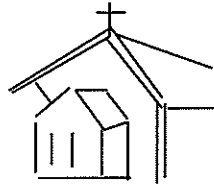


GLANMIRE PARISH  
26<sup>th</sup> Januray 2025  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time



St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 10am Wed 10.00 am Liturgy of the Word 1 <sup>st</sup> 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 on 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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### Sunday of the Word of God

In the opening lines of John's Gospel, the Evangelist tells us 'In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God...'

Today we celebrate Sunday of the Word of God. In 2019 Pope Francis encouraged faith communities to find special ways "to mark this Sunday with special solemnity", and suggested that we enthrone the Bible today, to help focus our attention on the value of God's Word as revealed to us in the Sacred Scriptures. Today the Bible will be displayed in a place of honour in the sanctuary, where it will remain open during mass. Today we reflect prayerfully on the word of God and ask that we will always be guided by sacred scriptures in our lives.

### Enthronement Prayer

Let us pray,

We gather on the Lord's Day as people of faith to revere and honour the Word of God.

From ancient times the open book of the Sacred Scriptures has been enthroned at Church councils and in cathedrals, in parish churches and in homes.

Today, you invite us, Lord

to listen once more to your Word,

to treasure it in our hearts,

to meditate on it and to share it with others.

We thank you for this opportunity to celebrate your Word.

We ask you to send your Holy Spirit

to touch our minds and hearts,

so, we may discover, understand,

and live your message for us.

We make our prayer through Christ your Son,

your Word made flesh.

Amen.

Your Word, O Lord, is a lamp for my steps and a light for my path  
(Psalm 119:105)

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St Vincent de Paul Church Gate Collection will take place next weekend 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> Feb. Your support is much appreciated.

### **Glanmire ProLife Group**

A meeting to discuss current ProLife issues will be held in the Glanmire Parish Centre on Thursday 30th January at 7:30PM. Guest Speaker will present on the current ProLife landscape at a national level followed by open discussion on how we could support locally. All are welcome.