

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

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

**ST JOSEPH'S GAC: Lotto results for 21st March 2019** Winning nos. **9-11-23-27**. Jackpot £4,500. No Winners. **3 No:** Kieran O'Neill **Lucky Dips;** Sean Power, N Patton, S Boyle. **Next Week's Jackpot** £4,4550. Second Jackpot £2,300. Visit the club's new website:

**www.glenavygac.com Club 100 March Draw:**

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

**HELP SAVE A LIFE:** We are trying to fund raise to provide four defibrillators located at, St Joseph's, St James, Mater Dei and Feumore. Following Cardiac Arrest survival chances are significantly increased if a defibrillator is available. If you would like to donate or help please contact Joanne White 028 94453485

**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.

**A BEGINNERS BEAD WEAVING CLASS** lead by Eilish Deshpande and Donna Course from NI Beaders' Guild will be held in St. Clare's Hall on Tuesday 9th and Tuesday 16th April at 7.30pm. Cost including the 2 classes and the kit for a peyote bracelet will be £25 (it will take 2 classes to complete bracelet). To book a place, please contact Margaret on 07517779334. Places must be booked and paid for in advance. Please book early as spaces are limited.

**FIRE SAFETY TALK** for all Hall users on Monday 1st April at 7.00pm

**COFFEE MORNING** every Friday 10.00am—11.00am

**ST CLARE'S BOWLING CLUB** meets at 8pm each Monday & Wednesday.

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

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

**ST CLARE'S PARENTS & TODDLER GROUP** Friday's 10.00am—12noon.help wanted, making snacks/washing dishes/tidying kitchen/story telling/sing songs. Can you spare 1-2 hours on a Friday morning? Contact Margaret on 07517779334 or Charlotte 07771786321

**MODERN JIVE** Wednesdays

**WHIST:** Last Friday of the Month.

**TRADITIONAL MUSIC SESSION** last Sunday of every month @ 7 pm

**YOGA:** Suitable for beginners and all levels starts Friday 18th January, 7-8pm. Please bring your own mat. £5 per session. If interested please contact Eimear on 07907925732

## Bingo

in St Clare's Community Hall

Thursdays at 8.00pm sharp-9.30pm approx.

Jackpot £1,000 in **53** Numbers

Line£15 House £25

**Scoop** £25 Line House £50

Game 9 if Jackpot not won, House £50



**THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT  
24 MARCH 2019**

**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)  
 [www.facebook.com/glenavyandkilleadparish](http://www.facebook.com/glenavyandkilleadparish)


### GOSPEL

The scene presented here is one in which Jesus challenges the traditional view that if something bad happens to you then it must be some form of punishment from God. Jesus rejects this idea and instead tells his listeners that any experience of hardship should be a reminder to us of the need to repent. This idea is then put beside the image of God as the gardener who wants to give his plants all the help they need to mature and bear fruit. This gospel also gets to the heart of what Lent is all about. True repentance is not about being obsessed with sin – it is about recognising where God is at work in our lives and responding to him.

### REFLECTION

What's in a name? When God refused to give Moses an answer to his question, he was breaking the mould for how human beings relate to God. S/He cannot be made in our image or likeness; rather we must learn to be like God, Moses was living the quiet life of the shepherd when he was called to lead a whole people to freedom, and in the unfolding story he came to know God in a way that he could never have imagined. So too with Paul, who thought he knew God until his experience of the risen Christ changed his life. Their experience did not make them arrogant or proud; rather it taught them that in all the circumstances of their lives God's grace would be sufficient for them.

*Sean Goan  
Let the reader understand*

25 March—31 March		Mass Intentions		
	St Joseph's	Mater Dei	St James	Feumore
Mon	9.30am Mrs J O'Connor	7.00pm Patrick McMenamin		
Tue		9.30am Trevor Winters (1st)		
Wed	7.00pm Elizabeth Sloan (Month's Mind)	9.30am Catherine McGarry		
Thurs	9.30am Owen & Kathleen Kavanagh			
Fri	9.30am			
Sat	10.00am	6.00pm vigil Katherine O'Kane		
Sun	9.30am Jimmy & Elizabeth Heatley 12.00 noon Christopher McCloskey 6.00pm Lenten Devotions	10.30am John Kelly 12.00pm Isaac Mulholland (1st)	9.00am Patrick Gibbons	10.45am

**ADDITIONAL LITURGIES FOR LENT:**

**Sunday St Joseph's 6.00pm Lenten Devotions**

**Wednesday, St Joseph's 7.00pm Mass**

**REQUIESCANT IN PACE**



**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Danny Corrigan (Antrim)

**MONTH'S MIND:** Sean Devlin & Elizabeth Sloan

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Margaret Walsh (1st), Trevor Winters, (1st) Jimmy Magee, Margaret McMahon, Charles McAllister, Hugh & Kathleen Kelly, James Doone (Snr), John Doone, Joseph Doone, John Heatley, Joseph Heatley, Patricia Devereux, Margaret McGarry, Elizabeth Jane Skelton, Dolores Armstrong, Owen Kavanagh, Kathleen Kavanagh, Gerald Brazier, Andrew Murphy, John Murphy, James Nelson, William Walsh, Sandy & Nattie Walsh, Mrs J O'Connor, Patrick McMenamin, Catherine McGarry,

**THE GLENNAVY BRANCH OF APOSTOLIC** work will meet on Tuesday 26 March at 7.30pm

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL**

Our Parish Pastoral Council was commissioned by Bishop Noel Treanor in June 2016 and is therefore approaching the end of its first 3-year term. Members of the council can serve for a maximum of two 3-year terms so the time has come to refresh the membership of the council.

The role of the council is to identify the pastoral needs of our parish, to coordinate initiatives to address them and to encourage more parishioners to become involved in the life of the parish.

If you are interested in finding out more about the work of the Council or becoming involved, please come along to a meeting in the Annex of St Joseph's Church on Wednesday 27 March at 7.30pm.

**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 (Pat), Special Intention (EH), Patrick Ferrin, Cameron Ferrin**

**TRAINING FOR NEW EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** We urgently need Eucharistic Ministers for our parish. Now is your opportunity to respond to your baptismal call to serve others. We are holding a two evening training session for new Eucharistic Ministers on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March and Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April from 7.30 to 8.30 In Mater Dei Parochial House. To book your place call or email the parish office glenavy@downandconnor.org

**ROSARY FEUMORE:** Holy Hour with rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed in Feumore Mass Centre each Sunday at 7pm. Rosary in Mater Dei Crumlin at 6.30 on Monday. All welcome

**DIVINE CHAPLET** is prayed in Mater Dei Wed 6.00pm during Lent.

**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

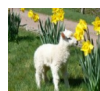
**DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE OF LOURDES 2019:** Full board in hotel: 7 nights (9-16 July) for £725 or 5 Nights (10-15 July) £650. Full board for sick or infirm pilgrims with medical and nursing care in Accueil Notre Dame :5 Nights (10-15 July) for £550. Youth Team (7-16 July) £590. All flights from Belfast International Airport. Application forms now available from the Parish Office or for further information contact the Pilgrimage office on (028) 90770162 or email@ Lourdes@downandconnor.org

**LIVING YOUTH — LOCAL SUMMER PILGRIMAGES 2019**

**Summer Madness**— join with over 2,000 other young people, from all religious backgrounds, across the island of Ireland to celebrate, connect and explore your faith. This 5-day camping experience at Glenarm Castle is on from 28th June – 2nd July 2019, Cost: £120, Age: 15 – 18.

**Camino Through the Mournes**— join with other young adults to spend time together in a faith environment, all through the medium of outdoor activities such as hikes, walks and outdoor adventures. Stay in Newcastle Co Down from 6th – 9th August 2019, Cost: £125, Age: 18 – 25. For more information and to apply go to [www.livingyouthni.org](http://www.livingyouthni.org) or follow Living Youth on Social Media.

**CRUMLIN FLOWER CLUB** invites you to their annual Open Demonstration on Wednesday 3rd April in Crumlin Integrated College, at 7:30p.m. The demonstrator is Joan Lockhart, and her title is "April Blooms". Tickets, £10:00, are available at the door, and proceeds are in aid of Air Ambulance N.I.



**GLENNAVY APOSTOLIC WORK** are holding their Annual Easter Sale on Sunday 7th April in St Clare's Hall after both Masses. Tombola, Easter Ballot, Bric a Brac stall etc. Church Door Collection after both Masses. All proceeds in aid of the Missions.



**COLLECTIONS 17/03/2019:**

**Weekly Offering: £3,076**  
**Needy Parishes: £1,325**  
**Thank you for your generosity**

**PARISH DRAW WEEK 47**

**Winner: £100:** Nora Wilson Crumlin  
**Winner: £50:** Rosaleen Marsden Upp Ballinderry

**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](mailto:marianrvni@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>