

**PARISH ENVELOPES** can be received at either Sunday or weekday Masses and only during Mass times. Alternatively, if your circumstances permit, make a bank transfer to: **Parish of Glenavy and Killead. Sort Code 98 04 60. Account 10654677.**

**MAKING YOUR OFFERING TO THE CHURCH**

**If you are able, you are encouraged to make a monthly offering to the Church by means of a Bank Transfer. To assist you, the necessary forms are available at the back of the Churches. Both forms need to be completed with one sent to your Bank and the other to the parish office. If you have any queries please contact in confidence the parish secretary or Fr Mc Bride**

**PARISH OFFICE.** Please notice that the parish office is open each daily Monday to Friday 10.00am to 3.00pm

**PARISH BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT:** A member of the Bethany group may be contacted on Tel 0774603279

**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 15/10/20. **Winning nos. 16-17-20-24. Jackpot £2,750.** No Winners. **3 Numbers:** S. McQuillan. **Lucky Dips:** Colm Cormican-Sinead McKeag-Justin O'Neill. **Next week's Jackpot £2,800**

**HOUSEKEEPER REQUIRED** 4 hours per week. For more information please phone 07766640142

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL:** Emergency helpline. Crumlin/ Aldergrove. 07754427088. New volunteers urgently required.

**ST JOSEPH GLENNAVY SVP** continues its local charitable work during the Covid pandemic. Our usual red box for collections has not been available to those who support our work due to on-going restrictions. Anyone wishing to make a regular or one-off donation can do so directly to our bank account, Sort Code 98-04-60. Account Number 41966009. Your support is very much appreciated as we support those most vulnerable in these challenging times in your local community.

## BINGO

**Has been suspended for the next four weeks as St Clare's Hall is temporarily closed due to the Covid restrictions**



**29TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR  
MISSION SUNDAY  
18TH OCTOBER 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  
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 [www.facebook.com/glenavyandkilleadparish](https://www.facebook.com/glenavyandkilleadparish)  
**A member of Lisburn Pastoral Community**

**SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR 29TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR**

First Reading. Is 45:1,4-6 Second Reading. 1 Th 1:1-5 Gospel .Jn 17:11, 17-23

***A PLACE FOR EVERYTHING!***

My mother used always say – put things where they belong. Newspapers, food, the bicycle not in the hall, and other homely advice. Jesus says the same here – give what belongs to where it belongs and to whom.

So Jesus is being asked about taxes and politics. He knows he is being trapped about money. He moves on to higher questions. Something about the answer of Jesus asks us — where do we belong?

Belonging can sound heavy – as if we are being controlled, or our money belongs to us and we can do what we like with it But for Jesus it's the belonging of love, not of power and control.

Much is not in our control. We are born and die at God's time. This reminds us that we are not the masters of our lives, we come from God and go to God. This belonging is the centre of our human family and community. God doesn't want to control us but to love us.

But there's an addition: belonging to God means belonging to each other. We have rights and duties of love. To give to others what belongs to others; give to the poor what belongs to the poor. Everyone has a right to the food of the earth and the food of the mind, and shelter for the body. It's not charity when people are given food, education, a home, freedom of religion, free-dom of speech – it is justice. To give to God what belongs to God is to share the goods of the earth!

*Think of a time when you made a decision for the common good – money given away, cleaning the neighbourhood, joining a parents' group etc. Remember and be grateful Lord, may your will that we share well the goods of the world be done.*

*Donal Neary SJ  
Gospel Reflections For Sundays Year A*

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY** is Pope Francis' annual appeal for spiritual and financial support so the life-giving work of overseas missionaries can continue. Your support of World Mission Sunday will play an enormous part in easing suffering by providing overseas missionaries with essential aid.

Please, if you are in a position to help envelopes, are available in the back of the church.

19TH OCTOBER		25TH OCTOBER	MASS INTENTIONS
	<b>ST JOSEPH'S</b>	<b>MATER DEI</b>	
Mon	9.30am		
Tue		7.00pm <b>Desmond Callaghan</b> Month's Mind Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena Mass	
Wed		9.30am <b>Ernie Thompson</b> Month's Mind Adoration 10-12noon & 6-8pm	
Thur	9.30am Adoration                      7-9pm		
Fri	9.30am 6.00pm <b>Confession</b>		
Sat		6.00pm <b>vigil</b>	
Sun	9.30am <b>Margaret (Peggy) Crossey</b> 12.00 noon <b>Brendan McGarry,</b> Month's Mind	10.45am <b>Margaret McCarthy</b>	



**RECENTLY DECEASED:** . Luarena Rice

**MONTH'S MIND:** . Desmond Callaghan, Ernie Thompson,

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Colette Brankin, Isaac & Josephine Nelson, Stephen McAllister, Brendan Corr, John Henry Snr, Kathleen Heatley, Joe Cormican, Patrick Hickland, Geraldine Kane, Francis Brankin,

**SANCTUARY LAMP:** , Isaac Nelson, Special Intention, MB, Joe Cormican,

**ROSARY AT THE GROTTA:** .During the month of October the rosary will be said each Friday evening at 7.00pm at the Grotto in St Joseph's graveyard.

#### **FAMILY ROSARY CRUSADE.**

Archbishop Eamonn Martin is asking families to pray the Rosary together for the month of October in what is called the **Family Rosary Crusade.**

**BAPTISM:** We welcome to the People of God: Harlow Mulvenna, Órlaith Philomena Crookes and Sophia Grace Ward

#### **SAFEGUARDING SUNDAY**

This year, as Bishop of the Diocese, I have designated **Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> October** as 'Safeguarding Sunday'. This will be an opportunity for all the parishes to pray together and acknowledge the dedication of hundreds of Volunteers in our parishes who serve in the ministry of Safeguarding across the Diocese. During the celebration of the Sunday liturgy we will also renew our commitment to the pastoral care of victims of abuse of every kind as well as young people and adults in our parishes. On **Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> October, 7pm**, parishioners are invited to join online the celebration of Evening Prayer, led by Bishop Noel Treanor, from St. Peter's Cathedral, Belfast. To join, kindly follow the links to the Cathedral webcam:

<http://www.churchservices.tv/stpeterscathedral>

#### **MISSION SUNDAY**

Today is Mission Sunday which reminds us of the extraordinary work of Catholic priests, sisters and lay people who spread the faith in countries throughout the world. Last week Down and Connor Apostolic Work launched a website, which explains the history of the organisation and informs people about how Apostolic Work supports missionaries in the work of evangelization. As we have been unable to fundraise due to Covid-19, parishioners who normally support Apostolic Work may wish to visit the website ([www.apostolicworkdc.com](http://www.apostolicworkdc.com)) and make a donation to help continue our work in these challenging times.

#### **NOVEMBER - MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS**

Many people choose to abstain from alcohol during November and offer up their sacrifice for their deceased relatives and friends. You can do likewise. Please consider taking the short term **Pledge for November** and say the prayer daily "I promise in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and with the help of the Blessed Virgin Mary to abstain from all alcoholic drink during November".

#### **REMEMBERING OF DECEASED .....NOVEMBER DEAD LISTS**

Throughout the month of November the Church traditionally remembers and prays for all those who have died. A November Dead List is a list of the names of deceased relatives and friends for whom you would like Mass offered during November. Like all acts of remembrance, compiling a November Dead List is an act of charity to the faithful departed from those who are still able to assist them. The sheets on which to compile the list and accompanying envelopes are available in the Church Porches. A voluntary offering may be included for the support of the priests who will celebrate the Masses. Return the envelope either in the collection basket or in the box in the Sanctuary. The names of the deceased will be placed in the Sanctuary where they will remain for the Month of November. Mass will be offered each day specifically for all whose names appear on the lists, that they may attain what they long for, eternal rest in God's presence

#### **ARRANGEMENTS FOR SUNDAY MASS**

The obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days remains suspended. Therefore, those who wish to attend Mass are encouraged to attend a weekday Mass if they can. This will mean that the limited space on Sunday can be available for those unable to attend during the week. If you wish to attend a Sunday Mass you are advised to book although presently it is not essential. Please contact the parish office on 94422278. Bookings for the following Sunday can only be received on Thursday and Friday mornings from 10.00 am – 12 noon. Since calls will be received by volunteers, bookings cannot be accepted outside these times. Spaces will be allocated on a first-come, first served basis. Your name and contact details will be required at time of booking. By making a booking, parishioners agree that their details will be retained by the parish for the purposes of allocating seats and in case of need for contact if arrangements have to be changed or if there is a requirement for contact tracing in the event of a COVID-19 outbreak.

At weekends, on arrival at the Church, after sanitising your hands the stewards will register your attendance and direct you to your allocated seat(s). Please place your Offering in the box provided at the back of the Church before Mass begins. Arrangements for distribution of Holy Communion will be explained during the Mass and stewards will direct you. At the end of Mass seats should be vacated in an orderly fashion and so please follow the guidance of the stewards. The new arrangements will seem strange but they are necessary to keep everyone safe and avoid another lockdown.

**Church leaders, including Archbishop Eamon Martin, following recent consultations with public health authorities, are formally recommending and encouraging the use of face coverings at all Masses and other liturgical celebrations, along with the ongoing maintenance of 2 metre physical distancing, to prevent the spread of the virus.**

**Visit the following website for more advice and guidance on the use of face coverings.**

<https://www.nidirect.gov.uk/articles/coronavirus-covid-19-face-coverings>

**COLLECTIONS 11/10/2020**

**WEEKLY OFFERING: £1,525**

**Thank you for your generosity**

**PARISH DRAW WEEK 9**

**Winner: £100:** Malachy Mulholland

**Winner: £50:** Dorothy Donnelly Glenavy

**Congratulations to our winners**

**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

### **PARISH PASTORAL WORKER**

The Parish of St. Joseph & St. Benildus & St. Marys, in the Diocese of Waterford and Lismore, is the largest in the Diocese with a Catholic population of approximately 13,750. It is situated in the south-east of Waterford City and stretches from St Joseph & St Benildus Church on Newtown Road to St Mary's Church in Ballygunner.

The Parish is a welcoming Christian community where people feel valued and have a sense of belonging.

The Parish is now inviting applications for the position of Parish Pastoral Worker. Applicants must have a primary degree in theology/religious education, or equivalent, as well as relevant experience.

The closing date for receipt of applications, including Curriculum Vitae, is Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2020 at 5:00 p.m. Please send to [liampowerwaterford@gmail.com](mailto:liampowerwaterford@gmail.com).

Shortlisting will take place immediately thereafter. Interviews are scheduled to take place in October 2020.

The Job Description is available from the Parish Office at [parishofficejbm@gmail.com](mailto:parishofficejbm@gmail.com)