

**CAMLIN CREDIT UNION** provides a local community service. We need local volunteers to assist with a variety of committees to help maintain the functions of the union. To find out more information please phone 02894452759 or email: [info@camlincreditunion.co.uk](mailto:info@camlincreditunion.co.uk)

**THE GLENNAVY BRANCH OF APOSTOLIC WORK** are having their Annual 1 day Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine on Sunday 2nd September. Cost £25. bus leaves Chapel Hill at 7.30am returning at 9pm approx. To book call 028 94422852 or 028 92651265

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

**ST JOSEPH'S GAC GLENNAVY 75TH ANNIVERSARY GALA BALL** 6th Oct Europa Hotel Belfast. Tickets £60. Contact Dermot on 07736054281 or [glenavy@hotmail.com](mailto:glenavy@hotmail.com)

**ST JOSEPH'S GAC LOTTO RESULTS:** Thurs 16 Aug Jackpot £3000: Winning Nos: **9-23-26-27**. No Jackpot Winner: 3 No. Winners: Denise O'Boyle, Joanne Brazier Lucky Dips: Fergal Clenaghan, Patricia McCorry, Jim Mulholland. Next week's Jackpot. £3,000, Second Jackpot £2,000. Thanks again for your support

**OPTICARE OPTICIANS CRUMLIN:** Eye Tests, OCT Scanning, Home Eye Tests, Dry Eye Clinic, Glasses, Contact Lenses, Safety Glasses, Sunglasses, Sports Goggles. 02894423000 [www.opticare.co.uk](http://www.opticare.co.uk)

**ANNUAL CHARITY QUIZ:** Tuesday 28th August in The Fiddlers at 8.30pm. All welcome

**CLEANER REQUIRED:** 4 hours per week, Glenavy area. For details phone 07752069807

**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

**BOWLING CLUB** will meet on Mon 10th September at 8pm. We welcome you to join us. Contact Joe 94422798 or Sinnead 94453972

**BOOK CLUB** every third Tuesday of the month at 7.30pm

**PILATES** Tuesday 7.30pm and 8.30pm 07738111281

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

**MODERN JIVE** Classes will resume again on Wednesday 1st August

**WHIST:** Last Friday of the Month

**GLENCARE FRIENDSHIP GROUP:** Restarts 12 September at 10.30am. AGM and light lunch. All welcome.

## Bingo

in St Clare's Community Hall

Thursdays at 8.00pm sharp-9.30pm approx.

Jackpot £1,000 in 49 Numbers

Line £15 House £25

Scoop £25 Line House £50

Game 9 if Jackpot not won, House £50



**TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
19TH AUGUST 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](mailto:glenavy@downandconnor.org)

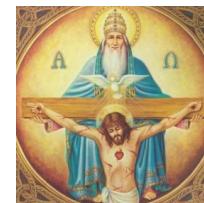
Parish Website: [glenavyandkilleadparish.com](http://glenavyandkilleadparish.com)


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We begin here, where we left off last week, with further misunderstanding of Jesus by the crowds. Clearly Jesus is not speaking of cannibalism and so he takes the image further by talking of his flesh and blood. Partaking in his flesh and blood means believing in him and in his life-giving death. Through their faith they are in communion with him and that communion is expressed through the Eucharist. The believer comes to live in him and draws life from him just as Jesus himself drew life from the Father. Everything here must be viewed from the perspective of Jesus' death on the cross. Through the Eucharist we come to live by the same self sacrificing love that brought Jesus to Calvary. It is striking that in John's account of the last supper there is no reference to Eucharist but rather a depiction of Jesus washing the disciples' feet. John shows us the Eucharist in action and this is a reminder that the union with Jesus offered through Holy Communion cannot be thought of in some purely personal, devotional way. Jesus gives himself to us so that we can give ourselves to others.

### Reflection

Even though the first reading today may be two and an half thousand years old, the call to seek wisdom and reject foolishness has a very contemporary ring to it. Human nature does not change but we are slow to learn from experience. Today, life itself on this wonderful planet is threatened by our folly and a refusal to recognise that our actions have consequences. Instead of feasting ourselves at the sustainable banquet at Wisdom's house, we prefer to go blindly on gorging ourselves and ignoring the fact that God has called us to a responsible stewardship of his creation. Our celebration of the Eucharist should be a weekly reminder to us that we are all called to a life-giving relationship with God, with one another and with the planet we share.



20 Aug—26 August		Mass Intentions		
	St Joseph's	Mater Dei	St James	Feumore
Mon	9.30am	7.00pm Sean Doherty		
Tue		9.30am John & Lily O'Dowd		
Wed		9.30am Martin Reilly		
Thurs	9.30am			
Fri	9.30am John Patrick Gallagher			
Sat	10.00am	6.00pm vigil Francis O'Brien		
Sun	9.30am George & Mary Alice Grant 12.00 noon John & Maureen Mulholland	10.30am Ciaran O'Neill (Month's Mind) 12.00pm Michael McClean	9.00am Annie McGarry	10.45am No Mass

### REQUIESCANT IN PACE

**MONTH'S MIND:** Henry McStravick

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Tiernan Kane-Cavanagh (1st), William McGarrell, Josephine & Dan McCambridge, Annie McGarry, Peter & Bridie Keenan, Aodh Cormican, Jim Brazier, Kathleen Henry, Sean Doherty, Lily & John O'Dowd, Martin Reilly, John Patrick Gallagher, William Cardwell, William Hendron, Anne Hendron, Elizabeth Hendron, Nora Brennan, Jack McCarthy, Colette Moore, Robert (Bob) McAlister, Eileen & Mick McAlister, Seamus McAlister, Mary McComb,



**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:

**Special Intention (M & Family), Special Intention William, Hendron, Anne Hendron & Elizabeth Hendron.**

**THE ROSARY** is prayed in Feumore Mass Centre each Sunday at 7pm. All welcome

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL** Emergency Helpline Crumlin/Aldergrove 07754427088.

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

**BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP:** The Parish Bethany Bereavement Support Group is seeking to recruit volunteers. This is a listening support service for those who are grieving the loss of a loved one and involves visiting the bereaved in their own home. We are looking for people who possess the following qualities:

**The ability to listen attentively**

**A compassionate presence**

**An understanding and non-judgmental attitude**

**Volunteers must be over 18 years old and have experienced loss.**

A 10-week Training Programme beginning 27th September 2018 is provided for all those volunteering for this ministry.

If you are interested in learning more about Bereavement Ministry, please phone a member of the Bethany Team on 07746032796, or leave your name and contact details with Máire Rafferty in the Parish Office 028 94422278 before Friday 25<sup>th</sup> August 2018.

**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 by text to 07753664162 or email [glenavy@downandconnor.org](mailto:glenavy@downandconnor.org).

**PARISH PRAYER FRIENDS:** Please pray for people who are suffering from alcohol and drug addictions: Bearer of the Cross, your struggle with the mystery of suffering assures me that I will find strength to carry my own cross, if I lean on the Eternal Love as you did. Lead me through the valley of darkness with your abiding compassion. Rupp, Joyce

To become a Parish Prayer Friend and pray for the needs of parishioners text your name and mobile number to 07753664162

### PAPAL VISIT—TRAIN INFORMATION

Passengers travelling to Dublin on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> August are strongly advised to book in advance, as we expect many services to be fully booked. We cannot guarantee that there will be availability to purchase tickets on the day of travel.

Tickets for travel on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> (including Special Return Train from Dublin at 2320 after Croke Park) can be pre-purchased online at <http://www.translink.co.uk/popeinireland/>

Tickets for Special Trains from Belfast Central, Lisburn, Lurgan, Portadown and Newry on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> can be pre-booked at <http://www.translink.co.uk/popeinireland/>

In addition, the 0900 Belfast to Dublin and 2110 Dublin to Belfast Enterprise Services on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> can be pre-purchased (including Smartpass holders) from ticket offices in Belfast Central, Lisburn, Lurgan, Portadown and Newry – There is no online booking available for either of these services.

**COLLECTIONS: 12/AUGUST/18**  
**Weekly Offering: £2,512**

**Thank you for your generosity**

### 2018 PARISH DRAW WEEK 16

**WINNER:** £100: Jack & Hollie Magee, Glenavy

**WINNER:** £50 : Gordon & Mary McGarry, Crumlin

### ADORATION

Feumore	Mon	11.00am—12noon	St James	Mon	5.00pm—8.00pm
Mater Dei	Wed	10.00am—12noon and 6.00pm—9.00pm			
St Joseph's	Thurs	7.00pm—10.00pm			

If you are unable to attend please contact Sheila McLemon on 94 071858

**VOICE OF HOPE CONCERT:** Join us at Saint Peter's Cathedral as All Lives Are Precious and their cross community celebration of Love Life and Happiness visits Saint Peter's on Friday, 14th September 2018 @ 7:30pm, as we for the first time, invite our communities to mark World Suicide Prevention Day with us.

Headlining this event will be the spectacular Peter Corry and very special guests The Priests. In addition we are pleased to announce that present also on the night will be the Saint Peter's Schola Cantorum, Saint Peter's Community Choir, Down and Connor Folk Choir and an ensemble choir of children and young people from local primary schools and youth clubs.

Tickets are priced at £10 and are available from Saint Peter's Cathedral Office, Immaculata Youth Club and online via <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/voice-of-hope-belfast-tickets-46646393619>

Proceeds of this event will provide support and services to young people from all sections of the community in North and West Belfast on Mental Health Awareness, Suicide Prevention and Wellbeing. We look forward to welcoming you to this wonderful event - For further details contact Ronan on [info@alpsni.org](mailto:info@alpsni.org) or 07801481013.

**ICON PAINTING WORKSHOP OCTOBER 8-13 2018 KNOCK,** Co Mayo, Ireland Alexian Brothers Monastery [www.theodoreicons.com/knock](http://www.theodoreicons.com/knock)

**CHRISTMAS PILGRIMAGE GROUP TO THE HOLY LAND EX DUBLIN 19<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2018**

Taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem (Mount of Olives, Garden of Gethsemane, Last Supper Room and Calvary), Mount Tabor, Cana, Nazareth, Jericho, River Jordan, Dead Sea and Sea of Galilee. Contact James Treacy 035361921470 or 00353860572216 payments can be made in instalments and it's perfectly safe to go otherwise you will get your money back.

**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 [marianvni@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:marianvni@yahoo.co.uk) or call Sheila on 0790 286 9646. You can also look up [www.rachelsvineyardni.org](http://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](mailto:apply@viatoreschristi.com) for more info.

**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](mailto:anne.ohagan@familycaresociety.org) **Website:** [www.familycaresociety.co.uk](http://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](mailto:volunteering.ireland@hearingloss.org.uk) or visit the website at <http://bit.ly/2snvblf>