

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

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

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

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

RUN ANON COUCH TO 5K PROGRAMME starting Thurs 6 Sept at 7pm. Every Monday & Thursday 7-8pm at Crumlin High School track. Club also welcomes established runners to join our Improvers group. £25 every 4 weeks or £65 for 12 weeks. Fully qualified coaches. Contact Aidan 07954142045

MATHS TUTOR available locally from Transfer test up to A-Level. Contact 07521656029

CARER REQUIRED 15 hrs per week for elderly couple in Crumlin area. 2pm—5pm Monday to Fri. for details contact 07724923749

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 Sinnéad 94453972

BOOK CLUB every third Tuesday of the month at 7.30pm

PILATES Tuesday 7.30pm and 8.30pm 0773811281

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 **50** Numbers

Line£15 House £25

Scoop £25 Line House £50

Game 9 if Jackpot not won, House £50



TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
9TH SEPTEMBER 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

Gospel

This week stories of conflict are left behind as we are treated to further evidence of what Jesus' ministry of proclaiming the kingdom of God is all about. The story begins with a rather flawed geography lesson. The sequence mentioned by Mark makes no sense but it may be that he is making a theological point because the places he mentions are the gentile surroundings of Galilee where the kingdom has been first proclaimed. The man brought to Jesus cannot hear or speak and is therefore cut off from the good news, but through Jesus' healing touch he is restored and the response to this action is one of unrestrained praise and wonder. The people realise that in Jesus all that the prophets had spoken of so long ago is being fulfilled and Mark is also making the point that this ministry embraces Jew and Gentile alike.


Reflection

By the time of Jesus many religious traditions were in place which served to differentiate between those who were on the inside and those who were outsiders. This led to divisions, inequality and oppression — the very things that the covenant was supposed to eradicate. So when Jesus reached out to the poor, to sinners and those on the margins he was bringing into focus once again the kind of world God wanted. His was a love that included everyone and which could not be bought. In commanding that the ears of the deaf man be opened there is a message to us all, especially those who think that their hearing is perfect. Our ability to really hear the good news can be limited by many things, especially closed minds and hearts. Perhaps as individuals and as a community our prayer during this Sunday Eucharist might be that we would be opened to all the transformation that God wants to work in us.



Parish Office

Please note that that the Parish Office will be open between 2-4pm **only** from Monday 10th –Fri 14 September

10 Sept—16 Sept		Mass Intentions		
	St Joseph's	Mater Dei	St James	Feumore
Mon	9.30am Special Intention	7.00pm		
Tue		9.30am		
Wed		9.30am Special Intention		
Thurs	9.30am			
Fri	9.30am			
Sat	10.00am	6.00pm vigil Padraig McBride & Mary McAllister		
Sun	9.30am 12.00 noon	10.30am Michael Hughes 12.00pm	9.00am William Marley	10.45am Gerard Doherty

REQUIESCENT IN PACE

ANNIVERSARIES: Joseph McGarry (1st), Sheila Hall, Edward McMaster, Brigid Trowlen, Danielle & Maureen Nugent, William John Lavery.

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:

Patricia Armstrong, Special Intention Angelina, Special Intentions (S&E)

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

LEGION OF MARY meets on Tuesdays at 8pm in the portacabin behind Mater Dei Church, Crumlin. New members very welcome

GLENNAVY APOSTOLIC WORKERS invite you to their Annual Afternoon Tea in St Clare's Hall on Sunday 30th September at 3pm (sharp) to 5pm. Entertainment Ballot and Tombola. Tickets £5 available from any member or ring 02894422852 or 02592651265

MASS ON THE INTERNET: For daily Mass at different times in churches across the U.K., Ireland and America type into the search bar (whats on now church services)

COLLECTIONS: 2ND SEPTEMBER 2018

Weekly Offering: £2,856

Monthly Offering: £2,125

Thank you for your generosity

2018 PARISH DRAW WEEK 19

WINNER: £100: Clive Duffield, Crumlin

WINNER : £50 : Patricia Mulholland, Glenavy



PARISH FAMILY TREASURE HUNT

Sunday 9th September. Cars leaving St Clare's Hall this evening between 4.30 & 5.30pm. Supper included. £10 per car
Clues for adults and children



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.

PARISH PRAYER FRIENDS: Prayer is at the heart of our relationship with God. It is the foundation of our faith. As a parish we are stronger when we are praying for the needs of each other. Send your prayer request by text to 07753664162 or email glenavy@downandconnor.org.

PARISH PRAYER FRIENDS: Please pray for educators especially the school teachers in our parish that the Holy Spirit will guide and strengthen them in developing the faith and prayer life of our children and young people.

Father, Thank you for all those men and women who have given their talents to educating our young people. Through the challenges they encounter each day, lead them to an ever deeper appreciation of the sacred duty to which you have called them. We give thanks for the invaluable work of all those who contribute to the efficient running of our schools; support staff, kitchen staff, maintenance staff, governors and chaplains. We thank them for their hard work and dedication and we pray that they may continue to work in support of our schools. Thank you for all those who lead our schools. May they be people of integrity so that they can be witnesses as well as teachers. We pray that the schools they lead will become places where our young people can experience your love in their lives.

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

NEW PARISH ALTAR SERVER CLUB: Would your son or daughter like to join the Glenavy and Killead altar Server Club? Formal training will be provided within the pastoral Community of Glenavy, Lisburn and Aghagallon. Fun activities throughout the year. This is a great opportunity for your child to be involved in this ministry. This ministry is open to any child who has completed year 4 upwards. Please leave contact details with the Parish Office. Training will commence in Mid September.

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 or 07801481013.

ICON PAINTING WORKSHOP OCTOBER 8TH-13TH 2018 KNOCK, Co Mayo, Ireland Alexian Brothers Monastery www.theodoreicons.com/knock

MIND AND MUSIC: Orchestra & Choir, raising Mental Health Awareness. New members welcome. **Orchestra Workshops;** 1st & 2nd September, Saturday 1st September; 10am – 4pm, Sunday 2nd September; 1- 6.30pm, **Choir Workshop:** Sunday 2nd September; 4 - 6.30pm, **Concert** - Sunday 7th October. Information on Facebook 'MindandMusic2018'

CHRISTMAS PILGRIMAGE GROUP TO THE HOLY LAND EX DUBLIN 19th – 27th 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 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 NEXT MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND will be held in Dromantine Conference Centre, Newry on 5th -7th October 2018. For more information and / or booking visit www.marriageencounter.ie or call [028 7135 9612](tel:02871359612) or [\(087\) 784 0408](tel:0877840408)

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>

OVERSEAS VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED!: Volunteer Carpenters, Builders, Media Specialists, Early Childhood Practitioners, Occupational Therapists, Primary/Secondary Teachers, Accountants, Social Workers, Farmers...required for placements on Missions in Africa, SE Asia and the Caribbean. No previous overseas exp required, no upper age limit! Volunteer training programme begins 22nd September in Dublin - open to all! Contact Viatores Christi +353-1-8689986 or email apply@viatoreschristi.com for more info.

PATHWAYS: - Adult Faith Development Programme at Drumalis Enrol now for 2018-2020 intake. Pathways is a broad-based adult faith development course which explores spirituality, theology and prayer. Now in its thirteenth year, Pathways is geared towards those who want to reflect about life, faith and relationships with God and others. The course takes place in the beautiful surroundings of Drumalis in Larne. No academic qualifications are necessary and there is no coursework attached. This two-year programme supported by the Diocese of Down and Connor runs from October to June each year and will be held on nine Saturdays from 10:00 am - 4:30 pm. For further information and booking form, please contact Drumalis – 028 2827 2196/2827 6455 (during office hours, Mon-Fri, 9 am – 5 pm), email maura@drumalis.co.uk or see the Drumalis website: <http://www.drumalis.co.uk>