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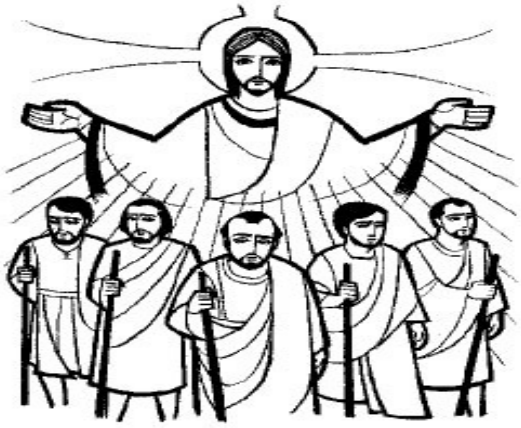
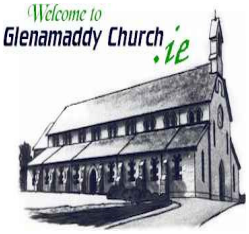


First Sunday of Lent
Sunday 5th March 2017



Fr. Paddy Mooney PP
Phone (094) 9659017
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Church Radio
106.6 FM

Sunday 5th March

Sun 10.30am	Tom Conneally, Woodfield—Month's Mind. Shane Giblin, Cashel —1st anniv. John Glynn & decd. Glynn family, Leitra. David Brick, Stoolpark,

Weekdays

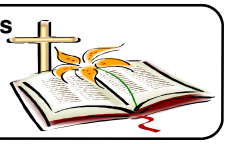
Tues 7pm	Private intention.
Thurs 7.30am	Private intention
WILLIAMSTOWN	Wednesday & Friday @ 9.30am

Sunday 12th March

Sun 10.30am	Margaret Kelly, Birmimgham & Derrymore—Month's Mind. John Comer, Cashel. Paddy Concagh, Stonetown & decd Concagh & Kearney families.

Please pray for Patricia Colleran, Ballintubber sister of Tommy & Bill Ward & Mary Potter and their uncle Tommy Coyne, England and Eileen De Michele (nee Mannion) Lisheen sister of Teresa Comer who died in Boston during the week.

Next Sunday's Readings
1st Reading— Gen 12:1-4
2nd Reading—2 Tm 1:8-10
Gospel—Mt 17:1-9



MASSES AND PRIESTS IN OUR CLUSTER AREA OF GLENAMADDY

Saturday	**Williamstown**	**7.00pm**
	Garrafrauns	**7.30pm**
	Clonberne	**8pm**
Sunday	**Kiltevna**	**10.00am**
	Glenamaddy	**10.30am**
	Kilkerrin	**11am**
	Dunmore	**11.30am**

Fr. Paddy Mooney (094) 9659017

Fr. Fergal Cunnane (093) 38124

Fr. Tommie Commins (094) 9659212

PARISH BAPTISMAL DATES: Saturday 11th March @ 4pm. Sunday 9th April at 12 noon, Saturday 13th May @ 4pm. Attendance at a Baptism meeting by the parents is necessary and these meetings will take place the Wednesday before the Baptism. Also a copy of your child's Birth Certificate is required and two weeks notice. To book your child's Baptism please phone (087) 2805241.

CHURCH INCOME LAST WEEKEND €843

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL, GLENAMADDY helpline (086) 8364866.

GLENAMADDY BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP is a parish based group ministry whose aim is to help those bereaved and grieving. If at any time you feel a need to talk we are here to listen. Our contact number is (087) 6663734.

Adoration every Monday 9am-12 noon & 6pm-10pm (except Bank Holidays)
Divine Mercy Devotions at 3pm every Friday.
Padre Pio Devotions 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7.30pm.
Marriage and Family Life Adoration 2nd day of each month 7pm-8pm.
Our Lady of Fatima Prayer Service 1st Saturday of the month at 11am.

Prayer for my Future

Lord, there are many things in my life that I do not understand.
So many questions about the future that I need to ask.
What is your plan for me?
What is the work You want me to do?
All I really know is that You love me.
Show me the road you want me to walk- to
Fulfilment, to happiness, to holiness.
And because you are calling me to a life of service,
Give me the strength to say 'Yes'
And the grace to begin even now to prepare myself
For the challenge of a life spent in Your service.
Help me to care for people.
I ask this in Jesus' name
Amen

Thank you

To everyone involved in our parish's initiative of our 'Drive Thru' for Ash Wednesday on Wednesday last. It was truly a reverent, respectful and prayerful occasion.

Our Lenten Petitions box is placed on the Church grounds. If you have an intention please put it into the box. This box is accessible 24 hours a day. All intentions are private and will be prayed for at our Lenten Masses.

Trocaire Boxes available after Mass

PARISH OFFICE open on Mondays and Fridays 10am-12pm. Please use the office during these hours to book Masses, Baptisms, Weddings or all general enquiries and to enquire about records. Please telephone (094) 9659017 or email newsletter@glenamaddychurch.ie. Deadline for newsletter 10am on Friday mornings. Mass cards available during office hours.

JUNIOR CHOIR practice this Monday from 5pm-6pm in the Church.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY every Sunday morning during 10.30am Mass for all children from Junior, Senior and First classes.

NEW DAWN diocesan magazine for sale in the porch for only €4. Some of our parish activities in this issue.

COMMUNION CALLS on Wednesday at the usual times.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A PERMANENT DEACON IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF TUAM? The Archdiocese of Tuam is now accepting applications from married and single men who may feel called to ministry as Permanent Deacons. The four year part-time training programme will begin in Autumn 2017. For further information or a conversation around the topic, please contact the Director of the Permanent Diaconate by email: stephenfarragher@gmail.com. Additional information is available in the Vocation section on the diocesan website: www.tuamarchdiocese.org. The next intake of candidates will be in 2021.

GLENAMADDY ARTS AND HISTORICAL SOCIETY will hold its AGM in Glenamaddy Town Hall Theatre on March 9th at 9pm.We look forward to seeing everyone. New members always welcome.

GENTS GAA: Our Club Social and dinner took place on Saturday night last. Congratulations to our minor team and management who were presented with their North Board and County medals, to Cormac Haslam and Sean Raftery on their success with the county minor team. We thank Padraig Kelly, Terence Morgan and Shay Walsh for making the presentations. Luke Conneally was named Player of the Year and was a deserving winner. He received the Keith Davis Memorial Trophy and the club would sincerely like to thank the Davis family for donating the trophy in his memory. Thank you to Raftery's Oakland and Bill Haugh. The club would like to thank our main sponsor Glenman Corporation, Fr. Mooney and everyone that sponsored prizes. Our Intermediate team lost to St. Gabriel's in the Cahill Cup. Lotto Reps for March, Tony Molloy, Pat Collins and Tommy Ward. Glenamaddy GAA would like to sympathise with the Colleran, Ward and Potter families on the death of Patricia Colleran.

100 VOICE CHOIR in Dunmore Church on Sat 25 March at 8pm Tickets €15 and are available from Bridie Devane on 086 0853918.

GLENAMADDY CLUBS' LOTTO No jackpot winner in last Wednesday's draw, numbers drawn were 17,25,26,29. 5 matched 2 numbers and share €100. Next Wed's Lotto Jackpot will be €9,600

GLENAMADDY BINGO on Wed nights in the Community Centre at 8.30pm. €1,200 in prize money including €500 jackpot.

GLENAMADDY BOYOUNAGH HERITAGE second hand book sale after Mass 17 March in the lunchroom. Refreshments served. Books still being collected. Please call to the office to look over family information being prepared for the Heritage Book.

GRINDS Maths, Business, Accounting , LCVP & Ag. Science. Contact: 087-6222147

Please Keep Our Parish Tidy

LENTEN CALENDAR

This Lent you are invited to pray with a line of God's Word each week and to express that Word in action each day….

1st Sun of Lent:	**Your ways, Lord, are faithfulness and love.**
Mon:	Thank God for the gift of love in your life, wherever you find it.
Tues:	Pray for those who have forgotten how to love.
Wed:	Fast from jealousy—love the giftedness in others.
Thurs:	Remember those who have been betrayed
Fri.	Let your prayer be for the ones who live in sadness and loss.
Sat:	Be a loving presence to all you meet today.

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Humour: A recent study has shown that women who carry a little extra weight live longer than men who mention it!