

GLANMIRE PARISH



Pentecost Sunday

20th May 2018

St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church		
Mon. Friday 10.00 am	Thursday & Friday 9.20 am Sat. First Holy Communion 10.30 am		
Saturday Vigil 6 pm Sunday 9.00, 10.30; 12.00	Sunday 10.00 am		

St Joseph's Church Adoration Mon night $8.30~\mathrm{pm}-9.30~\mathrm{pm}$. Fri $10\mathrm{am}-10~\mathrm{pm}$ St Michael's Church Thursday $10~\mathrm{am}-\mathrm{Noon}$

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Lower your bucket - taste and see

More than a century ago, a great sailing ship was stranded off the coast of South America. Week after week the ship lay there in the still waters with not a hint of a breeze. The captain was desperate; the crew was dying of thirst. And then, on the far horizon, a steamship appeared, headed directly toward them. As it drew near, the captain called out, "We need water! Give us water!" The steamship replied, "Lower your buckets where you are." The captain was furious at this cavalier response but called out again, "Please, give us water." But the steamer gave the same reply, "Lower your buckets where you are!" And with that they sailed away! The captain was beside himself with anger and despair, and he went below. But a little later, when no one was looking, a yeoman lowered a bucket into the sea and then tasted what he brought up: It was perfectly sweet, fresh water! For you see,

the ship was just out of sight of the mouth of the Amazon. And for all those weeks they had been sitting right on top of all the fresh water they needed! What we are really seeking is already inside us, waiting to be discovered, waiting to be embraced: the Holy Spirit of God Who has been living within us from the moment of our Baptism. The Holy Spirit is saying to us at this very moment from deep in our heart, "Lower your buckets where you are."

Official opening of Glanmire Parish Centre by Canon Donal Linehan will take place on Friday, 25th May 7.30 pm. All welcome.

Annual Cork Eucharistic Procession will take place on Sunday 3rd June at 4 pm.

Off 13 th 2 nd Coll.	St Joseph's	€1,109	St Michael's	€234	Total €1,343
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2nd Collection next weekend is for The World Meeting of Families.

Retreat Day Saturday 26th May 10 am to 5 pm Sisters of the Bons Secours Convent, College Road. Booking essential. Contact eavopost@gmail.com

Annual Mass for the deceased in Caherlag graveyard on Fri 25th May at 7.30 pm.

Thank you from the Pastoral Development Office – Fr Charlie Kiely wishes to acknowledge your generosity to the annual collection taken up last weekend and looks forward to meeting many of you over the coming year at our various events in the diocese.

Buses will be arranged from Glanmire Parish to Dublin for Pope Francis Mass, Sunday 26th August. Cost €50 including meal. Name and deposit of €20 can be handed in to the office.

Donal O'Connell will represent Glanmire in the semi-final of the Over 60s on Sunday May 20th at 8pm in City Hall. Tickets €15 available from Seán O'Sullivan 086 8609924.

Cork Ecumenical Bible Week: Word Alive!

Choose from three informal bible studies hosted by different churches which will take up this theme by reflecting on a bible passage which is the Word alive for the local presenter. Tuesday May 22nd May, 7.30pm, RC Church of the Holy Cross, Mahon. *Mark* 7:24-31 The Enigma that is the Syrophoenician Woman with Rev Seán O'Sullivan. Wednesday May 23rd, 7.30pm, the Old Schoolhouse, St Michael's Church of Ireland, Blackrock. *Genesis* 22:1-18 The Sacrifice of Isaac" with Ms Florence Binions. Thursday May 24th, 7.30pm Cork Methodist

Church, Ardfallon. *Luke 8:1-3 Will the real Mary Magdalene stand up? with Rev Geraldine Gracie*. For further information contact Rev Seán O'Sullivan 087 2151894.

Annual Mass for the deceased in Kilquane cemetery Friday 1st June at 8.00 pm.

Sacred Heart Novena.

Sacred Heart Church, Western Road. 31st May to 8th June . Daily 10 am and 8 pm.