

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: Bookings are now open for the 2018 Pilgrimage. Seven nights (10-17 July) £725pps. Five nights (11-16 July) £650pps. Five nights for pilgrims requiring nursing/personal car staying in Accueil Notre Dame (11-16 July) £550. Youth Team 8-17 July) £590. Forms available from the Parish Office or contact the Lourdes Pilgrimage Office (028) 90646040 or email lourdes@downandconnor.org

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

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

ST JOSEPH'S GAC LOTTO RESULTS: Thurs 8 March 18. Jackpot £3000: Winning no: **3,4,11,19**. No winner: 3 No. Winners: Aidan Magennis, Oliver McStravick, Anne Irvine, RT Hope. Lucky Dips: Mark Burnett, Carla Cormican, Shree McCabe. Next week's Jackpot. £3,000. Second Jackpot £850.

SCÓR: Ulster Semi Finals—St Clare's Hall Sunday 11 March at 5pm

GH TYRES AND AUTO SERVICES: 40a Glenavy Road, Crumlin. Punctures repairs, Wheel Balancing, Wheel Alignment, Batteries, General Service and repairs Tel:94423113.

CRUMLIN FLOWER CLUB are holding their annual Open Demonstration in Crumlin Integrated College, Wed. 14th March, at 7:30 p.m. Come and enjoy an evening of flowers and entertainment with renowned demonstrator James Burnside. Tickets, £10, are available at the door, and proceeds are in aid of Marie Cure Nursing.

BALLYMACRICKETT P.S. COOKBOOK is now on sale in the School Office.

BLOOD DONATIONS: St Clare's Hall Wednesday 14 March 2-4p and 5.15—8pm.

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

FUNERAL HOSPITALITY: Please note St Clare's Hall has it's own team who cater for After Funeral Receptions. They provide a friendly and caring service. To book the hall please phone 0751 777 9334.

COFFEE MORNING every Friday 10.00am—11.00am

ST CLARE'S BOWLING CLUB meets on Mondays & Wednesdays 8-10pm. Come join and enjoy.

BOOK CLUB every third Tuesday of the month at 7.30pm

GLENCLARE FRIENDSHIP GROUP every Wednesday at 11.00am

PILATES Tuesday 7.30pm and 8.30pm 0773811281

BIG AND SMALL COMPANY FOR ALL (PARENTS & TODDLER TROUP) Friday's 10.00am—12noon.

EASTER PARISH WHIST: Friday 23 March at 8pm.

ST PATRICK'S NIGHT IN ST CLARE'S HALL: A traditional evening of live music, singing and story telling by our in house trad musicians. Come and join in or sit back and relax with a bowl of stew and a glass of Guinness. Cost £7. Begins 7.30pm. Pre booking is essential to the organizing of this event. Please contact Margaret on 07517779334

Bingo

in St Clare's Community Hall

Thursdays at 8.00pm sharp-9.30pm approx.

Jackpot £1,000 in 45 Numbers

Line£15 House £25

Scoop £25 Line House £50

Game 9 if Jackpot not won, House £50



FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT 11 MARCH 2018

Very Rev Fr Colm McBride PP: St Joseph's Presbytery, 59 Chapel Road, Glenavy, BT29 4LA 94459560

Mater Dei Presbytery, Glenavy Road, Crumlin, 94452941

Priest in Residence: Rev John Burns
Parish Office at St Joseph's Glenavy:

Monday - Friday 10am - 3pm.

Office Closed 1.00 - 2.00pm

Secretary: Máire Rafferty Tel: 028 94422278

Email: glenavy@downandconnor.org

Parish Website: glenavyandkilleadparish.com

 www.facebook.com/glenavyandkilleadparish

The Pilgrim Life:

Discipleship in Ordinary Time

(Gospel of Mark)

In each of us dwells a pilgrim. It is the part of us that longs to have direct contact with the Sacred, the Holy



Glenavy and Killead Parish
invite you to pause on your journey and
spend a day with Pamela Thimmes OSC
sharing her experience and spirituality on
Mark's Gospel

in St Joseph's Primary School Hall

On Saturday 24th March 2018

From 10 am to 4 pm.

Lunch and light refreshments will be provided.

A donation will be gratefully accepted.

Reserve a place by Wednesday 21st March
through the Parish Office

T: 028 94422278;

E: glenavy@downandconnor.org

13 March 19 March Mass Intentions				
	St Joseph's	Mater Dei	St James	Feumore
Mon	9.30am Robert Barton	7.00pm Roseleen Hughes		
Tue		9.30am Catherine & James McGarry		
Wed		9.30am		
Thurs	9.30am Kathleen Mooney			
Fri	9.30am Margaret Phillips	7.00pm vigil St Patrick's Day Bridget McConnon		
Sat ST PATRICK'S DAY	10.00am Willie Morgan	10.00am 6.00 pm John & Molly Brankin		
Sun	9.30am Isaac, Ambrose & Ethel Mulholland 12.00 noon	10.30am John Gallagher 12.00pm Jim Slowey	9.00am	10.45am Jim & Seamus Doherty

REQUIESCANT IN PACE

RECENTLY DECEASED: Roy Connolly

ANNIVERSARIES: Molly McMaster (1st), Mary Brazier, Brendan Cormican, Margaret & Eddie Flood, Josephine Mulholland, Martin McKee, Elizabeth McCullough, Robert Barton, Tommy McGann, Mary Hughes, Jim Doherty, George Brown, Tommy Faloon, Rose Ann Moore, Brendan Hamill, Pat McAlemon, Eamon Douglas, Roseleen Hughes, Catherine & James McGarry, Kathleen Mooney, Margaret Phillips, Sarah Bernadette Bradley, Mary Verhoeven Bradley, Alphonsus O'Brien, Matt Heatley, Betty Mooney



SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Following the changes to the Priest personnel within the parish, the Sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated in future on the first and last Sundays of each month at 1.00pm in St Joseph's Church. Families are asked to be seated by 12.50pm. The preparation for Baptism takes place on the last Thursday of each month in the Annex of St Joseph's commencing at 7.30pm. Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements.

THE GLENNAVY BRANCH OF APOSTOLIC WORK will meet on Tuesday 13 March at 7.30pm

MATT TALBOT: Bus to Dublin Mass in honour of Matt Talbot, Saturday 7 April. Stop for breakfast, free shopping time in Dublin. Price £25. If interested phone Mary 94423956, mob: 07599606999. Bus will leave from Glenavy and Crumlin.

COLLECTION: 04/03/2018
Weekly Offering: £3,010
Monthly Stipend: £2,220

Thank you for your generosity

PARISH DRAW WEEK 45

WINNER £100 Margaret McGarrell Feumore
Winner £50: Sharon Heatley Glenavy

Congratulations to the winners and thank you to all our members for your continued support

FEUMORE

I am pleased to let you know that with the co-operation of Fr Burns and Fr Grant we are able now to resume the celebration of the Sunday Eucharist at 10.45am in Feumore Mass Centre beginning next Sunday 18 March.

I acknowledge the disappointment of the congregation during this period of suspension and also your co-operation.

On the occasions of when only two priests are available at weekends such as during holidays or sickness then the celebration would be temporarily suspended. However it is expected/hoped that on such occasions notice will be given in the parish Bulletin or through the Parish Facebook page.

Fr Colm Mc Bride P.P

ROSARY IN FEUMORE: The Rosary will be said each Sunday evening at 7pm in Feumore Mass Centre commencing Sunday 18 February.

Adoration continues in Feumore from 11.00am to 12noon weekly each Monday. First Class relic of St Faustina every Sunday night at the rosary

THE PILGRIM LIFE—DISCIPLESHIP IN ORDINARY TIME

Glenavy and Killead Parish invite you to pause on your journey and spend a day with Pamela Thimmies OSC sharing her experience and spirituality on Mark's Gospel in St Joseph's Primary School Hall On Saturday 24th March 2018 From 10 am to 4 pm. Lunch and light refreshments will be provided. A donation will be gratefully accepted. Reserve a place by Wednesday 21st March through the Parish Office T: 028 94422278; E: glenavy@downandconnor.org

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTIONS: A Sanctuary Lamp burns for a week in each of our three 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:

Bridget McConnon, to Protect Life & Marriage, Special Intention, Special Intention (MB)

PARISH PRAYER FRIENDS It is our desire to join with you in prayer and to present your needs to our loving God. We want you to know you are not alone. We are praying with you and for you. No request is too insignificant or too big for God to handle. Nothing is impossible for God. Send your prayer request to the Parish Prayer Friends by text to 07753664162 or email gle-navy@downandconnor.org.

PARISH PRAYER FRIENDS Please pray for the young people in our diocese who have made or are making their confirmation

God, You send out Your Spirit to touch the hearts of all people, so that they may believe in You and in Jesus whom You sent. Look kindly on all our young people for Confirmation as they listen to Your voice. Open their hearts to Your Spirit and bring to fulfillment the good work that You have begun in them. Deepen our faith in the Gospel and help us to pass it on by our example. We pray that You will continue to guide us and sustain us through Christ our Lord, Amen.

THE BENEDICTINE MONKS, ROSTREVOR, invite men (18-40) to an Easter Triduum retreat from Holy Thursday 29 March until Easter Sunday 1 April 2018. 'prefer nothing to Christ, because he preferred nothing to you' (St Cyprian). Take time to reflect. Examine your life and consider your call. If interested, please contact: Br Thierry—benedictinemonks@btinternet.co, 02841739979. Facebook: Benedictine Monks Rostrevor—Twitter: @rostrevormonks

RACHELS VINEYARD RETREATS are a beautiful healing opportunity for anyone struggling with the emotional or spiritual pain of an abortion. The retreat weekend is a very specific process designed to help you experience the love, mercy, compassion and forgiveness of God. It allows you to surface and release repressed feelings of anger, shame, guilt and grief. It enables suffering souls to find a voice and transform the pain of the past into love and hope. Each weekend is held in a confidential setting. Our next weekend will be held in June. To find out more information contact Marian on 07814 748 744 or e mail marianrvni@yahoo.co.uk or call Sheila on 0790 286 9646. You can also look up www.rachelsvineyardni.org. All queries are treated in strictest confidence.

OVERSEAS VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED! Volunteer IT/HR Admins, Montessori/Primary/Secondary Teachers, Physios, Accountants, Social Workers...all required for funded placements on Missions in Africa, SE Asia and the Caribbean. No previous overseas exp required, no upper age limit! Contact Viatores Christi +353-1-8689986 or email apply@viatoreschristi.com for more info.

THE PARISH OF DRUMBO & CARRYDUFF - PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND (Tuesday 22 - Wednesday 30 May 2018). Drumbo Parish invite you to join their Pilgrimage to the Holy Land – *In The Footsteps of Christ & the Holy Family*. Package price - £1,440 per person sharing. This includes return coach transfers from Carryduff to Dublin Airport, return flights with British Airways, generous luggage allowance, 4* Hotels on a half board basis (3 nights Tiberias / 4 nights Jerusalem) & all excursions. If you are interested to receive further information please contact the Parish Office on 028 90812238 opt 2 or Anam Cara Travel - 02825 821 690. This pilgrimage is organised and coordinated by Anam Cara Travel (Co Antrim). LIMITED PLACES REMAINING!

ADOPTION: Family Care Adoption Services is presently seeking to recruit adoptive families for babies and young children. For free information pack please contact us at: **Telephone:** 028 71 368592 or 028 90 691133. Monday to Friday 9 – 5 p.m. **Email:** anne.ohagan@familycaresociety.org **Website:** www.familycaresociety.co.uk
Thank You

ACTION ON HEARING LOSS: Have you been considering volunteering? Waiting for the right role or a personal connection to a volunteering vacancy? This is for you..... Do you or someone you know have a hearing loss and or tinnitus? Currently there are 300,000 people in Northern Ireland with a hearing loss, 1 in 6 people and this number is estimated to increase to 1 in 5 by 2024. Action on Hearing Loss aims to offer local support to everyone with hearing loss throughout Northern Ireland, we are reaching out to local people interested in a volunteering role, supporting their local community.
Can you spare 2 hours per month? If you can, we would love to hear from you.
2 hours per month could support an isolated older person with a much needed befriender, your local community with a hearing aid support session, your local hospital with an information stand or raise vital funds through a fundraising event.
There are roles to suit everyone, full training will be provided and expenses will be paid.
Should you require further information on Action on Hearing Loss support in your area or to receive a volunteer application pack please contact Laura Murphy or Norma Kelly on telephone: 02890 239619, e-mail: volunteering.ireland@hearingloss.org.uk or visit the website at <http://bit.ly/2snvblF>