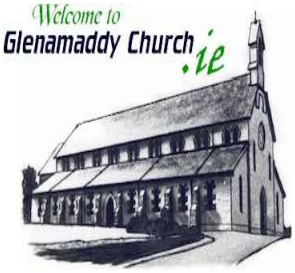
Glenamaddy Parish Newsletter

The Fourth Sunday of Lent



St. Patrick's Church
Sunday 15th March 2026
Fourth Sunday of Lent (Laetare Sunday)

Fr Anthaiah Pudota PP
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Church Radio 106.4 FM

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Saturday 14th March	
7.00pm	Killian & Conor Moran, Cloonminda. Thomas Keaveney, Ballymoe Road. Patrick Concagh & decd of the Concagh family, Stonetown. Mícheál Molloy, Ballinlass & Galway. Michael & Evelyn Walsh & decd of the Walsh & O'Brien families, Middle-town & Michael Blighe & decd family members, Cashel.

Weekdays	
Tues 10.00am	St Patrick's Day

Saturday 21st March	
7.00pm	Del Brosnan (née Slattery) Lisheen & Birmingham. Bridget & Bill Ryan & decd of the Ryan family, Tipperary.

MASSES AND PRIESTS IN OUR CLUSTER AREA OF GLENAMADDY 2026

Saturday	**Glenamaddy**	**7.00pm**
	Garrafrauns	**7.30pm**
	Clonberne	**7.30pm**
Sunday	**Kiltevna**	**10am**
	Williamstown	**10.30am**
	Kilkerrin	**11am**
	Dunmore	**11.30am**

Fr Anthaiah Pudota (094) 9643774

Fr. Fergal Cunnane (093) 38124

Fr. Tommie Commins (094) 9659212

PARISH BAPTISMS 2026: A copy of your child's Birth Certificate is required and two weeks notice. To book your child's Baptism please phone (094) 9659962 during office hours. Baptisms will be the first Saturday of the month at 11.00am in Glenamaddy Church & first Sunday of the month after Mass at 11.30am in Williamstown church.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL, DUNMORE helpline (086) 4169828
ADORATION every Monday except Bank holidays in the Convent house 9am-12 noon. 6pm-10pm.

THIS WEEK: SUNDAY COLLECTION 07/03/26: € 1,115.00
CANDELABRA: € 210.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Thank you for your donations so far toward our heating fund. Your support keeps our parish warm and welcoming. We kindly ask for your continued support as we work to meet our ongoing needs. **Donations so far €1,140.00.**

In March
Readers: Mary Worrell, Grace Brosnan.
Eucharist Ministers: Mary Fahy, Mattie Potter, Rosie Duffy.
Prayers of the faithful: 7th & 14th Eoghan Giblin, 21st & 28th Padraic Raftery.
Basket collectors: Jimmy Donnellan, Grace Brosnan, John Connelly.
Flower arrangements: Sinead Shanks.
Counters: Gerry Tully, Helen Mannion.

Lord, open our eyes this Lent so that we may recognise your light already shining in our lives.

MASS in Williamstown this week:
Tuesday Mass at 11.30am
Sunday Mass at 10.30am

While Fr Anthaiah is on holiday, the following priests have kindly agreed to provide cover for emergencies & funerals in Fr Anthaiah's absence.
Fr Tommie Commins 094 9659212 (086 8272078)
Fr Fergal Cunnane 093 38124 (087 6699588)

PARISH OFFICE is open to the public. Parishioners who wish to book Masses, require Mass cards or have any other query are asked to please call or phone the office (094) 9659962, office opening times are:
Glenamaddy Office, 10am-12 noon Tuesday, Thursday & Friday, Williamstown Office 10am-12 noon Wednesday.
Office Tel: (094) 9643774
Queries, Mass bookings and Notices for the newsletter can be emailed to glenamaddychurch@gmail.com.
Deadline for notices is 10am on Friday morning.

LATIN MASS: The next Latin Mass will take place on Monday April 12th 2026, at 6pm, in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel Knock.

CHILDREN'S ROSARY AND EUCHARISTIC ADORATION on Thursday, 19th March at 5:30 - 6:15 pm in the Apparition Chapel, Knock Shrine. For children and teens of all ages. Everyone is welcome to join in prayer. Under 18's must be accompanied by a parent or guardian at all times. For any questions: 087 2299 623. Website: www.ChildrensRosary.org

A YOUTH 2000 DAY RETREAT takes place on April 25th at Knock Shrine, Co. Mayo. Youth 2000 provides an opportunity for young people (16-35) to develop their relationship with God, learn more about the Catholic faith & meet other young people through a structured retreat programme. Talks, testimonies & games. Donation only. Check out Youth2000.ie to register or contact connaught@youth2000.ie for more information.

DAFFODIL DAY FUNDRAISER: Central Park Nursing Home, Clonberne will host a special Daffodil Day fundraising event in aid of cancer support services on Friday morning, March 20th, from 10.30am to 12.30pm. Daffodils and Daffodil Day pins will be available for purchase in the morning, with all proceeds going towards this very worthy cause. The event promises to be a lively community gathering, with several staff members bravely volunteering to have their hair and beards trimmed during the event to help raise additional funds.

GLENAMADDY COMMUNITY CENTRE BINGO: Bingo every Wednesday night at 8.30pm in the Community Centre. Jackpot of €500. Refreshments served.

GLENAMADDY WEEKLY LOTTERY DRAW
This weeks Jackpot €20,000, Jackpot for 4 correct numbers/shared. €100 for 3 correct numbers/shared.
Last week's results: 1, 3, 12, 31
Jackpot Winner: NO WINNER
Match 3 Winners : Mary Pettit, Brendan O'Shea, Mary & Jean Morgan
Draw takes place every Wednesday night.

GLENAMADDY 62nd ANNUAL THEATRE FESTIVAL: Friday 20th of March - Saturday 28th of March in Glenamaddy Town Hall Theatre!
Have you your ticket(s) booked?
TICKETS AVAILABLE for Friday 20th, Saturday 21st, Sunday 22nd, Monday 23rd, Wednesday 25th and Thursday 26th, the following Nights are SOLD OUT Tuesday 24th, Friday 27th & Saturday 28th.
GENERAL TICKETS (€18 + booking fee) available to buy online via link below.
www.glenamaddydrama.ie/booking
Any issues, please DM, email glenamaddydrama@gmail.com or call 0862045896 (Mon - Fri, 10am - 1pm) and we will get back to you.

GLENAMADDY PLAYERS: Congratulations to Glenamaddy Players on winning 2 festivals along with best director/actress/actor awards so far this circuit run, more results this weekend! EXTRA DATE...they will perform 'CHAPATTI' By Christian O'Reilly and directed by Coman Keaveny in Glenamaddy Town Hall Theatre on Friday 3rd of April (Good Friday Night) at 8pm ... ONLINE BOOKING via Eventbrite https://bit.ly/46oMlbx

WALDRON'S RAMBLING HOUSE will take place in Garvey's bar in Ballintubber, Co Roscommon on Sunday 15th March 2026 from 3-6pm. Join us and join in an afternoon of song, music, storytelling, poetry. A free community event. Light refreshments.

Glenamaddy St Patrick's Day Parade

Get ready for a fantastic day of community spirit, colour and fun!

Float entries welcome with prizes for:

Funny – 1st & Runner Up

Topical – 1st & Runner Up

Original – 1st & Runner Up

Cash prizes and trophies to be won!
Entries on the day from 11:45am

Parade starts 12:30 sharp

We are also looking for volunteers/stewards to help on the day. If you can lend a hand please come along and support the parade.
Let's make this year's parade the best yet, bring the family, dress in green and celebrate together!