



Paróiste Chill Taobhóige

Tithe Pobail Ghleann Fhinne agus

Leitir Bric

Sixth Sunday of Year C — February 16th 2025

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Next Weekend Masses

(Dé Sathairn—Saturday)

Glenfinn: 6.00 p.m.

(Dé Domhnaigh—Sunday 9.45

(L.B.) & 11 a.m. Glenfin.

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Confessions

They are available anytime, especially after Mass on Saturday evenings



Aifrinn na Seachtaine

Monday & Friday 7 p.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Mass will be at 10 a.m. daily.



February Intentions of Pope Francis

Let us pray that the church community might welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life as nuns and brothers.



Arranged Masses

Saturday 15th February 6 p.m.

Baby Caitlín Doherty

11th anniversary

Sunday 16th February 9.45 a.m.

Cathal McGlynn (3rd anniversary) + father Anthony, 1st anniversary.

11 am. Joseph Gallagher (Ardlaghan) + his parents Peggy & Joe.

Saturday 22nd February 6 p.m.

Con O'Donnell

17th anniversary

Sunday 23rd February 9.45 10 a.m.

Danny McGlynn (6th anniversary

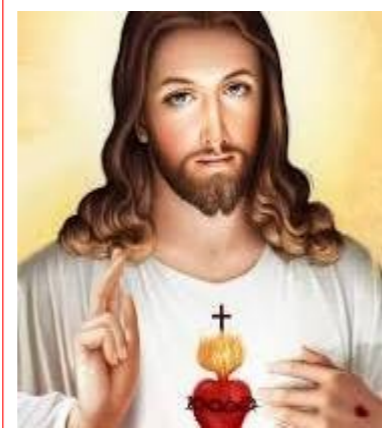
+ baby Leah Rose 8th anniversary,

11 a.m. Madge & Con McMonagle + daughter Mary anniversaries.

Saturday 1st March 6 p.m.

William McGlynn

Month's Mind Mass.



A Sacred Heart Statue, one of 4 recently blessed by Pope Francis, is now available to parishes in the diocese. At present it is in the Cathedral in Letterkenny where it arrived recently from Knock where all the four special statues rested during a recent meeting of the bishops

having arrived from Rome. We will be very privileged to welcome it to our parish next Friday February 21st. It will

be brought to us from Kilcar parish. Parishes are being asked to keep the statue only for 3-4 days. We will welcome it to our parish church at the 7 o'clock evening Mass – which will be a Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart. The statue will leave our parish on Tuesday 25th February.

Thoughts on the Readings for

The Sixth Sunday of —Year C- February 16th 2025



Jesus preaches the Sermon on the Mount

Today's Gospel says: *Blessed are you who are poor...But woe to you who are rich...* Maybe in church this is very nice to hear, but

is it a practical teaching in the real world? The Gospel says that many people from many places came to hear Jesus preach. But these words, we are told, though

clearly relevant to all, were meant especially for Jesus' disciples. Who are his disciples? They are those who have identified themselves fully with Jesus' mission, with his vision of life. They are those who believe in him, who listen to him, and follow him. What Jesus says in Luke's Gospel today is similar to Matthew's eight beatitudes. When we first hear them they seem like a contradiction: the poor are happy; the rich are to be condemned. Does not the Church always condemn the world's poverty? And our societies always say that to make a lot of money is the sure sign of a successful life. If we want to understand Jesus' words, we need to know he is speaking of the Kingdom of God. The Kingdom is the society that Jesus wants to establish—and not just in some future life.

Glenfin Area Council - Silver Circle Draw 2025

January 2025 Draw

€500 James Glackin, Maghery €100 Patrick McNamee, Tonduff €100 Michelle Barron, Corlecky €100 Karen Logue, Navenny €100 T.J. McCool, Kinaderry

Tá foirmeacha iontrála ar fáil anois do S.N. Taobhóige don scoilbhliain 2025/26. Cuir scairt ar 0749133393 nó seol riomhphost chuig sntaobhoige@gmail.com chun foirm a fháil. Enrolment forms are now available for S.N. Taobhóige for the schoolyear 2025/26. Phone 0749133303 or send an email to sntaobhoige@gmail.com to request a form.

Foirm Clarú Scoil an Choimín /Enrolment Forms 2025/26 Tá foirm clarú le fáil san oifig don scoil bhliain 2025/26 nó thig leat riomhphost a seoladh chuig oifig@coimin.com Enrolment forms for the 2025/26 school year are now available in the office or by emailing oifig@coimin.com . We can be contacted on 074 9133330 .

Dooish N.S. School Admissions for School Year 2025 / 2026 Application Forms for Admission to Junior Infants / Other Mainstream Classes & Abbey Class – Special Class for autistic pupils are now available on request: By emailing dooish@hotmail.com by phoning 0749131471 or by writing to: Dooish N.S., Ballybofey, Co. Donegal. F93N768 Further information is available in the Annual Admissions Notice & Admissions Policy on the school website – www.dooishns.scoilnet.ie/blog Closing Date for receipt of Application Forms for Admission is 11th March 2025.

Scheme. FÁS—Community Employment

We have a few vacancies, starting in March, for General workers on the Parish Scheme. If you are interested in these positions, which also enable a person to do various other courses which might lead to full employment in the future, please contact the Supervisor: Shane at 0858631853 or let Fr. Lorcan know you are interested.

Lotto numbers for Tuesday 11th February were 1 -8-4-5-6-3-2-7. Congratulations to Maggie & Michelle Bonner who wins €60. The Jackpot next week is €9800. **Club Membership/Registration 2025** Club Membership is open

now for the 2025 season either on the Foireann system or through the club. **(All adult players need to be registered asap before they start training.)** If anyone needs assistance please contact Joanne directly. Underage Handball training has now finished for the winter. **National Club Draw Tickets** CLG Ghleann Fhinne will again participate in the GAA National Club Draw. Over the past number of years, through the generosity of our members and supporters we have raised vital funds for the club through this draw. All the prizes for the National Club Draw are provided by Croke Park who also handle the management of the draw. Clubs sell tickets at €15 each and ALL of the money raised by the club is retained by the club. Tickets are on sale now and available from any club executive. The draw will take place on 26th March 2025. The Club presentation night is scheduled to take place on Saturday 1st of March. The annual 25 Card Drive was held in our clubhouse last Friday night 7th February and was well attended and was a great success.