

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. Volunteers urgently required.

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: lotto results for 20th. Feb. 20 **Winning nos. 1-7-17-23. Jackpot £1050**— No Winners. **3 Numbers.** Fergal Clenaghan.. **Lucky Dips:** Megan McGarry – Joanne Cormican – David Honeyford. **Next week's Jackpot £1100.** Visit the club's new website and enter the lotto draw at www.glenavygac.com. You can also keep up to date with all club affairs here.

ST.JAMES GAC ALDERGROVE: Lottery Results w/e 8th March:**2-11-16-23**, No winner. Eloise Guerreieo £15, Isabella Graham £10 **Next Week £4,400.** Tickets£1 available call John 07738293627

OVER LENT ST CLARE'S COMMUNITY HALL will be accepting donations of personal hygiene products for **The Hygiene Bank**. The Hygiene Bank exists to ensure that those living in poverty and can't afford to be clean, have access to the basics. A box for donations will be placed in foyer of Hall. Products should be new, unused and in date and include: sanitary towels, tampons, shampoo and conditioner, hair styling products, facewash, cleanser, face creams, body wash, body lotions, deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrushes, disposable razors, nail files, make up, perfume, gift sets, nappies and pull ups, baby wipes, nappy cream, baby wash, baby shampoo, talcum powder, shower gels, men's grooming products, washing powder, plasters, hair brushes, hair ties, loo roll, ear buds, wipes.

CONCERN WORLDWIDE FUNDRAISING QUIZ- Sat 28th March @7pm in St Clare's Community Hall. £5 entry BYOB txt or whatsapp Niall on 07920 505564 to reserve a table or for further information

THE DIOCESEAN RESPONSE TO THE CORONAVIRUS EMERGENCY

THE OBLIGATION TO ATTEND MASS

Considering the current situation, all the faithful are dispensed from the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation.

However, Mass will continue to be celebrated publicly until advice from the public health authorities indicates that we should determine otherwise.

We advise all those who are unwell, those who have underlying medical conditions or are otherwise vulnerable to infection to stay at home.

If you wish to view Sunday or Daily Mass online from a variety of locations please visit **www.churchservices.tv/whats-on-now/**

THE DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Parishioners are asked to receive Holy Communion in the hand. There may be some parishioners who are uncomfortable with receiving the Host in the hand, in which case you should speak to the priest **after Mass**.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATIONS

Preparations for the celebration of Confirmation, First Confession and First Holy Communion are suspended until further notice.

WEDDING, BAPTISMS AND FUNERALS will continue to be celebrated as usual taking into account the advice of the Health Authorities.

CHURCH COLLECTIONS

Until further notice the collectors will stand at the door of the church at the end of Mass to receive your offering.



THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

15TH MARCH 2020

Very Rev Fr Colm McBride PP: St Joseph's Presbytery, 59 Chapel Road, Glenavy, BT29 4LY 94459560 (In emergencies Fr Declan Mulligan P.P. Aghagallon 92651214)

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

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St Patrick's Day

Lá Fhéile Pádraig


Mass Times

Monday 16th **Mater Dei** Vigil 7.00pm

Tuesday 17th **Mater Dei** 9.30am

Tuesday 17th **St Joseph's** 9.30am



	16th March	22nd March	Mass Intentions
	St Joseph's	Mater Dei	
Mon	9.30am Robert Barton	7.00PM vigil	
Tue	St Patrick's Day 9.30am	St Patrick's Day 9.30am NO EVENING MASS	
Wed	7.00pm	9.30am	
Thur	9.30am Special Intention		
Fri	9.30am		
Sat	9.30am Followed by Sacrament of Reconciliation	6.00pm vigil Dan McGarry, Jimmy Magee, Jim Slowey	
Sun	9.30am James Lavery (Month's Mind) 12.00 noon Margaret McGarrell (1st)	10.45am Minnie Moore & Reilly Family, John Gallagher	

In the current emergency situation, The Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference is asking vulnerable people and those with underlying health conditions, a cough or fever not to attend Mass.

REQUIESCANT IN PACE

ANNIVERSARIES: Thomas & Kathleen Lavery, Catherine McGarry, Hugh & Kathleen Kelly, Josephine Mulholland, Robert Barton, Margaret Phillips, Matthew Heatley, Molly McMaster, Annie Deacon, James & Maria McGivern, William Morgan, Bridget McConnon, Eamon Douglas, Jim & Seamus Doherty, Pat McAlemon, Pat McAlemon, Gretta McDonald, Alphonsus O'Brien, Bobby Loney

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTIONS: A Sanctuary Lamp burns for a week in each of our 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 Intentions (Phelim McGarry), Patricia Devereux, Special Intention, Henry Donaghy Family Intentions for well being in body and minds.

PARISH RETREAT AT DRUMALIS: The Parish of Glenavy & Killead will hold it's annual retreat at Drumalis over the weekend of Saturday, 4th and Sunday, 5th April 2020. The theme for this year's retreat is 'The God Who Speaks', offering a time to reflect on God's word in our daily lives - how we live it and ways we can live His word more fully. Places can be booked through the Parish Office and for more information please call Clive Duffield on 07967704592

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: the next meeting is on Wednesday 18 March at 7.00pm in St Joseph's Presbytery

PARISH DRAW WEEK 45

Winner: £500: John Crossey Glenavy
Winner: £100: Elizabeth Boylan Upp Ballinderry
Winner: £50 Michael Brankin Upp Ballinderry
Congratulations to our winners

COLLECTIONS 08/03/2020

WEEKLY OFFERING: £2,580

Thank you for your generosity

Parish Lenten Programme—No Greater Love:

No Greater Love is a **5 week biblical pilgrimage through the Passion, Death and Resurrection of Jesus Christ** that reveals His amazing love for us. **Thursdays at 7pm in Mater Dei Parochial House, Crumlin**, until Thursday 2nd April. Parishioners are invited to attend as many of the sessions as they can. We encourage you to come along, enrich your Lenten journey and be open to encountering the compassionate love of Christ. For further information please contact the Parish Office 028 94422278.

BELOVED DISCIPLES: This is a short **4 week faith** development programme for the over 60's in our parish. It's about spirituality in the Autumn of life and the issues which arise among seniors and how they can be enriched through our faith. The course will be held in **St Clare's Hall at 11.00am** on Friday mornings with each of the four sessions lasting about 1hour 15 minutes. It will involve watching parts of a DVD followed by talking and listening to each other. The programme will be facilitated by a member of the Diocesan Living Church Office.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2020: Full board in hotel: 7 nights (7-14 July) for £725 or 5 nights (8-13 July) for £650. Full board for sick or infirm pilgrims with medical and nursing care in Accueil Notre Dame: 5 nights (8-13 July) for £550. Youth Team (5-14 July) £590. All flights from Belfast Int'l Airport. Application form now available from the Parish Office or for further information contact the Pilgrimage Office on (028) 9077 0162, email: Lourdes@downandconnor.org or visit www.downandconnor.org/Lourdes

PERPETUAL NOVENA TO OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP.: A Perpetual Novena is celebrated at the 7.00pm Mass, Mater Dei Church each Tuesday evening.

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET will be recited at 6.30pm on Wednesdays in Mater Dei Church

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 6.30pm on Tuesday. All welcome.

ROSARY AT THE GROTTTO, Glenavy, on the last Friday of each month at 7.00pm

DIOCESAN MATT TALBOT PILGRIMAGE 2020: The Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Shrine of the Venerable Matt Talbot takes place on Saturday 18 April 2020 with Concelebrated Mass taking place at 12.30 in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Sean McDermott Street, Dublin. For further information and booking, please contact Mary Holden (Tel: 028 94423956)

THE GLENNAVY BRANCH OF APOSTOLIC WORK are holding their annual Spring Sale at St Clare's Hall on Sunday 29th March from 10am—1.30pm. Church Door Collection will be taken up after 9.30 and 12.00 Masses. Tombola, Ballot, Bric a Brac, Cakes and more. Please come along and support the Missions.

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: There is a need to recruit additional Ministers of the Word for service particularly in St Joseph's Church. This is an essential Ministry in the Church. Once you are accepted training will be given. Please contact Fr Mc Bride if you would be interested.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN GETTING INVOLVED IN PARISH WORK e.g. visiting the elderly. If so why not join the Legion of Mary. Tel Patricia 07751345760

CRUMLIN FLOWER CLUB invite you to their annual Floral Demonstration, entitled " All in an April Evening", with demonstrator Linda Lyons, in Crumlin Integrated College, on Wed.1st April, at 7:30p.m. Tickets, £10, (with light refreshments) are available from members or at the door, and proceeds are for League of Friends, Antrim Area Hospital.

FAITH & FRIENDSHIP MEETING will take place in Mater Dei Parochial House Tuesday 21 April 2020 7.30pm—9.30pm

THE PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL HAVE PROVIDED 'SUGGESTION BOXES' at the back of St. Joseph's and Mater Dei churches. Parishioners are invited to provide feedback and make suggestions for discussion at the Council's monthly meetings. In addition to the suggestion boxes the Parish Pastoral Council remains contactable through the Parish Office and the Facebook page or by speaking to one of the Council Members in person



ACCORD provides a counselling service for any couple who may be experiencing difficulties or challenges in their relationship. The Belfast Centre is situated in Twin Spires Centre, Northumberland Street, Belfast. Tel No-02890339944. Email-belfast@accordni.com

KILMORE AND KILLYLEAGH PARISH: Join us and follow in the footsteps of Padre Pio on this, our first Parish pilgrimage to San Giovanni Rotondo Italy. Return flights from Dublin, 4-nights from 13th September, accompanied by a Spiritual Director and includes a fully escorted religious programme. Tour package £595 per person. £200 deposit to be paid by 7th February 2020 to secure places For additional details visit the website www.kilmoreandkillyleagh.com or contact Joe Walsh tours Tel: 00353 1241 0800.

CLARE LODGE 16TH-18TH MARCH 2020 2 nights full board £90 per person sharing £110 single room occupancy. For further details please contact Clare Lodge 02843722849 or email clare.lodge@svpni.co.uk

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREATS are a beautiful healing opportunity for anyone struggling with the spiritual or emotional pain of an abortion. The weekend helps you to experience the love, mercy, compassion and forgiveness of God. It enables suffering souls to find peace and transform the pain of the past into a future full of hope. For information call Marian in complete confidence on 07814 748 744 or e mail marianrvni@yahoo.co.uk and check us out on Facebook.

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.

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

SPECIAL BELFAST CHRISTMAS PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND €1,899 and 20th July for 8 nights €1,725 Taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem Mount Tabor, Cana, Nazareth, Jericho, River Jordan, Dead Sea and Sea of Galilee. Contact James Treacy 00353860572216 or 0035361921470 or office 0035318783111 ex Dublin

PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA 2020: 12th / 19th Aug'. 7 Nights Full Board, Hotel Avenida. Spiritual Director Fr. Martin Graham. Full Religious Program. with Optional Tours. £719 inclusive of Tax and Insurance. For Further details contact Joe Catney 90714001 or 07776425631

LENT AT TOBAR MHUIRE. ASH WEDNESDAY. A conversation on forgiveness between Alan McBride and Jude Whyte, two people who been faced with the challenge of forgiving those who perpetrated awful deeds upon their loved ones. Session begins at 7.30pm. Voluntary donation towards Belfast Welcome Centre.

LENTEN SCRIPTURE COURSE WITH FR. OLIVER TREANOR. A four week series on the Wednesdays of Lent, in which Fr. Oliver Treanor invites us to see the meaning of the Cross in God's plan and as a way of achieving the fullness of life. Begins at 7.30pm and concludes at 9.00pm sharp. Voluntary Donation.

TAKE OFF YOUR SHOES – YOU ARE STANDING ON HOLY GROUND! A three week course, March 1st; March 8th; March 15th, to explore the beauty of Eucharistic Adoration and ways of developing best practice in our personal lives and in our parishes. **Led by:** Fr Tom Scanlon CP. **Time:** 3.00pm – 5.30pm each day. **Voluntary Donation.**

HSC Northern Ireland Foster Care: You are warmly invited to join us as we launch HSC Northern Ireland Foster Care on Tuesday 25 February 9.30am-11.30am at Girdwood Community HUB, BT14 6EG. Throughout Northern Ireland there has been an increase in the number of children coming into the care system and there is an increased demand for foster carers and foster families. This event will give an insight into different types of fostering and will provide accurate information about who can foster. Foster carers and fostering colleagues will be on hand to answer any questions. We will hear first-hand from Foster Carer of the Year 2019 and we will hear from a young person who has experienced foster care. We would be delighted if you could join us. Kindly RSVP by Friday 31st January to karen.carson@belfasttrust.hscni.net or phone 028 9504 0302 for catering purposes. *Kerrylee Weatherall* Co Director Corporate Parenting & Regional Emergency Social Work Service, Belfast HSC Trust