GLANMIRE 12 th May 2 4 th Sunday of		
St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church	
Monday – Friday 10 am	Thursday & Friday 9.20 am	
Sat First Holy Communion 10.00 am & 12		
Vigil 6 pm		

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

Sunday 9.30 am

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"I know the Psalm, but he knows the Shepherd"

Sunday 10.30, 12.00

Years ago the great actor Richard Burton was given a grand reception in his childhood parish. While replying to the complimentary speeches in the parish auditorium he asked if there was anything, they specially wanted to hear from him. After a minute's pause his old pastor asked him if he could recite the Good Shepherd Psalm (Psalm 23), which he had taught Burton in his Sunday school. A strange look came over the actor's face. He paused for a moment, and then said, "I will, on one condition-that after I have recited it, you, my pastor and teacher will do the same." "I," said the old, retired pastor, "am not an actor, but, if you wish it, I shall do so." Impressively the actor began the Psalm. His voice and intonation were perfect. He held his audience spellbound, and, as he finished, a great burst of applause broke from the audience. As it died away, the old pastor rose from his wheelchair and began to recite the same Psalm. His voice was feeble and shivering and his tone was not faultless. But, when he finished, there was not a dry eye in the room. The actor rose and his voice quivered as he said, "Ladies and gentlemen, I reached your eyes and ears, but my old pastor has reached your hearts. The difference is just this: I know the Psalm, but he knows the Shepherd.'

Vocations to the Priesthood – **Is God calling you?** If you are interested in knowing more about being a priest in our diocese, we have an open afternoon today from 3:00pm to 6:00pm at the Pastoral Development Office, Ballyphehane (located in the grounds of the Church) Eircode: T12 K798. If you wish to talk to someone about your vocation – contact Fr Charlie Kiely 021 4537474

Death: Sincere sympathy to the family, relatives and friends of John Fitzgerald, Upper Glanmire whose funeral took place on Friday.

A meeting of the Parish Assembly will take place at the Parish Centre on Tuesday night next, 14-May, starting at 8pm.

Cork Ecumenical Bible Week 21-26 May 2019.

As part of the week Fr Ben Hegarty OP will give a talk on Wednesday 22nd May in St Joseph's Church, Springhill at 7.30 pm. 'We are Stewards not Owners...our Arrogance toward Creation'.

Rota for Ministers of the Eucharist is available in the sacristy.

 2^{nd} Collection taken up today is for Parish Pastoral Services. 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

St Elisabeth's Convent in Belarus will have a small display of their crafts in St Joseph's Church on Tuesday 21st May and St Michael's Church on Thursday 24th May to support their work with orphanage children in Belarus.

We would like to finalise the figure to Trócaire so if you have a box to return please do so next weekend. Thank you.

The SMA National Novena in honour of Our Lady of Knock will begin on Friday 17th May 2019 at the African Missions Church, Blackrock Road and will end on Saturday 18th and 25th May with our Annual Pilgrimage to Knock. The Novena will be celebrated each evening at 7.30 pm (except on Saturday 18th and 25th May when it will be at 7.00 pm). For further information please contact (021) 4292871 or SMA Wilton (021) 4541069.

2018 Parish Accounts are available from the church porch.

Family Sports Day at the Pike Field Sunday 19th May at 2 pm. All welcome.

<u>Cork Maths Circle 2019 One Day Revision Courses</u>: (Tel. 0851426903 after 6 pm.only) Junior Certificate Higher Saturday May 25th, Leaving Certificate Honours Sunday May 26th/Thursday May 30th and Leaving Certificate Ordinary Saturday June 1st from 11-6p.m each day, given by experienced teachers/exam correctors, covering exam questions on papers 1 and 2.

Off. Coll 5th	St Joseph's	€1,227	St Michael's	€356	Total €1,583