

St Clare's Hall – What's On? Monday Table Tennis 6.30 – 8.30pm, Indoor Bowls 8 – 10pm, **Tuesday** Pickleball 10am – 12pm & 8pm – 10pm, Irish Dancing (Brazier School) – 4.45 – 7.45pm, Book Club (2nd Tues each mth) 7.30 – 9.30pm, **Wednesday** Friendship group (55+) 10.30 – 1pm, Yoga 6 – 7pm & 7 – 8pm, DR Jive 8 – 10pm, **Thursday** Irish Dancing (Brazier School) 4.30 – 5.30pm, Judo 6 – 7pm, Bingo 8 – 9.30pm, **Friday** Mother & Toddlers 9.30 – 11.30am, Coffee Morning 10 – 11am, **Saturday** Playball 9.15 – 10am, 10 – 10.45am & 10.45 – 11.30am, Selby Conservatoire of Performing Arts 11.30 – 2pm **Also available for private, community & business functions, including birthday parties, fund raisers and funerals.** Contact 07517779334 or stdareshallbooking@hotmail.com

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 Thursday 14 July 2022. Winning Numbers:13-16-18-12. Jackpot £3,000 No jackpot winner. 3 Number winner None Lucky Dips; Sarah O'Neil, Damian Ayre, Anne Halligan. Next week's Jackpot £3,000. New Jackpot £1,700. Thank you for your support. We wish everyone an enjoyable summer break.

Down & Connor Diocesan Trust have 2 Vacancies in the Living Church Office – (1) Faith Development Worker 3 Year Fixed Term Contract. The post holder will be required to support the Director of the Living Church Office & work as part of a team to implement Diocesan Initiatives in pastoral renewal, evangelisation, and faith development. Salary range £27.5k to £32.5k gross p.a., 35 hrs p.w., work pattern to be agreed. **The closing date for applications is Monday 18th July 2022 at 12.00 noon.** **(2) Support Officer/ Personal Assistant** Permanent appointment, The post holder will provide a comprehensive and professional support to the Director of the Living Church, and administration and coordination support to the wider team. The successful candidate will be key to the efficient office organisation and compliance deadlines. Salary range £24k - £27k gross p.a (commensurate on experience), 35 hours p.w. (9am – 5pm Monday to Friday). **The closing date for applications is Thursday 28th July 2022 at 12.00 noon Full details relating to the vacancies can be found at:** <https://www.downandconnor.org/job-vacancies>

Youth 2000 Summer Festival! Join over 1000 young people between 16 and 35 this August. The festival takes place in Clongowes Wood College, Clane, Co Kildare from Thursday 11th August to Sunday 14th August 2022. For more information and to book your place go to <https://youth2000.i.e/summer-festival-2022>

PARISH BINGO

in St Clare's Community Hall

Every Thursday at 8.00pm sharp-9.30pm approx.
Jackpot £1,000 in 50 Numbers
All social distancing measures in place.
Please remember to wear your masks



SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
17 July 2022

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 - 3.00pm
Secretary: Joan McShane Tel: 028 94422278
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A member of Lisburn Pastoral Community

Jesus and hospitality: God's footprints

The half door on the old Irish house had many functions. It kept the animals out while allowing the family to look out. It also made for openness and hospitality for all who passed by. The traveller was welcomed and the one walking by could rest for a while. We were open to the world and the world to us, and we felt safe.



Hospitality was important in Jesus' time. He made many a visit to the house of Martha and Mary, staying there when he wanted to go to Jerusalem. They enjoyed having him - Mary just sat there listening to him - the stranger, now a friend, who told stories of how life could best be lived. I can imagine him telling the parables in their house.

The people then had a belief in the travelling and pilgrim God, the one who came our way often. The first reading is about strangers being entertained and the people didn't know that the Lord was visiting them. When we open our heart and home to the stranger and to the neighbour we are receiving God into our lives.


The Indian poet Tagore writes - '*and when you left I saw God's footprints on the floor.*'

Our fear of break-ins and of robbery today is destroying an easy accessibility in our neighbourhoods. Casual hospitality is more difficult than in the days of the half-door. Maybe Facebook and Twitter and other social media fulfil some of this function, impersonal though it may be. We cannot live in isolation. '*Self knows that self is not enough*' writes the poet, Brendan Kennelly.

*For friendship and love,
especially when I find it in unexpected places and people,
thank you, Lord.*

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18 July 2022—24 July Intentions

	St Joseph's	Mater Dei	St James
Mon	9.30am No Mass		Mon Adoration 7pm-8pm
Tue		7.00pm Allan Jardine (1st Anniv) Rosary 6.30pm Divine Mercy Chaplet 7.30pm Adoration 7.30pm - 8.30pm	
Wed		9.30am Special Intention Adoration 10.00am -12.00pm	
Thurs	9.30am P.I. Adoration 7pm—9.00pm		Feumore Mass Centre
Fri	9.30am P.I.		Sun Adoration 6.30pm—7.30pm
Sat		6.00pm P.P.	Mon Adoration 11.00am—12.00pm
Sun	9.30am Liam Boylan (Anniv) 12.00 p.m Ellen Keys, Sally Armour, James Armour & Lily, George & Robert Daly (Anniv)	10.45am William McCorry, Eileen Bunting (Anniv)	

Recently Deceased Charles McErlean (Cairn Walk) Fr Jim Madden

Anniversaries Allan Jardine (1st), William McCorry, Eileen Bunting, Liam Boylan, Ellen Keys, Sally & James Armour, Lily, George & Robert Daly, Charlie Morgan, Michael & Dolores Armstrong, Thomas Wilkinson, Helen Mulholland, Felix John O'Hara, Harry McGarry (50th)

Baptisms: We welcome to God's family Emmet Thomas Cousins, Murchu John Owens, Rosa Gabrielle Baker, Ellie Olivia McKee, Caoilfhionn Eire Johnston

Sanctuary Lamp: Jardine Family Circle, Special Intention

Rosary at St Joseph's grotto every Thursday between 7pm and 9pm

Parish Bethany Support Group: A member of the Bethany group may be contacted on Tel 07746032796 or 07967704592

Collections 10/07/22

Weekly Offering: £2,380

Thank you for your generosity

PARISH DRAW 2022/23: Week 11

Winner: £50 Liam Sheila Horner (Ballinderry Upper)

Winner: £100 Jacinta Brankin (Ballyvannon)

Enrolment of the Pope John Paul II Award Group if you are aged 16/17, year 13/14 and are interested in joining JPPII, please contact Brenda Gallagher on 07928979292

Crumlin Youth for Christ CYFC are once again organising a summer scheme for children in the Crumlin area. Details of all the activities are on the poster in the Church Porches and on Facebook.

Children wishing to take part in the Summer Bible Club must register online at: Summer 2022 - crumlinyfc.org, for further information email dean@yfcni.org or ring 07856787565.

Thank you to all those who have volunteered to provide food for the 8 youth workers.

Glenavy and Killead Baptism Preparation The Parish Baptism preparation team are seeking volunteers to help with the delivery of this programme. Baptism preparation is important for new parents and godparents to gain an understanding of the sacrament, the rite of Baptism and their undertaking on behalf of their child at the start of their relationship with God. The programme is one-hour session provided twice per month, remotely via Zoom and will require you to have computer and internet access from home. Training and support will be available starting in January 2022. If you are interested in participating, please contact the Parish Office and leave your contact details. Thank you.

Safeguarding notice The Safeguarding Office have been in contact with our Parish and Safeguarding Committee in relation to identifying training needs within our Parish. If you are a leader or volunteer involved in any activity involving children, please contact the Parish Safeguarding Committee to agree any training requirements.

Saint Vincent De Paul—Crumlin Conference Emergency helpline 07754427088. Donations can be made via the Crumlin SVP conference bank account. Account number 41965035, sort code 980460. **St Joseph Glenavy Conference** Emergency helpline **07784955647**. Donation can be made 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.

Annual Novena Escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland, 15th August 2022. £599.00 per person sharing. Price includes return bus transfer from Northern Ireland, 4 nights' in Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment and excursions included. Avail of Novena Ceremonies. Day trips to Westport, Ballintubber Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Fr. Peyton Centre & National Museum. Single supplement £100.00. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.

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: **Parish of Glenavy and Killead Sort Code 98 04 60. Account 10654677**. 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 .

Web Camera's Mater Dei Church and St. Joseph's are both equipped with web-cameras. All Liturgies are broadcast. The cameras are live 24/7 and are focused on the Sanctuaries and first three seats at the front of each Church. To access the broadcasts, go to: www.churchservices.tv/stjosephglenavy or www.churchservices.tv/materdeicrumlin. The web-cams enable us to attend Mass, however they do not allow us to receive the Eucharist, the Body of Christ. When possible, we should attend Mass in the Church whenever our circumstances permit in order to receive Holy Communion.

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

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Fatima 2022: Full board in hotel: 7 nights (8-15 September) from £689 per person sharing. For further enquiries and bookings contact Joe Catney 02890714001 OR 0776425631

Lough Derg welcomes Pilgrims again - 3 Day Pilgrimage: 1st June - 15th August. Booking advised. Concessions available for students, seniors and groups. 1 Day Retreats and guided Pilgrim Path experience: dates in August through September. Booking essential. All booking information at www.loughderg.org, email info@loughderg.org or telephone 0(0353) 71 9861518. Lough Derg, Pettigo, Co Donegal, F94 N289.