

St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church
Monday - Friday 10.00 am	Thurs & Fri 9.20 am
Saturday (Vigil) 6pm	
Sunday 9.00; 10.30, 12.00	Sunday 10.00 am

St Joseph's Church Adoration Monday night 8.30 pm – 9.30 pm. Fri 10am – 10pm. St Michael's Church Thursday 10 am – Noon

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Managing our differences

A spectrum of personality types exists in any parish and we'd better be aware of it if we intend working in the church. Such is the advice of Sr Karen Kent, Cork and Ross coordinator of parish development.

Among the types she depicted were the "do-er", the "should-er", the "express train-er", the "clown", the "negative-izer", the "gather-er", the "quiet one", the "strong determined", and the "ideas person". There's a place for each one but each must be managed.

The "doer" just does it. If it's tea you want, he's your man. The "should" person will tell you how a job should really be done. The express person will be out of the blocks immediately but will end up alone. The clown entertains, the laugh comes before all else.

Everything is wrong or inadequate for the negative person. Things are black if bad and grey is about as good as it gets. The gatherer collects every scrap of information, hoards it and releases it sparingly. The ideas person is the opposite to the doer. As an example, Garret Fitzgerald is reputed to have said, "it works in practice but does it work in theory?"

The quiet person is quiet, listens a lot and needs a lot of listening! The strong person steam-rolls everyone and then wonders where everyone is gone.

Each one has his or her strengths and weaknesses. The key is to know we are different, accept it and manage our differences. Apparently, if we can do that we'll have a fantastic group because it will be self propelling and self regulating. Add a dash of prayer and a splash of the Holy Spirit and the parish should be in good hands.

3rd talk on the Gospel of St John will take place in St Joseph's Church on Thurs 20th Nov. 8 to 9 pm. Speaker: Liam Long.

Annual Mass for the dead and bereaved will take place in St Joseph's Church on Tuesday 18th November at 7.30 pm.

Do this in Memory Mass

Saturday 22nd November New Inn NS – St Joseph's 6pm.

Sunday 23rd November St Michael's NS – St Michael's Upper Glanmire - 10 am.

Enrolment of Confirmation Class for St Joseph's School, Riverstown Sunday 23rd November at 10.30am Mass.

Youth 2000 Ireland will be hosting a youth day retreat in Ennismore Retreat Centre, on Saturday 22nd November 2014 from 10.30am to 6.00pm. The day will consist of inspirational talks, testimonies, prayer, music and a lot more. This is a great opportunity to find out what your faith is all about in a friendly atmosphere. For young people aged 16-35. www.youth2000.ie or call 086 3049843.

It is the time of year for the renewal of the offertory collection envelopes for 2015. We invite you to visit the table at the church door where the envelopes are available today.

2nd Collection today is for Marriage Support.

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Upper Glanmire Community Association AGM, Tues. Dec. 2nd 8.30 pm, Community Hall. All are welcome and encouraged to attend. Tel:087 9765317. St John Ambulance Glanmire Annual Fundraising Table Quiz will be held in Sarsfields GAA Pavillion, Riverstown, on Thurs 20th Nov at 8pm.

Family Race Night in aid of Community Gym Building Fund, Saturday November 22nd, Upper Glanmire Community Hall. €10 Adults, €5 Teenagers. Toastmasters meeting Radison Blu Hotel Nov 19th

May, 13 & 27.

Pre-Marriage Courses for 2015 - Saturday 7 February and Saturday 21 March

Medjugorje ex Cork May 27th to June 3rd 2015. €529.00 if booked and paid in full before 10th December 2014. €679 applies after these dates. Spiritual Director Fr. Pat O'Donaghue. Limited places available. Contact Group Leader: Seán O'Shaughnessy 086-2959380

Do this in Memory Mass 7th December St Joseph's NS – St Joseph's 10.30am. **Talks on Gospel of St John 27 Nov.**

Toastmasters

Dates for meetings are:

Dec, 3 & 17. Jan. 7 & 14. Feb, 4 & 18. Mar, 4 & 18. Apr, 1, 5 & 29.