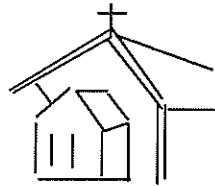


# GLANMIRE PARISH



12<sup>th</sup> June 2022  
The Most Holy Trinity

St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church
Monday –Tues, Thurs & Fri 10 am Wednesday Liturgy of the Word	
Saturday Vigil 6 pm Sunday 10.30 & 12.00	Sunday 9.30 am

St Joseph's Church Adoration Monday night 7.30 pm –8.30 pm.  
Adoration in the Parish Centre Friday 10.30 am –6 pm.

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### “Impossible, my dear child”

There is a very old and much-repeated story about St Augustine, one of the intellectual giants of the Church. He was walking by the seashore one day, attempting to conceive of an intelligible explanation for the mystery of the Trinity. As he walked along, he saw a small boy on the beach, pouring seawater from a shell into a small hole in the sand. “What are you doing, my child?” asked Augustine. “I am emptying the sea into this hole,” the boy answered with an innocent smile. “But that is impossible, my dear child,” said Augustine. The boy stood up, looked straight into the eyes of Augustine and replied, “What you are trying to do – comprehend the immensity of God with your small head – is even more impossible.” Then he vanished. The child was an angel sent by God to teach Augustine a lesson. Later, Augustine wrote: “You see the Trinity, if you see love.” According to him, the Father is the lover, the Son is the loved one and the Holy Spirit is the personification of the very act of loving. This means that we can understand something of the Mystery of the Holy Trinity more readily with the believing heart than with our feeble mind.

### Lay Led Liturgy

The Lay Liturgy Leaders will continue to lead prayer in St Joseph's Church on Wednesday mornings at 10am throughout the Summer period. Mass will be offered on Mon-Tues and Thurs-Fri.

### First Holy Communion

Congratulations to the forty-six children of Gaelscoil Uí Drisceóil who made their First Holy Communion here in St Joseph's this Saturday 11th June. Do bhí an searmanas go léir deanta as gaeilge and bhí na pastaí ar fheabhras. Comhghairdeas leis an Priomhoide Siobhán Ní Chathain agus leis na múinteoirí go léir.

### Tied the knot

Congratulations to Ellen Murphy and Tadhg Óg Murphy who married in the Honan Chapel, UCC on Friday last 10th June. We wish them a long and happy life together.

### Retreat for New Parish Assembly

A short retreat for the new Assembly will be held in Ennismore Retreat Centre on next Saturday 18 June, 10.30 to 2pm. This is the first act of the new Assembly and it shows that prayer and reflection are key elements to the life and working of the Parish Assembly. Parish service is always more than doing work for the Lord. It is first and foremost a service to the Lord of the work. The next meeting of the Parish Assembly will take place on Wednesday 22 June in the Parish Centre at 8pm.

### Gaeltacht Holidays

Brú na Gráige in the heart of the Kerry Gaeltacht is available to rent. The cost to those who use whatever Irish they know is €500 in June and September, €1000 in July and Aug. Further Information from Tomás Ó Murchú on 087-2903913.

### Church Painting

The second collection this month goes to the Painting Fund. The painting of St Joseph's Church is almost complete. At present, Liam Cotter is finishing off small jobs about the church. The response from people is universally positive. Most people say they like the colour scheme and the quality of the work. The lights are also almost finished. LED lights have been installed throughout the ceiling. Ventilation of the church has been greatly enhanced by the instillation of twenty-two air vents in the church. Again, we rely on your donations and contributions to pay for the painting and other works. When there is no second collection in the church and no collection outside the doors, the second collection goes to pay for the painting. Thank you for your support.

### Holy Land Pilgrimage

Pilgrimage led by Mícheál de Barra and Spiritual Director Fr John Newman, LSS from 31 August to 10 Sept 2022. Contact Mícheál on 086-8337681 and [info@carpediemtours.ie](mailto:info@carpediemtours.ie).

### Our Priest

A parishioner was heard to say: “The mystery of the Trinitarian God is a lot like our priest. I don't see him through the week, and I don't understand him on Sunday.”

Mass for the deceased in St Joseph's Cemetery, Little Island on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30 pm.

Offertory 5 <sup>th</sup> June	St Joseph's 1,256	St Michael's	€94	Total	€1,350
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