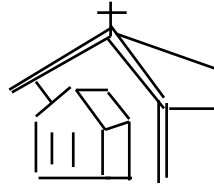


GLANMIRE PARISH

17th December 2017

3rd Sunday of Advent



St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church
Mon –Friday 10.00 am	Thursday & Friday 9.20 am
Saturday Vigil 6 pm Sunday 9.00, 10.30; 12.00	Sunday 10.00 am
Christmas Eve Crib Ceremony 4 pm Christmas Eve 6.00 pm & 9.00 pm Christmas Day 9.00, 10.30; 12.00 St Stephen's Day 10.00 am	Christmas Eve 7.30 pm Christmas Day 10.00 am

Confessions Wednesday, Thursday & Friday after 10 am Mass.

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

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Are you ok?

There is an old story of a father who, on a dark, stormy night in the midst of the thunder's crash and the lightning's flash, awakened and thought of his small son alone in his bedroom upstairs who might be scared of it all. So he rushed upstairs with his flashlight to check on the boy to see if he was all right. He was flashing his light around the room when the boy awakened, and said, with a startled cry, "Who's there? Who's in my room?" The father's first thought was to flash his light in the face of the boy, but then he thought, "No. If I do that, I will frighten him all the more." So, he turned the light on his own face. And the little boy said, "Oh, it's you, Dad." The father said, "Yes, it's Dad. I'm just up here checking on things. Everything's OK, so go on back to sleep." And the little boy did.

Ecumenical Carol Service tonight in St Mary & All Saints, Church Hill at 7.30 pm.

Penitential Services.
Sunday 17 th Church of the Immaculate Conception, Carriag na bhFear, 7.30 pm.
Monday 18 th St Joseph's Church, Springhill, 7.30 pm.
Tuesday 19 th Church of the Immaculate Conception, Watergrasshill, 7.30 pm.
Wednesday 20 th Sacred Heart Church, Glounthaune, 7.30 pm.

Sincere sympathy to the families, relatives and friends of Paddy Reynolds Ballynoe, Jimmy Walsh, Coole East and John Kelleher, Ballyphilip, Whites Cross whose funerals took place last week.

Our Safeguarding Policy recognizes all the good work with children and young people going on in our parish and thank all the volunteers that give their time and commitment in this work. We all have a responsibility to safeguard children through promoting their welfare, health and development in a safe and caring environment that supports their best interests and prevents abuse.

A parish child safeguarding meeting will be held in St Joseph's Church early in the new year at which the current protocols for creating safe environments will be outlined.

8 th Dec	St Joseph's	€ 405	St Michael's	€128	€533
10 th Dec	St Joseph's	€1,423	St Michael's	€192	€1,615

2018 Envelopes for the Offertory Collection are available today after all Masses from the Quiet Room.

Parking will be available in Glanmire GAA grounds for the 6 pm Mass on Christmas Eve.

Adoration in Glounthaune Parish Centre for Pro-life every Thursday night 8 pm to midnight.

Medjugorje Pilgrimage ex Cork to Split. May 31st to June 7th 2018. Spiritual Director Fr. Seán Corkery, €719.00pps. €200 deposit secures place. Contact Seán O'Shaughnessy [086 29 59 380](tel:0862959380) or medjugorjecork@icloud.com

