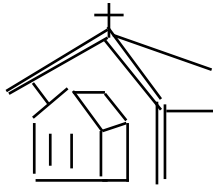


GLANMIRE PARISH

23rd November 2014

Feast of Christ the King



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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 Parish office open Tues. Wed. & Thurs. 10 am to 1 pm. Tel:4820654

Who really rules our lives?

Most people may not realize it, but the feast we celebrate this Sunday, the Feast of Christ the King, is a very new one on the church calendar. It was added by Pope Pius XI in 1925. He created this feast as a reaction against the prevailing attitudes of his day – a way to refute the growing threats of communism and secularism. Two “isms” that sought to make man, not God, the most powerful force in the world. Within a few years, of course, the world would have another “ism” to confront, Nazism – making this feast even more significant.

A century later, those threats have been replaced by others that tend to marginalize God—”isms” like materialism or relativism. But here and now, this feast still stands in defiance of our culture. And it stands before us as a challenge.

It asks us: “Who – or what — really rules our lives?” That’s a question we could spend all of Advent asking ourselves, and praying over. And maybe we should.

Final talk on the Gospel of St John will take place in St Joseph's Church on Thurs 27th Nov. 8 to 9 pm. Speaker: Liam Long.

Collection for Marriage Support amounted to €690.

16 th Nov	St Joseph's	1,290	St Michael's	181	Total €1,471
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2015 Offertory Envelopes can be collected from the office Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday next week.

Ennismore Retreat Centre: Mon Dec 1st: & Mon Dec 8th at 7.30pm- Two evenings with Tom Casey, OP - Reflection through slides and poems.
 Tel: 4502520 email: ennismore@eircom.net www.ennismore.ie

A new book on the famous Cork priest and author, Canon Sheehan of Doneraile will take place in the Aula Maxima in UCC on Thurs 27th Nov. at 5 pm. All welcome. Specially discounted copies of the book will be on sale on the night.

NAOMI 119, Patrick Street, Cork.

Pre-Marriage Courses for 2015 - Saturday 7 February and Saturday 21 March, to book telephone : 4272213.

Glanmire Community College are hosting a concert in celebration of Tomás Ó Canainn on Saturday 29th Nov at 8 pm. Tickets available from Pro Musica, Supervalu & Superpack Glanmire or Tadgh Lynch 087 2478630.

Sallybrook Active Retirement: A new group is being formed at Sallybrook, Glanmire. A meeting will take place in the G.A.A. Hall (Pike field), Sallybrook on Wed. 3rd Dec at 2.30pm. All welcome. For further information contact Moira 4866318.

Medjugorje ex Cork May 27th to June 3rd 2015. €529 if booked and paid in full before 10th December 2014. €679 applies after that date. Limited places available. Contact Group Leader: Seán O'Shaughnessy 086-2959380

Set of house keys were found in the church and can be collected from the sacristy.

The newsletter is now available to view on the website in the “Parish News” section of the home page.

Upper Glanmire Community Association AGM, Tues. Dec. 2nd 8.30 pm,
Community Hall. All are welcome and encouraged to attend. Tel:087 9765317.