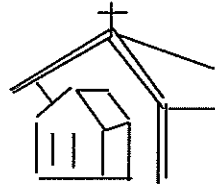


GLANMIRE PARISH
25th February 2024
2nd Sunday of Lent



St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church
Saturday Vigil 6 pm Sunday 10.30am; 12 Noon Monday & Tuesday, Thurs 10 am Friday 1st March Confirmation 10.30 am Wednesday Liturgy of the Word 10 am	Sunday 9.30 am Monday Confirmation 10.30 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.
St Michael's Church open daily from 9am – 4pm.
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The transfiguration of Jesus on top of a mountain is the subject of today's gospel.

Through the transfiguration event, Jesus had allowed Peter, James and John a brief experience of Heaven. We also get a brief experience of heaven as we listen today's gospel and try to understand it or figure out why the transfiguration took place at this time.

While Jesus had told the apostles he was the son of God before this day and they had witnessed Jesus perform many varied miracles and heard him preach with authority, this experience must have completely convinced Peter, James and John that Jesus was the Son of God. They also saw and heard Moses and Elijah, Moses the prophet who had been given the ten commandments and Elijah the prophet who had been taken up to Heaven in spectacular manner while still alive.

The three had been given a taste of Heaven, a taste of what eternal life would be like, an insight into a different dimension of existence.

Have you ever experienced a taste of Heaven?

Have you ever had a religious experience that defied easy explanation or any type of explanation at all?

When did this happen? Where did it happen?

Were you on your own or with others?

It can happen anywhere. Anywhere and at any time when God breaks through all the barriers we erect between ourselves and himself.

Like the apostles treasure your experience and let it nourish your life.

SPRING DUES

We are requesting volunteers to deliver the Spring Dues envelopes in their area. They are now available from the sacristy in both churches. Your help is much appreciated.

Vacancy for part-time caretaker in Glanmire Parish.

Please forward your C.V. to Fr Pat Fogarty, Parochial House or, to the parish office.

Glanmire Area Community Association

Community Meeting

Official launch of the Glanmire Health Check.

Thursday 29th February. Time 5.30 pm Venue: Glanmire Parish Centre.

St Vincent de Paul church gate collection next weekend 2nd/3rd March.

Off 18 th Feb	St Joseph's	€2000	St Michael's	€460	Total €2,460
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Glanmire Annual Pilgrimage to Knock 8th April – 10th April 2024

Contact: Síle Murphy 086 1701595, Billy Meaney 087 3161697,

Joe Conway 087 3290153.

Glanmire Craft Market on Sunday 3rd March 10am-4pm in St. Joseph's Church Hall. There will also be a fundraising raffle on the day in aid of the United Nations Relief & Works Agency UNRWA Gaza Appeal."