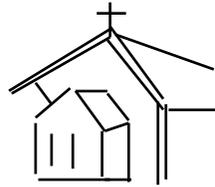


GLANMIRE PARISH

29th January 2017



Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church
Mon – Fri 10.00 am 1 st Sat. Devotions 9.45 Mass 10 am	Thursday & Friday 9.20 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 pm – 9.30 pm. Fri 10am – 10 pm.

St Michael's Church Thursday 10 am – Noon

The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed at 3 pm Friday in St Joseph's Church.

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To Preach Jesus Christ

Recently Pope Francis noted that we are not called to preach the Church, but to preach Jesus Christ. There are norms and rules which derive from Christ himself and these we cannot change. There is also an internal culture by which we can establish our own norms and rules and culture and which tempt us to remain an inward looking Church, with all the right religious words but without hearts which reaches out.

Today we have in the Church some who are so possessed with a narrow cultural framework that they allow their own spiritual insufficiency and need for security to become dominant. They feel that norms and rules offer them security when in fact they became prisoners of their own insecurity and loose the freedom and the daring

which springs from true faith and which is needed to witness to the care of Jesus Christ.

There are even some who feel that the only way they can conserve the Church is through a rigid regime of rules and norms even if this narrowness can paralyse them from reaching out beyond their small-mindedness or at times nastiness. The saving power of Jesus cannot be subordinated to our human interpretation.”

- extract from Archbishop Diarmuid Martin's *Ad Limina* homily on 18 Jan 2017.

SPRING STATIONS

Crush: at the home of Dermot & Judith Whooley on 10th February at 8 pm.
 Ballyphilip West: at the home of Martin & Sue Kelleher on Fri. 17th Feb at 8 pm.
 If you would like to host a Station Mass in your area please contact the office.

St Joseph's Church Adult Choir are looking for new members. Contact Margaret 086-8532907.

Parish Catechist Course

On Saturday 28th January 38 people began the Maryvale Certificate in Catechesis – the Pastoral Development together with Bishop John Buckley wish to say thank you to the parishes who promoted the training, encouraged parishioners to participate and then sponsored their studies. We ask you to remember them in your prayers as they begin this two year course in preparation to be commissioned as Parish Catechists. It is all part of our ministry towards training lay people for greater involvement in the life of their parish communities.

Offertory Coll.	St Joseph's	€1,439	St Michael's	€222	€1,661
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Graded course for Cantors and Church Musicians

Taught in Cork in February 2017 by Dominican priest, Fergus Ryan, a Cork native but living and teaching liturgy in Rome. Emphasis on understanding the liturgy, leading congregations to gently sing the liturgy with their priest. For further details, consult the course blog and facebookpage: CantorCourse.blogspot.com & [facebook.com/CantorCourse](https://www.facebook.com/CantorCourse) or fergusryanop@gmail.com.

1st Fri 3rd/1st Sat 4th Feb Vigil of Adoration and Reparation at The Church of the Real Presence, Curraheen. 8 pm Rosary, 9.30 pm 1st Fri Mass and midnight 1st Sat.Mass. Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be present. All welcome.

St John Ambulance Glanmire will commence a First Aid Course on Mon. 20th February 2017 from 7.30-9.30pm. The course will run for 7 weeks. Cost €100 Course places are limited to a maximum of 20. Please email glanmire@stjohn.ie or phone 086-0699086 if you wish to reserve a space on this course.