

**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 (2<sup>nd</sup> Tues each mth) 7.30 – 9.30pm, **WEDNESDAY** Friendship group (55+) 10.30 – 1pm, Yoga 6 – 7pm & 7 – 8pm, **SPRED** 7pm—8.30pm (07774843929 for more information) DR Jive 8 – 10pm, **THURSDAY** Pilates 10am, 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 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 [stclareshallbooking@hotmail.com](mailto:stclareshallbooking@hotmail.com) **THIS MONTH'S WHIST IN ST. CLARE'S COMMUNITY HALL** will be on **Friday 30th June at 7.30pm**. Scorecards are £5 (including refreshments) everyone welcome. **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 SERVICES** : 40a Glenavy Road, Crumlin. Punctures repairs, Wheel Balancing, Wheel Alignment, Bries, General Service, & repairs Tel:94423113.  
**REGISTERED CHILD MINDER AVAILABLE**, After schools' collection from Ballymacricket P.S. Tel 07713 489575

**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 Accueil 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](mailto:lourdes@downandconnor.org) visit: [www.downandconnor.org/lourdes](http://www.downandconnor.org/lourdes)

**Last remaining places for special Belfast Pilgrimage to the Holy Land at Christmas 2023** ex Dublin. Taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Nazareth, Dead Sea, Sea of Galilee, Last Supper Room, Garden of Gethsemane and Mount of Olives. Full day in Bethlehem on Christmas Day. Contact James Treacy 0035361921470 [jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com](mailto:jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com)

**Singing For Boys 2023 Monday 14 August – Friday 18 August** St Dominic's Grammar School, Falls Road, Belfast. This course is aimed at boys aged 8–16 who want to improve their singing voice and musical skills. Two groups across the week. Morning sessions will be for younger boys (8–12) and afternoon sessions for boys 11–16 who already have some experience singing. The scheme is an excellent entry point into the Schola boys' choir. For more information Contact James McConnell [schola@downandconnor.org](mailto:schola@downandconnor.org)

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



**TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**25 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](mailto:glenavy@downandconnor.org)  
Parish Website: [glenavyandkillleadparish.com](http://glenavyandkillleadparish.com)  
[www.facebook.com/glenavyandkillleadparish](http://www.facebook.com/glenavyandkillleadparish)  
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**PATHWAYS TO THE FUTURE**

*"Do not be afraid!" (Matthew 10:26)*

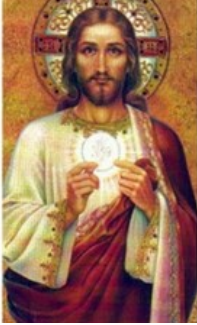


This is a time of major change – politically, economically, socially, and within our Church. Change can be unsettling and even a little frightening, especially when it impacts on something that we love, cherish, and rely upon, like our parish communities and how we celebrate our faith. Over recent weeks, we have heard about changes that are coming to our parishes and Diocese. Changes in the number of priests in active ministry in years to come, changes in how our parishes will work together in new families of parishes, changes in the active role that lay people will play working alongside our clergy in new ministries, leadership roles and the management of our parishes. The Holy Spirit is moving within these changes, and Jesus is calling each one of us to renew and to rebuild His Church. As Bishop Donal McKeown said in his Pastoral Letter at Pentecost, *"The Spirit which acted with such unexpected force and fulness in Pentecost is the same Spirit we can call upon and put our entire trust in today."*

The Pathways to the Future team is concluding its initial planning work. Further information about our new Families of Parishes, lay ministries, and new ways for our lay people and clergy to work together in the service of God and each other will be shared through a series of events across the Diocese in the autumn. This will be the start of ongoing conversations that will continue within parishes and across parishes as we start to build our new parish families. As Bishop McKeown said at Pentecost, *"Together we can renew and rebuild the Church. Together, we can become part of God's amazing dream for ourselves and for the whole of creation. Like the disciples at Pentecost, let us embrace the future with confidence and hope."* In doing so, let us hear Jesus' voice as He continues to tell each of us "Do not be afraid".

**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

26 June — 2 July Mass Intentions			
	St Joseph's	Mater Dei	St James
Mon	9.30am Communion Service		Mon Adoration 7.00pm-8.00pm
Tue		7.00pm Maureen McMenemy (Anniv) The Deceased members of the Gallagher & Early Families <b>Rosary</b> at 6.30pm <b>Divine Mercy Chaplet</b> 7.30pm <b>Adoration</b> 7.30pm - 8.30pm	
Wed		9.30am P.I. <b>Adoration</b> 10.00am -12.00pm	
Thurs	9.30am Kathleen Byrne (Anniv) In Honour of Our Lady Of Perpetual Succour <b>Adoration</b> 7pm—9.00pm		<b>Feumore Mass Centre</b>  <b>Sun Adoration</b> 6.30pm—7.30pm
Fri	9.30am James Rafferty (1st Anniv) 6.00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation		Divine Mercy Chaplet, Chaplet for Holy Souls & Rosary afterwards starts at 6.15pm
Sat		6.00pm P.P.	
Sun	9.30am Mary Mulholland (Anniv) Joe Mooney (Anniv) 12.00pm Malachy Nelson & Charlie Morgan (Anniv)	10.45am Seamus Loney & Paul Loney (Anniv) Helena, Patrick & Bridget McPeake (Anniv)	<b>Mon Adoration</b> 11.00am—12.00pm

**Recently Deceased** Gerard McClinton (*The Whins*)

**Anniversaries** John Doone (1st), Baby Conall Moore, James Rafferty (1st), Colin Walsh, Imelda Shephard, Liam Boylan, Kathleen Nelson, Peter McCloskey, Chris McCloskey, Sam McAreavey, Maureen McMenemy, Kathleen Byrne, Michael Thomas McKeever, William Lewsley, Kevin Nelson, Margaret McCann, Eugene McPeake,

**Sanctuary Lamp** Special Intention, Kevin Biesty

**Baptisms** We welcome to God's family Katie O'Neill, Casey Damian O'Neill, Rory Carson

**Annual Blessing of the Graves 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.**

**Lourdes Collection** The total church door collection to support the Lourdes Pilgrimage was £1,205. 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.

**CCTV Camera's** 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.

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

**Enrolment of the Pope John Paul II Award Group.** If you are aged 16/17, year 13/14 and are interested in joining JP II, 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 claimed, 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.

<b>Collections 18/06/23</b>		
Weekly Offering: £2,545	Pope's Collection:	£1,016
<b>Thank you for your generosity</b>		

<b>PARISH DRAW 2023—24, Week 8</b>	
Winner £100	Kathleen Mulholland ( <i>Glenavy</i> )
Winner £50	Peter Rodgers ( <i>Glenavy</i> )
<b>Congratulations to the Winners</b>	

**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

**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](http://www.churchservices.tv/stjosephglenavy) or [www.churchservices.tv/materdeicrumlin](http://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.

**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.