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**PARISH BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT:** A member of the Bethany group may be contacted on Tel 07746032796

**GH TYRES AND AUTO SERVICES:** 40a Glenavy Road, Crumlin. Punctures repairs, Wheel Balancing, Wheel Alignment, Batteries, General Service and repairs Tel:94423113.

**ST. JOSEPH'S GAC:** Winning Numbers: 4-7-11-28. The Jackpot stands at £3,000. 2<sup>nd</sup>. Jackpot £2,150 No winners. 3 Numbers winners £10: Patsy Nelson; Anne Falloon; Christine Magennis; Mark Cormican; Colm Cormican; Ray Matthews; Tommie Carelton, Dordie Doherty; Patricia O'Neill, Damian Ayre; R. Mullan; Joanne Campbell; Gerry O'Neill. **Lucky Dip winners 3x£10:** Emma O'Neill c/o Gerry – Anne Halligan – Mark Burnett. Next week's Jackpot £3,000. 2<sup>nd</sup>. £2,200

**COFFEE MORNING** in St Clare's Hall every Friday @10.00am (Face Masks Mandatory)

### **ST VINCENT DE PAUL**

**CRUMLIN/ALDERGROVE CONFERENCE** Emergency helpline **07754427088**. Crumlin/Aldergrove SVP conference continues to help the needy and vulnerable in our local community during the Covid-19 pandemic and those needs have very sadly been heightened by the pandemic. As a community-based charity, we rely solely on charitable donations, but owing to restrictions the community has been unable to make donations via the red box collections. We would appreciate any and all donations and which can be made via the Crumlin/Aldergrove SVP conference bank account. Account number 41965035, sort code 980460. Your ongoing support is very greatly appreciated during what continues to be a very troubling time for the needy in our community". New volunteers urgently required.

**ST JOSEPH GLENNAVY CONFERENCE** continues its local charitable work during the Covid pandemic. Emergency helpline **07784955647**. Our usual red box for collections has not been available to those who support our work due to on-going restrictions. Anyone wishing to make a regular or one-off donation can do so directly to our bank account, Sort Code 98-04-60. Account Number 41966009. Your support is very much appreciated as we support those most vulnerable in these challenging times in your local community

### **PARISH OFFICE.**

Please note that the parish office will have limited opening hours for the next few weeks.

Monday—Tuesday and Thursday 10.00am—12.00noon

## **Parish Bingo**

**in St Clare's Community Hall  
every Thursday  
at 8.00pm sharp-9.30pm approx.**

Jackpot £1,000 in **50** Numbers

All social distancing measures in place.

Please remember to wear your mask.



## **WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY 17TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR 25TH JULY 2021**

**Very Rev Fr Colm McBride PP:** St Joseph's Presbytery, 59 Chapel Road, Glenavy, BT29 4LY 94459560 (In emergencies Fr Declan Mulligan P.P. Aghagallon 92651214)

**Parish Office at St Joseph's Glenavy:**

Monday - Friday 10am - 12.00.

**Secretary:** Maire Rafferty Tel: 028 94422278

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Parish Website: [glenavyandkilleadparish.com](http://glenavyandkilleadparish.com)

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**A member of Lisburn Pastoral Community**

How important  
grandparents are for  
family life, for passing  
on the human and  
religious heritage so  
essential for each and  
every society!  
- Pope Francis



@catholicshops

World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly  
Sunday 25 July 2021  
#IamWithYouAlways

	26th July	1st August	Mass Intentions
	St Joseph's	Mater Dei	
Mon	9.30am Patrick Riordan		
Tue		7.00pm	
Wed		9.30am P I	
Thur	9.30am P I		
Fri	9.30am Matt O'Brien		
Sat		6.00pm vigil Brenda Desmond Month's Mind	
Sun	9.30am PP 12.00 noon Jimmy Armour (1st), Sally Armour & Eleanor Keys	10.45am William & Lily McLoman	



**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Allan Jardine

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Ciaran O'Neill, Liam Boylan, Lily George & Robert Daly, Matt O'Brien, John Paul Nelson, Patrick Riordan,

**SANCTUARY LAMP:** Special Intention,

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### PARISH DRAW 2021/22:

#### Week 12

Winner £100: Eithne McCorry Crumlin

Winner £50 Orna Coyle Glenavy

Congratulations to our winners.

Thank you to all members for your continued support

### COLLECTIONS 18/07/2021

WEEKLY OFFERING: £930  
DIOCESAN PASTORAL SERVICES £395

Thank you for your generosity

## Trócaire

### GUAPINOL 8: WATER DEFENDERS

Join Trócaire at the Féile an Phobail to find out about the case of the 'Guapinol 8', who were detained in Honduras for peacefully resisting the exploitation of their community's river by a mining company. Almost two years later, they remain in pretrial detention. Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> August at 6:30pm online at feilebelfast.

## A WARM WELCOME FOR THE FIRST WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY



"Throughout his papacy Pope Francis has reminded us to value the many gifts of grandparents and the elderly. In his theme chosen for this inaugural year *I am with you always*, the Holy Father is highlighting that promise of closeness that generations share with each other. Not only are our young people called to be present in the lives of older people, but so too grandparents and elders have a mission to encourage young people on their faith journey. Our little domestic churches are always enriched by the inclusion of grandparents and elders.

"In the text of his inaugural message Pope Francis expands on this theme and assures us that he has been close to all those who have felt isolated and alone in recent months and that, even at the darkest of moments, the Lord continues to send angels to console our loneliness and to remind us that 'He is with us always'. Pope Francis tells us that these angels sent to console us will at times have the face of our grandchildren, while at other times, the face of family members, life-long friends or those we have come to know during these trying times, when we have learned how important hugs and visits are for each of us."

**A copy of Pope Francis message to Grandparents and the Elderly is available at the back of the churches.**

### Returning to Sunday Mass

The widespread vaccination programme is giving more parishioners confidence to return to the celebration of Sunday Mass. Some however are a little nervous of being in the Church and sometimes there may not be sufficient seating given the requirement for social distancing. Now that Liturgies from both our Churches are available on web-cam and many people have smart phones, it is suggested that some might be more comfortable remaining in their cars and viewing the Mass on line on their phone. At the appropriate time a Minister of the Eucharist will distribute Holy Communion at the Church door, after which the family or individuals could return to their car to make their thanksgiving and receive the Closing prayers and blessing. This arrangement is most suitable for Mater Dei Church as the signal is stronger here than at St Joseph's. An imaginative proposal to overcome the limitations of this pandemic.

[www.churchservices.tv/glenavystjosephs](http://www.churchservices.tv/glenavystjosephs)  
[www.churchservices.tv/materdeicrumlin](http://www.churchservices.tv/materdeicrumlin)

### THE CELEBRATION OF PUBLIC MASS

We will need to continue with the practice of booking seats for each Mass. (**There is no longer need to book for the 12noon Mass in St Joseph's as there is plenty of room.**) Please telephone the Parish Office on Thursday or Friday only between 10am -12noon. We will also need teams of parishioners to greet and seat those who attend. These Covid stewards' also help sanitize the church after Mass. Mass cannot be provided unless stewards are present. In particular we need volunteers for the 12 noon Mass in St Joseph's. If you would be willing help please contact the parish office as soon as possible this week.

**The wearing of facemasks in Church is mandatory.**

**CRUMLIN YOUTH FOR CHRIST:** Crumlin Youth for Christ is a cross community Christian outreach to the young people of Crumlin. This is challenging work and requires great faith and commitment by the volunteers led by Dean Moore. We may not feel able to actively join them but we can help them with necessary resources. CYFC are looking for 20 people to commit to giving £20 a month for the next year. If you could help, please contact our parish representative to CYFC, Clive Duffield on 07967704592

**OVERSEAS VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED!** Volunteer IT/HR Admins, Montessori/Primary/Secondary Teachers, Physios, Accountants, Social Workers...all required for funded placements on Missions in Africa, SE Asia and the Caribbean. No previous overseas exp required, no upper age limit! Contact Viatores Christi +353-1-8689986 or email [apply@viatoreschristi.com](mailto:apply@viatoreschristi.com) for more info.

**ADOPTION: Family Care Adoption Services** is presently seeking to recruit adoptive families for babies and young children. For free information pack please contact us at: **Telephone:** 028 71 368592 or 028 90 691133. Monday to Friday 9 – 5 p.m. **Email:** [anne.ohagan@familycaresociety.org](mailto:anne.ohagan@familycaresociety.org) **Website:** [www.familycaresociety.co.uk](http://www.familycaresociety.co.uk) Thank You