

GLANMIRE PARISH



5th May 2019.

3rd Sunday of Easter

| St Joseph's Church | St Michael's Church |
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| Monday – Friday 10 am | Thursday & Friday 9.20 am |
| Saturday First Holy Communion 10.30 am | |
| Vigil 6 pm | |
| Sunday 10.30, 12.00 | Sunday 9.30 am |

St Joseph's Church Adoration Mon night 8.30 pm - 9.30 pm. Fri 10 am - 10 pm. St Michael's Church Thursday 10 am - Noon

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Interview for telegraph operator

Fr Mark Link once told an incident that happened during the great depression. Jobs were scarce, and when an opening was announced, dozens of applicants applied. On this particular occasion, they crowded into a waiting room, eager to be interviewed for the position of telegraph operator. But the noise of their conversation competed against a steady background of dots and dashes. Suddenly, the door opened and yet another applicant entered the room. After standing there quietly for a moment listening attentively to the dots and dashes, he walked to a door marked "Private" and knocked. The personnel director opened the door and announced to the others, "You may all go now; this applicant has the job." Furious and frustrated, the others demanded an explanation. At that, the director said, "Listen!" When the room became quiet, all heard the dots and dashes, repeating over and over the same message, "If you hear this, come in; the job is yours." This story reminds us that God is constantly speaking to us, but, like the crowd of applicants, we are not always listening.

Annual Procession to the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes, take places today, leaving St Joseph's Church at 3 pm, homily by Fr Martin Barry. As this is the 70th anniversary we look forward to a large crowd.

Rosary at the Grotto each evening for the month of May at 7.30 pm.

Annual Grotto collection will be taken up at all masses today.

Mass for deceased members of the I.C.A. Upper Glanmire on Tuesday 7th May at 8 pm in the Community Hall, Upper Glanmire. Members, families, relatives and friends very welcome.

Annual collection for the Diocesan Pastoral Development Office will be taken up at all Masses next weekend – Saturday/Sunday 11th/12th May. Your generosity to this collection enables the office to continue to offer training and formation for pastoral groups and parish ministries and adult faith development opportunities throughout the Diocese of Cork and Ross.

| Off. Coll | St Joseph's | €1,810 | St Michael's | €164 | Total €1.974 |
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Is God calling you to be a priest in our diocese? Come to our information session on Sunday 12th May from 3:00pm to 6:00pm at the Pastoral Development Office, Parochial House, Ballyphehane. Contact Fr Charlie Kiely 021 4537474.

In December 2019, Pope Francis beatified a group of 19 Algerian martyrs, one of whom was Sr Paul Hélène, LSA, a member of the Little Sisters of the Assumption Congregation. She was murdered in Algeria in 1994 because of the mission she was engaged in. We the Little Sisters of the Assumption, Blackpool are celebrating Sr Paul Hélène's life on Sunday 12th May from 3 pm to 5 pm at Blackpool Community Centre. We hope you can join us.

Medjugorje Conference and Day of Prayer with Sr. Briege McKenna Saturday 31st August Neptune Stadium, Tickets €20 available on Eventbrite.ie. Enter discount code EARLYBIRD for discount price of €15 available until 31st May. All tickets purchased included in entry for free pilgrimage to Medjugorje from Cork or Dublin. Booking fees apply. Contact Seán O'Shaughnessy 0862959380.

The Irish Blood Transfusion Service will hold a Blood Donor Clinic in Vienna Woods Hotel 5 pm to 8.30 pm Tuesday 21st May.