before the 29th December to eligible for the Draw.

ADORATION

Feumore Mon 11.00am—12noon

Mater Dei Wed 10.00am—12noon and 6.00am—9.00pm

 St Joseph's
 Thurs
 7.00pm—10.00pm

 St James
 Mon
 5.00pm—8.00pm

If you are unable to attend please Sheila McLernon on 94 071858 (please note change in number)

100TH **ANNIVERSARY TO FATIMA**: Special Pilgrimage 22-29 June 2017. 7 days full board, en-suite, all inclusive. Spiritual Director Rev Fr John Hanna CSSR. For details contact Rita O'Neill 90623186

THE 5 FIRST SATURDAYS DEVOTIONS TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

Beginning on 13th May 1917, Our Lady appeared each month for 6 months to 3 young shepherds (Lucia, Jacinta and Fransisco) in Fatima, Portugal.

She told Lucia then that she would come back to tell her about spreading devotion to her Immaculate Heart and 1925, when Lucia was a nun in Pontevedra, Spain, Our Lady appeared to her again when she said, 'I promise to assist at the hour of death, with all the graces necessary for salvation, all those who, on the first Saturday of five consecutive month's, go to Confession, receive Holy Communion, recite 5 decades of the Rosary with the intention of making Reparation to me.'

Many of our parishioners are already aware of and practise the Five First Saturday Devotions. As the 100th anniversary of the first apparition of Fatima is to be celebrated in May 2017, we propose as a parish to complete the Five First Saturday's in St Joseph's, Glenavy, starting Saturday 7th January 2017 and ending on Saturday 6th May 2017.

If you wish to come to a public recitation of the Rosary on those days, it begins at 9.30am; Mass is at 10.00am followed by a half hour of Adoration during which Confessions are available and time for 15 minutes meditation on the Rosary.

One hours devotion each Saturday for five Saturdays with the eternal reward attached to it.....don't miss this opportunity!

PARISH OFFICE

Please note the Parish Office will be closed from Monday 26th December 2016 to Monday 2nd January 2017

£100

£50

COLLECTION: 18/12/2016
Weekly Offering: £2,811
Thank you for your generosity

NEW PARISH DRAW 34TH WEEK

Congratulations

Sammy McAreavey Glenavy
Charles O'Neill Crumlin