

GLANMIRE PARISH

15th February, 2015





Wednesday 18th February is Ash Wednesday.

St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church	
Monday - Friday 10.00 am Wednesday 7.30 pm	Wednesday 9.20 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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Mass Times on Working Holy Days

Many of the traditional Church feast days – such as the Epiphany on 6th January, the Assumption on 15th August and the Immaculate Conception on 8th December – are now work days. For instance, schools no longer have "days off" to celebrate these feasts.

The Parish Pastoral Assembly has raised this new reality at recent meetings and has become aware of some implications for the parish and parishioners. The Assembly would encourage people to attend mass on these important feasts and makes a special appeal to schools to give pupils the possibility of attending mass. Eventhough it may not be possible for the

entire school to attend mass, the presence of some of the senior classes would be a good witness.

On working holidays, mass will be celebrated in Glanmire Parish at the following times: St Joseph's at 10am and 7.30pm and St Michael's at 11am. We trust this clear mass schedule will facilitate schools and parishioners the opportunity to attend mass on feast days that are also work days.

Spring Stations

Glanmire Court: at the home of John & Jane Ryan,11, Glanmire Drive on Friday 20th February at 8 pm. If you would like to host a station in your area please contact the parish office to arrange a booking.

The Grotto Committee are seeking new members to help in the care and maintenance of the Grotto. If interested please contact Denis 087.2977875 or Frank 087.7809295

'Trip of a Lifetime to the Holy Land' June 8 -18th 2015

Follow in the footsteps of Jesus from the Sea of Galilee to Jerusalem. Group leader Mícheál de Barra and Spiritual Director Fr John Newman. For more information contact Mícheál at 086-8337681

Ennismore Retreat Centre

Feb 26th at 7pm: Ennismore and Waterstones present free session on mindfulness in Waterstones bookstore. April 28th 7.30pm The Art of Discernment and Spiritual AwarenessMay 8th - 10th "Wellness Weekend" - Meditation, Mindful Movement, talks on health/nutrition and stress release, spirituality, holistic living. Booking is essential tel:4502520 or e-mail – ennismore@eircom.net

St. Vincent de Paul would like to thank all who contributed to their collections Carol singing €869.10, Jan collection €1,509.20 and Feb collection €1,274.38.

The Matt Talbot Mass and Novena prayers will take place at 7.30p.m. in **The Way of the Cross Church, Togher** on Thursday 19th February and will run for the 6 Thursdays of Lent. The celebrant and preacher for the first night is Rev. Fr. John Walsh, Adm. Church of the Resurrection, Farranree. Organised by Cork Regional Pioneer Council.

4th Jan	St Joseph's	1,420	St Michael's	172	€1,592
6 th Jan	St Joseph's	574	St Michael's	63	€637
11 th Jan	St Joseph's	1,801	St Michael's	160	€1,961
18 th Jan	St Joseph's	1,607	St Michael's	166	€1,773
25 th Jan	St Joseph's	1,610	St Michael's	197	€1,807
1st Feb	St Joseph's	1,576	St Michael's	155	€1,731
8th Feb	St Joseph's	1,535	St Michael's	178	€1,713

Diocesan Quarterly Collection amounted to €1,047. Lourdes Invalid Collection amounted to €1,173.