

GLANMIRE PARISH

19 July, 2015





St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church
Mon - Fri10.00 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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St James the Apostle – July 25th

Saint James, the son of Zebedee and Salome, and the brother of John the 'beloved disciple', was one of the twelve apostles. He and his brother were mending their nets when they answered the call to follow Jesus. By ancient tradition he preached the gospel in the Iberian Peninsula (present day Spain and Portugal). He was executed by Herod Agrippa, probably the first of the apostles to be martyred.

A story goes that his remains were transported miraculously back to Compostels, in Galicia, in Spain and are now in the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela.

There are records of pilgrimage to Santiago de Compostela from as far back as the 10th Century. It was one of the most important pilgrimage destinations during the Middle Ages, along with Rome and Jerusalem. Many

different routes, known as the Camino de Santiago de Compostela, remain enormously popular to this day. Over two hundred thousand people reached Santiago last year. The majority travel by foot.

As we celebrate the Feast of St James the Apostle next Saturday, let's remember all who are walking the Camino this year.

When on a summer's morn By William Henry Davies

When on a summer's morn I wake, And open by two eyes, Out to the clear, born-singing rills My beard-like spirit flies.

To hear the Blackbird, Cuckoo, Thrush, Or any bird in song: And common leaves that hum all day Without a throat or tongue.

And when Time strike the hour for sleep, Back in my room alone, My heart has many a sweet bird's song – And one that's all my own.

William Henry Davies was born in Wales. He had a hard life, spending much of his early years homeless in the UK and in the USA. In 1911 he published his first book of Poetry. His most famous poem is called 'Leisure'.

Youth 2000 Summer Festival August 13th-16th, Cistercian College, Roscrea.

For young people aged 16-35, an opportunity not to be missed to experience the Catholic faith and meet many new people. This Festival has been nicknamed the "Holy Oxygen" with over 1000 young people from all corners of Ireland attending last year. The festival is donation only. For more information and to book on line See www.youth2000.ie or tel: 01 6753690. Free buses available from all around Ireland.

SMA Pilgrimage to Lourdes 17th – 22nd September. Flight from Cork.

Priest Leader: Fr Hugh B Harkin SMA. For further information contact Fr Hugh B Harkin, SMA Blackrock Road, Cork tel: 021 4292871.

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