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St. Joseph's GAC: Lotto Results Thursday 6 July 2023. Winning Numbers; 11-13-19-20. Jackpot £1,800 No Jackpot winner. 3 Number winners, none; Lucky Dips Danny Trowlen, Damien Ayre, Angela Campbell. Next week's Jackpot is worth £1,900. The members of St Joseph's GAC thank you for your support.

ST CLARE'S HALL, WHAT'S ON?—TUESDAY Book Club (2nd Tues each mth) 7.30 – 9.30pm, **WEDNESDAY SPRED** 7pm—8.30pm (07774843929 for more information), DR Jive 8 – 10pm, **THURSDAY** Bingo 8 – 9.30pm, **FRIDAY** Coffee Morning 10 – 11am. **Also available for private, community & business functions, including birthday parties, fund raisers and funeral** Contact 07517779334 or stclarehallbooking@hotmail.com

Italian Supper Night in St Clare's Hall Glenavy on Friday 28th July at 7.30pm. £12.50 per person with all proceeds to NI Hospice. Contact Margaret to book your place on 07517 779334.

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

The Glenavy Branch of the Apostolic Work are organising a one-day Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine on Sunday 13 August 2023. The bus will leave St Joseph's Church, Glenavy at 8am and will return there in the evening. Price £35 per person. If you would like more information or to book a seat, please contact 02894 422852 or 077 6479 7963.

Young Adult Catholic Conference - Saturday August 19th & Sunday 20th 2023 Under Mary's Mantle' is a conference on faith and culture for young adults (18-35) with talks, prayer, Mass, Confession, workshops, food and social in the historic. All Hallows campus, DCU, Dublin. 2 day ticket (Saturday & Sunday) – €60 Day rates – Saturday €40; Sunday €30 STUDENTS get a 10% discount – contact deusetpatria@gmail.com for discount code. There is a limited amount of accommodation available in DCU, contact deusetpatria@gmail.com or call 085 144 2423 for rates and more information.

You are invited! Archbishop Eamon Martin will celebrate Mass at Slane on August 6th as part of a Light the Fire rosary/healing service on World Youth Day. Sr Brieghe McKenna will lead the healing service while Eurovision's Dana who will sing her new song for St Patrick which recalls how our patron saint lit the fire of faith on Slane in 433AD. All welcome 12:15-4:30pm. More info: hillofslaneaugust6@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



Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary time 9 July 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**
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Parish Website: glenavyandkillleadparish.com
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A member of Lisburn Pastoral Community

A TIME FOR REST

The invitation of Jesus to find peace in his presence is one of the most popular of his sayings. He is contrasting his message with the burdensome law, which somehow had lost the heart of religion, over-emphasising the externals of laws and rituals. He is not devaluing laws and rituals but putting them in their place. He offers an invitation that everyone can hear; and at many times of life, we really need to hear it. These may be times of illness, bereavement, anxiety, depression and/or worry. It is an invitation to come into his presence, which is a loving presence. It's not just an invitation to enjoy a restful time, but to rest in the presence of love.

Any notion we have of Jesus that is harsh is false: he is 'gentle and humble in heart'. This is the atmosphere he asks us all to spread. 'Once you have received the refreshment and comfort of Christ, we are called in turn to become refreshment and comfort for our brothers and sisters, with a meek and humble attitude, in imitation of the Master' (Pope Francis, July 2014).

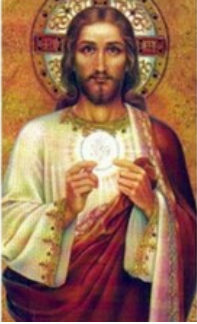
The church is a place of rest for the weary; the place where we find encouragement in the ordinary situations in our lives, where we are called to respond to those who suffer through poverty, homelessness and many other unjust social situations that are part of our world, near and far.

*Recall last week where you needed to hear these words,
or met someone else who needed to hear them, maybe through you.
Speak to the Lord in your own words.
Take into your hands, Lord, the burdens in my life;
help me to trust in you.*

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Parish Office will be closed on 12th & 13th July 2023.

10 July – 16 July Mass Intentions

	St.Joseph's	Mater Dei	
Mon	No Communion Service		
Tue		7.00pm No Mass	
Wed		9.30am Peter McAreavey (Anniv) Adoration 10.00am -12.00pm	
Thurs	9.30am P.I. Adoration 7pm—9.00pm		
Fri	9.30am P.I. 6.00pm		
Sat		5.30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation 6.00pm Charlie McErlean (1st Anniv)	
Sun	9.30am Helen Mulholland (Anniv) In Honour of Our Lady of Mount Carmel 12.00pm Paul McLernon (1st Anniv)	10. 45am P.P.	

Feumore Mass Centre

Sun Adoration

6.30pm—7.30pm

Divine Mercy Chaplet,
Chaplet for Holy Souls
& Rosary afterwards
starts at 6.15pm

Mon Adoration

11.00am—12.00pm

Recently Deceased Louise Maguire (*Crumlin*), Cecelia Walsh (*Glenavy*), Imelda Heatley (*formerly Glenavy*)

Months Mind Cathal O'Brien, Maura Connolly, Robert Laverty

Anniversaries Charlie McErlean (1st), Paul McLernon (1st) Brendan Devereux, Christopher Devereux, Anne Nelson, Tommy Wilkinson, Betty Brankin, Seamus Mulholland, Peter McAreavey, Helen Mulholland. .

Collections 02/07/23

Weekly Offering: £2,626
Monthly Offering £2,081

St James' Graveyard Collection:
£1,219

Thank you for your generosity

PARISH DRAW 2023—24, Week 10

Winner £500 Anne McCauley (Aldergrove)
Winner £100 Angela Hughes (Glenavy)
Winner £50 John Shepherd (Glenavy)

Congratulations to the Winners

CCTV Camera's Please be aware that St Joseph's Church and graveyard and Mater Dei Church and grounds are monitored by CCTV.

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.

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.

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. If you are interested in participating, please contact the Parish Office and leave your contact details. 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 or www.chuchservices.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 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.

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

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.

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