

Local Priest: Fr. Jim Lenihan, P.P.

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GBC Radio: 98.6fm for all Masses from Glenflesk Church.

Masses: Saturday 29th Nov to Sunday 7th Dec

St. Agatha's, Glenflesk:

Saturday 29th 6.00pm Annual Mass for all those who have died during the year. Thursday 4th 9.30am Mass

Saturday 6th Denise Crowley, Gortdarrig (Anni) 6.00pm

& her dad Den Joe.

Timmy Crowley, Commacullen, Clonkeen

& deceased family members.

Our Lady of the Wayside, Clonkeen:

Sunday 30th	9.30am	Mass
Wednesday 3rd	9.30am	Mass

Sunday 7th 9.30am Eileen O'Brien, Inch. Clonkeen (Anni)

<u>Sacred Heart, Ba</u>	<u>rraduff:</u>	
Sunday 30th	11.00am	Mass
Friday 5th	9.30am	Mass
Sunday 7th	11.00am	John Gerard Dineen, Crosstown (Anni), his parents Con & Margaret & deceased family members.
		Sheila Warren, Annaahmore (Anni)

PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEKEND: Fr. Vitalis Barasa 087 6501998

PRIEST ON DUTY WEEKDAYS: Monday Fr. Kieran O'Brien 087 6501998

Tuesday to Friday Fr. Jim Lenihan 087 1081588

NOTICES

COLLECTIONS: Offertory: €1,891. Thank you.

DIOCESAN COLLECTION: 6th/7th December for the Diocesan Youth Service.

ADORATION: Every Monday in the Sacred Heart Church from 10 am to 1 p.m.

St. Agathas 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and Our Lady of the Wayside 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP: will be on Thursday 4th December at 3pm in The Church of the Sacred Heart, Barraduff. All are welcome.

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION: on Saturday December 6th at 5.20 p.m. To honour Our Lady's request at Fatima for to make reparation. The following practices were requested. 1. Recite 5 decades of the rosary. 2. To keep Our Lady company for 15 minutes while meditating on the 15 Mysteries. 3. To receive Holy Communion. 4. To confess our sins. Meditation followed by Rosary before Holy Mass.

PASTORAL LEADER TALK: Next weekend 6th/7th Dec at the 6pm mass in Glenflesk and the 11am Mass in Barradff, we welcome Mrs. Sheila Goulding who will share her experience of being one of the 25 Pastoral Leaders of the Kerry Diocese.

ROSARY: at Knockanes grotto on Monday 8th December at 7pm to celebrate the feast of the Immaculate Conception. All welcome.

WINNERS OF THE GLENFLESK PARISH BAZAAR:

1st Prize - Nora Warren - 500 litres of oil - sponsor - MJ Kelliher Ltd.

2nd Prize - Mairead Devan - HP Laptop - sponsor - Wildcat Business Computing Ltd.

3rd Prize - Maureen Donovan - Weekend Away - sponsor - Kennedy's Pet Farm.

4th Prize - Breda O'Connor - €300 Voucher - sponsor - Tom Murphy, Barraduff.

5th Prize - Bernie Moynihan- Vacuum Cleaner - sponsor - Michael O'Keeffe, Garden Maintenance, Shronedraugh.

6th Prize - Alan O'Meara - Monster Hamper - sponsor O'Donoghue's Shop, Barraduff.

7th Prize - Bernie Moynihan, Headford - €200 Voucher - sponsor - MD O'Shea's.

8th Prize - Maggie O'Connor - 1 year subscription to Glenflesk GAA Lotto - sponsor -Glenflesk GAA Club.

9th Prize - Joe Hickey - Voucher - sponsor - a local business.

10th Prize - Shane Bartlett - Voucher - sponsor - a local business.

11th Prize - Siún Ní Cheallaigh - Voucher - sponsor - a local business.

Winner of the East Cork 500 litres of oil was John Cronin, Killorglin.

A NOTE FROM FR. JIM....

During the week a friend sent a beautiful picture of two children helping each other with the caption "When you ask God for a gift, be thankful if he sends, not diamonds, pearls or riches, but the love of real true friends." As the month of the Holy Souls draws to a close I want us again to ponder on that Church idea called 'The Communion of Saints' which simply means - The Church Is one family. The Communion of Saints refers to the spiritual solidarity among all members of the Church - those on earth (The "pilgrim Church"), - those in purgatory (The "suffering Church"), and those in heaven (The "glorified Church"). All are united in Christ, all participate in His life, and all support one another in love. When I looked at that beautiful picture and caption on how 'the love of real true friends' is more precious than all the money and gold in the world I had to admit that I've definitely seen it in action recently in our community. How you have supported one another in love in two ways. 1. The great attendance at the Holy Souls masses during November (taking Care of our dead) and 2. The incredible generosity and support shown by so many at our annual bazaar last Sunday. The bazaar again this year was a fantastic success in monetary terms but the sense of community and good will it generates is the greatest gift of all. I'd like on behalf of the Parish Council to sincerely thank everyone who supported us in any way over the past number of weeks and on the day. I'd like to thank personally the parish council themselves for going beyond the call of duty and working so hard for the greater good of this great community. This is the Church in action, this is the Communion of Saints lived out. Thank you.