

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 stclareshallbooking@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 28/7/2022. Winning nos. 1-8-18-19 Jackpot £3,000. Jackpot £1,700 No Winner: 3 numbers None. Lucky Dips. Marie McGreevy, Colm Cormican, Joe Loughan. Next week's Jackpot £1, 750.Thank you for your support

BALLYHACKAMORE ANTIQUES FAIR Antiques, Art, Vintage Retro and Collectables Saturday 6th August 2022, 9.30am—4.00pm, St Colmcille's Parochial Hall, 191 Upper Newtownards Road, Belfast BT4 3JB Entrance is free, free parking and light refreshments will be available. All are welcome. For further information and to book a table contact Steve on: 07808 526566. Future diary dates: Saturday 1st October, Saturday 5th November and Saturday 3rd December 22.

Accord is having another selection day in September for Facilitators If you are interested please contact Brenda on 02890 233002 alternatively email: info@accordni.com or visit the website for more information at www.accordni.com The closing date for expressions of interest is 31 August 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



EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
31 July 2022

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

Greetings and peace and love to all of you.

Thank you so very much for the tremendous welcome you gave me when I visited you in St Joseph's and Mater Dei churches.

We are most grateful to you for your tremendous kindness and generosity. The brothers of Kenya and Uganda and the people among whom we work, will be thrilled to know your great concern for them and your tremendous generosity. It will be a great boast to them in these hard times of food shortage and of Covid. We will be good guardians of the huge trust you have placed in us. We will use your resources wisely and efficiently. Every penny of your contribution will go directly to our missions.

I know too that you will continue to remember all of us in your prayer. As I mentioned to you, prayer is the backbone of our work and central to our lives. Often, situations arise when only a loving and caring God can help.

I have little to offer in return for your tremendous kindness and generosity, except to let you know that you are remembered in the daily prayers of the brothers. You and your families are also remembered with a climb of Croagh Patrick, a pilgrimage to Clonmacnoise and a small fast.

Again, to all of you, a million thanks for your tremendous kindness and generosity.

May St Francis of Assisi bless and reward each one of you for your extraordinary kindness. And may Joy and Peace dwell in all your homes.


Sincerely,

Br Brian Johnson OSF

Letter of thanks from Br Brian Johnson, Franciscan Brothers in Co Offaly

The total collected from the church door collection for the Franciscan Brothers Mission and subsequent envelopes totalled £4,230 from our parish. Thank you for your generosity.

1 August—7 August Intentions

	St Joseph's	Mater Dei	St James
Mon	9.30am No Mass		
Tue		7.00pm Eileen & James Nelson (Anniv) Rosary 6.30pm Divine Mercy Chaplet 7.30pm Adoration 7.30pm - 8.30pm	Mon Adoration 7pm-8pm
Wed		9.30am In Honour of Our Lady of the Angels Rosaleen Magennis (Anniv) Adoration 10.00am -12.00pm	
Thurs	9.30am P.I Adoration 7pm—9.00pm		
Fri	9.30am P.I. 6.00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation		Feumore Mass Centre
Sat		6.00pm Jack & Derinella Lamb (Anniv) Michael Doherty (Anniv)	Sun Adoration 6.30pm—7.30pm
Sun	9.30am P.P. 12.00 p.m Jim Hughes (1st Anniv)	10.45am Willie McLornan & Lily McLornan (Anniv)	Mon Adoration 11.00am—12.00pm

Recently Deceased Malachy Cormican, (Ballinderry Upp) Anne Magennis (Lisburn), Kevin Fairley (Duneden Grove), Damian Gill (Glen River Park).

Anniversaries Aidan McAleese (1st), Allan Jardine (1st), Eamon Moore (1st), Patrick Helena & Bridget McPeake, Charles Hughes, Teresa Heffron, Ciaran Heffron, Eileen & James Nelson, Mary McConnell, Sadie Scarff, Ignatius Moore, Robert & Joan McAlister, Mary & Patrick Flanagan, Patrick McGarrell, Mon. John Murphy, William McComb, Brigid McGarry, William Henry, Máire Magee

Weddings: Congratulations to Ciara Campbell and Anthony Knocker and Susanna Smith and Conor Brady who were married in Christ.

Rev John O'Laverty will be ordained to the priesthood at St Patrick's Church, Legamaddy (Parish of Bright) on Sunday 31 July at 3.00pm. .

Collections 24/07/22

Weekly Offering: £2,483

Thank you for your generosity

PARISH DRAW 2022/23: Week 13

Winner: £50 Claire O'Boyle (Glenavy)

Winner: £100 Francis Rafferty

(Crumlin)

Congratulation to our winners

Bishop Noel Treanor has appointed our parish priest, Fr Colm, as Canon of the Cathedral Chapter. The appointment recognises years of service. Canon Colm has given to Glenavy & Killead and the Diocese. As a parish we are rightly proud and offer our sincere congratulations to Canon Colm McBride and ask God's continued blessing on him.

Parish Pastoral Council A number of the members of the Pastoral Council have now completed their period of service. We are very grateful for their faithful and generous commitment in support of the parish. There is now a need to recruit some new members. Every parish is required to have a Pastoral Council to assist/guide the priest of the parish in the provision of spiritual/pastoral services. If you would be willing to help, please contact Fr Mc Bride for more information as soon as possible

Altar Servers We now wish to recruit Altar Servers for weekend masses. Children should be at least in P.5 or higher classes. There will be a limited number of places. Training will be given. Please leave details with Fr Mc Bride or Parish Office.

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.

Glenclare Friendship Group AGM on Wednesday 31 August at 11.00am in St Clare's Hall All members invited and new members welcome. The contact details for more information is 07745854467.

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.

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

Back to School Are you dreading the expenses involved in kitting out your children for the return to school? Are you "at your wits end" worrying how you will cope? **Phone the confidential helpline 07754427088 Perhaps we (SVP) can help.**

Parish Office Holiday Arrangements. Please be aware that the parish office will operate part-time for the next week to accommodate staff holidays. The office will be open on the following dates only: 3rd,4th, 5th August. Normal hours will resume on Monday 8th August.

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.

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 .

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.

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

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.

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.

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>

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