**ST CLARE'S HALL, WHAT'S ON?— MONDAY** Table Tennis 6.30 – 8.30pm, Indoor Bowls 8 – 10pm, <u>**TUESDAY**</u> Pickleball 10am – 12pm & 8pm – 10pm, Irish Dancing (Brazier School) 4.45 – 7.45pm, Book Club (2<sup>nd</sup> Tues each mth) 7.30 – 9.30pm, <u>**WEDNESDAY**</u> Friendship group (55+) 10.30 – 1pm, Yoga 6 – 7pm & 7 – 8pm, <u>**SPRED**</u> 7pm—8.30pm (07774843929 for more information) DR Jive 8 – 10pm, <u>**THURSDAY**</u> Pilates 10am, Irish Dancing (Brazier School) 4.30 – 5.30pm, Judo 6 – 7pm, Bingo 8 – 9.30pm, <u>**FRIDAY**</u> Mother & Toddlers 9.30 – 11.30am, Coffee Morning 10 – 11am Quiz night, Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2023 8pm - late. BYOB. £5 per person.**Also available for private, community & business functions, including birthday parties, fund raisers and funeral** Contact 07517779334 or <u>stclareshallbooking@hotmail.com</u> **ST CLARE'S BOWLING CLUB** We are looking for new members, young or old. Practice on Monday at 8pm. Come along and have fun.

**GH Tyres and Auto** Servic<u>es</u>: 40a Glenavy Road, Crumlin. Punctures repairs, Wheel Balancing, Wheel Alignment, Bries, General Service, & repairs Tel:94423113. **ST.JOSEPH'S GAC:** Lotto Results <u>Thursday 15 June 2023</u>. Winning Numbers; 4-9-25 -26. Jackpot £1,700 No Jackpot winner. No 3 Number winners; Lucky Dips Charles Magee, Marie Anne Forester, Jim Mulholland Next week's Jackpot is worth £1,750. The members of St Joseph's GAC thanks you for your support.

**A Service of Lament'**, An ecumenical service at St. Anne's Cathedral Wednesday, 21 June, 11.30am - 12.30pm. The 21<sup>st</sup> of June has been set in Northern Ireland as a Day of Reflection. As the sun reaches its highest point, we are given time to pause and acknowledge the grief that countless individuals have experienced through sectarian violence – and to commit ourselves to a more hope-filled future for everyone. We extend an invitation to you and those in your community to join us for this years' service which lasts about an hour. We hope you can join us.

**Lourdes Pilgrimage 2023** This year the Diocese hopes to be able to bring 250 pilgrims to Lourdes including sick pilgrims to the Accueil Notre – Dame (accompanied by volunteer care team) and a youth team of 50 members. In the past you have generously supported the Pilgrimage, providing much needed financial support to allow a subsidy for the fares of sick pilgrims, volunteers and to provide equipment and materials for their use in Lourdes. There will be a church door collection after all Masses on Sunday 18 June 2023 for the Pilgrimage and any contribution would be greatly appreciated.

**Down & Connor Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes** 11/12 – 17 July 2023. 6 nights in hotel from £829, 5 nights in hotel from £769, 5 nights in Acceuil Notre-Dame for pilgrims requiring nursing and/or personal care £719. For more information or to request a booking form, contact the Pilgrimage Office (028) 9077 0162, email lourdes@downandconnor.org visit:www.downandconnor.org/lourdes

**Special Belfast Pilgrimage to the Holy Land at Christmas 2023** Last remaining places. EX Dublin taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Nazareth, Dead Sea, Sea of Galilee, Last Supper Room, Garden of Gethsemane, Mount of Olives with full day in Bethlehem on Christmas Day contact James Treacy 0035361921470 jamestreacy-photography@gmail.com

## PARISH BINGO IN ST CLARE'S COMMUNITY HALL EVERY THURSDAY AT 8.00PM SHARP-9.30PM APPROX. JACKPOT £1,000 IN 53 NUMBERS



### ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 18 JUNE 2023

Very Rev Canon Colm McBride PP: St Joseph's Presbytery, 59 Chapel Road, Glenavy, BT29 4LY 94459560 (If unavailable and in an emergency only, contact Fr Declan Mulligan P.P. Aghagallon 92651214) Parish Office at St Joseph's Glenavy: Monday- Friday 10am -3pm Secretary: Joan McShane Tel: 94 422278 Email:glenavy@downandconnor.org Parish Website: glenavyandkilleadparish.com www.facebook.com/glenavyandkilleadparish A member of Lisburn Pastoral Community

# PATHWAYS TO THE FUTURE

"And as you go, proclaim that the kingdom of heaven is close at hand." (Matthew 10:7)

In St Matthew's Gospel, Jesus tells His disciples that "the harvest is rich but the labourers are few, so ask the Lord of the harvest to send labourers to the harvest". We must continue



to ask God for more vocations to the priesthood and religious life, but we must also recognise that we all have a calling from God and through our Baptism, we have received the gifts or charisms of the Holy Spirit to equip us to fulfil it.

In the coming months, we will begin to establish our new Families of Parishes across the Diocese. These are not simply parish structures, but are communities of faith where all, lay and ordained, work together to serve God and to serve, love, and care for each other. The new Families will be asking people to come forward to be trained and commissioned in a range of ministries such as catechesis, youth ministry and funeral ministry. Volunteers will be needed to help with management and administration. Liturgy teams will be needed to plan and organise prayer services and celebrations. Parish Families will need Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, altar servers, musicians, and so much more.

As we begin the process of renewal that Bishop McKeown spoke of at Pentecost, and as we plan for the practical changes that this will entail, we invite you to take time to pray and reflect on what this will mean for you personally. What role could you play? How will you use your Baptismal gifts for the glory of God and the love of others? How will you respond to God's call for you?

To find out more go to www.pathwaystothefuture.org

## PATHWAYS TO THE FUTURE PRAYER

God of Love, You are with us in every transition and change. As we enter into this new era with excitement and even some anxiety, we recall your deep compassion, presence, and abounding love. We thank you for the gifts, talents and skills with which you have blessed us. We thank you for the work of others that gives breadth and depth to our own work. Be with us as we move forward, rejoicing with you and supporting one another.

We ask this in your Holy Name. AMEN

	1	9 June — 25 June Mass Intentions	
	St Joseph's	Mater Dei	St James Mon Adoration
Mon	9.30am Communion Service		7.00pm-8.00pm
Tue		7.00pm Patrick O'Hora (Anniv) Rosary at 6.30pm Divine Mercy Chaplet 7.30pm Adoration 7.30pm - 8.30pm	
Wed		9.30am Pat McCreanor (Anniv) Adoration 10.00am -12.00pm	
Thurs	9.30am Clare Loney (Months Mind) Adoration 7pm— 9.00pm		Feumore Mass Centre Sun Adoration 6.30pm—7.30pm Divine Mercy Chaplet,
Fri	9.30am P.I.		
Sat		6.00pm Colin Walsh (Anniv)	Chaplet for Holy Souls
Sun	9.30am Imelda Shephard Anniv) Liam Boylan (Anniv) 12.00pm Kathleen Nelson (Anniv) Peter & Chris McClos- key & Sam McAreavey (Anniv)	<b>10. 45am</b> P.P.	Mon Adoration 11.00am—12.00pm

**Recently Deceased** Ann Teresa Moore (Ingrams Road)

Months Mind Clare Loney

**Anniversaries** John Doone (1st), Danny McLornan, Derinella & Jack Lamb, Josephine Nelson, William McCorry, Thomas Boyle, Patrick O'Hora, Pat McCreanor, Colin Walsh, Imelda Shepherd, Liam Boylan, Kathleen Nelson, Peter McCloskey, Chris McCloskey, Sam McAreavey, Eileen Heatley, Thomas Henry, William Edward Lewsley, Patrick Joesph Lewsley, Emer Heatley, Kevin Biesty, Ellen Courtney, Dan Trowlen, Fiona Shannon, Emer Sullivan

Sanctuary Lamp Josephine Nelson, Trowlen Family

**Baptisms** We welcome to God's family Hannah Grace Dobbin

#### Collections 11/06/23

Weekly Offering: £2,776

Thank you for your generosity

**Day for Life 2023 Ireland, England, Wales and Scotland Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2023** Day for Life is celebrated this year on Sunday 18 June. The theme is 'Listen to Her'. Voices of women who have had an abortion are often silent in Church and in Society. This year's message is written by a woman and hopes to break this silence and offer opportunities for hope, healing, and reconciliation. This year's Day for Life focuses on post abortion trauma and the impact of abortion primarily on women, but also men and others. Have you or someone you know been affected by Abortion? There are some wonderful organisations that can help you. Here are three <u>rachelsvineyard.org.uk</u>, giannacare.ie, archtrust.org.uk

<u>Annual Mass on the Grass</u> will be celebrated this Sunday 18 June 2023 at 12pm on the pitch at St Joseph's GAC, subject to the weather. All parishioners are welcome.

<u>Society for the Protection of Unborn Children A</u> massive thank you to all of those who donated so generously to the collection in aid of the Society for the Protection of Unborn Children. The grand total was a huge  $\pounds$ 711.33. May God bless you all abundantly for your generosity.

<u>Annual Blessing of the Graves.</u> **St Joseph's**, Sunday 25/06/23 @ 3.00pm, **St James** Sunday 2/07/23 @ 3.00pm, **Crumlin Cemetery** Sunday 2/07/23 @ 4.15pm **Please bring a small container with holy water to bless your grave.** 

**<u>Trocaire Lenten Campaign</u>** The total collection this year was £4,634. Thank you for your generosity.

As in previous years the Crumlin Youth for Christ team will be hosting a weeklong event for young people, from Saturday 29th July to Sunday 6th August. They will be involved in a week of outreach to young people in Crumlin and running a Bible Club for children in the morning. The team of 8 will require meals throughout their stay in Crumlin. They would be very grateful if volunteers from the local churches would use their gifts of hospitality (which have been a real blessing) and cook dinner for the team. This could then be delivered to St. John's Halls on the Lurgan Road where they will eat each night. If anyone is able to help, can you please confirm with the Parish Office as soon as possible.

<u>CCTV Camera's</u> Please be aware that St Joseph's Church and graveyard are monitored by CCTV.

Saint Vincent De Paul—Crumlin Conference (St James) 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.

<u>Adoration</u> Can you spare 1 hour for your church. Please contact the parish office to leave your name and telephone number.

	PARISH DRAW 2023—24, Week 7
Winner £100	Kathleen McCormick ( <i>Glenavy)</i>
Winner £50	George Grant <i>(Glenavy)</i>
	Congratulations to the Winners

**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:**<u>anne.ohagan@familycaresociety.org</u> **Website:** <u>www.familycaresociety.co.uk</u> Thank You

<u>Web Camera's</u> 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: <u>www.churchservices.tv/stjosephglenavy</u> or <u>www.chuchservices.tv/materdeicrumlin</u>. The webcams 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.

**Glenavy and Killead Baptism Preparation** The Parish Baptism preparation team are seeking volunteers to <u>help</u> 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.

**Enrolment of the Pope John Paul II Award Group**. If you are aged 16/17, year 13/14 and are interested in joining JPII, please contact Brenda Gallagher on 07928979292 **Making your offering to the church** Parishioners are encouraged to make donations to the parish either by using the parish envelopes or by means of bank transfer. It is of great benefit to the parish when we can record donations so that gift aid can be daimed, if applicable. If you would like to donate using envelopes, please contact the parish office. Alternatively, 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 relevant 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 Canon McBride.

**Sanctuary lamp intentions:** A Sanctuary Lamp burns for a week in each of our two 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.