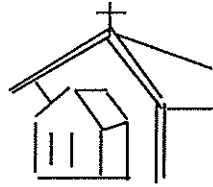


GLANMIRE PARISH

29th January 2023
4th Sunday in Ordinary Time



St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 10am Wednesday Liturgy of the Word 10 am	
1 st Saturday Devotions 9.30; Mass 10 am Saturday Vigil 6 pm Sunday 10.30 am and 12 Noon	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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True Forgiveness

True Forgiveness is the ultimate act of mercy. Mercy is an act of charity with no strings attached. Think of the parable of the prodigal son. The father has been waiting to express his forgiveness to his son for years before his son actually turns up to experience it. There are no conditions to the father's forgiveness. The son has merely to realise that he has done wrong and to be genuinely sorry for what he has done.

This is the type of forgiveness we experience in confession when we approach the Merciful Father with a humble and contrite heart. Sometimes we are moved to tears when we experience God's mercy and forgiveness in confession particularly if it has been a long time since our last confession or if we have finally confessed a recurring fault or failing.

Another essential part of Forgiveness as outlined in the Our Father, is that we should forgive those who have done us wrong with the same unconditional love that the Father in the Parable of the Prodigal Son displayed to his son that is but a reflection of the unconditional; love which the Lord always has for us.

2023 Missal for Ministers of the Word available from the Sacristy.

2023 Envelopes for the Offertory Collection.

Envelopes for 2023 are available for collection from the office next week. It would be much appreciated if box holders would collect their box as postage is now very expensive. We would encourage anyone who is contributing weekly to the offertory collection basket and paying tax to consider taking a box of envelopes as the parish would benefit greatly from the tax you have already paid. Under the tax relief scheme if you donate €250 to the offertory collection which is the minimum requirement by Revenue the parish can obtain a refund from Revenue after the end of the tax year of .45 cent for every euro donated.

Off 22nd	St Joseph's	€1,322	St Michael's	€131	€1,453
Painting Fund	St Joseph's	€606	St Michael's	€109	€715

Church gate collection next weekend is for St Vincent de Paul.

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Anam Cara Cork, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 1st February at 7:15pm in the Clayton Hotel, Silver Springs, Cork City We also offer an online service. For more info call 01 4045378