

Mass Times FOR the
coming Week.

Monday, Tuesday & Friday Mass at 9.00 am
Wednesday Mass at 9.45 am
Thursday Prayer Service at 9.00 am



GLENEALY 150

The Glenealy 150 book is available in the Village Stores and The Village Hall, Glenealy at a cost of €5. A number of the books are also available in Ashford church. The Ashford book is still available for purchase.



ADVENT

This is a time of waiting, conversion and hope as we prepare ourselves for the coming of Our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

LAST WEEKS COLLECTIONS

Offering €885 S.V.D.P. €3,360 Family Offering €385 Maint. & Dev. €45

FAMILY OFFERING ENVELOPES

The Family Offering envelopes are now available in the churches, please collect yours. If you see your neighbour's envelope still left please take it and deliver it, if you could.

PARISH CALENDAR

The Parish Calendar for 2020 is now available in both Ashford and Glenealy churches along with details of the Christmas Reconciliation ceremonies and Christmas Mass times.

Christmas Carols

by candlelight in Glendalough Monastic City

A great way to start Christmas, in one of the most evocative settings in Wicklow. St Kevin's Parish in Glendalough and St John's Parish in Laragh invite you to join them on Tuesday 17th December at 7.30pm for a unique event to celebrate Christmas. Beginning with a candlelit procession through the monastic gates we will proceed to the ruins of the candlelit Cathedral for an evening of traditional carol singing in the monastic style. Some of our most familiar carols would have been sung here by the monks of Glendalough themselves in the 8th and 9th centuries. Tea, Coffee and mince pies provided afterwards in the Glendalough Hotel, courtesy of The Casey Family. This is a free event however donations will be collected on the night of the event in support of the local Saint Vincent de Paul. The event is open to everyone, including children, who must be accompanied by an adult. Assemble at 7.15pm at Glendalough Hotel and bring your lantern.

ANAM CARA

Anam Cara Wicklow, is holding it's monthly Parent Evening on Monday 16th December at 7:20pm in the Parkview Hotel, Newtownmountkennedy, Co. Wicklow. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. Please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

CHRISTMAS ALTAR LIST

If you wish to have a deceased loved one included on the Christmas Altar List please leave their names in the Sacristy by Sunday 22nd December.

CLASSIC HARMONY

Celebrate Christmas with Classic Harmony, our local award-winning vocal group, fresh from their **Lions World Song Festival** win in Kraków, Poland in November. A lovely concert of Carols and Christmas Songs both old and new. Saturday, December 21st in the Community and Heritage Centre @ 8:00pm. Adm: €10. Complimentary Mulled Wine & Mince Pies and a raffle for our charity partners SVP.

Readers for the next 2 weeks in Ashford.

	Vigil	Sunday
21/22 Dec	Jill Clancy Harrold	Tom McHugh
28/29 Dec	Deirdre McMahon	Alan Caulfield, Fintan Fanning

Eucharist Ministers for next 2 weeks in Ashford.

	Vigil	Sunday
21/22 Dec	Robbie Carter, Ellen Doyle	Ann Clarke, Gary Dowling
28/29 Dec	Ray Kinsella, Donal Dunne	Denise O'Donnell, Denise Collis Lee

NEWSLETTER and OFFICE

There will be no weekly news letter for the next 4 weeks. The office will be closed from 12.00 am on Friday 20th December until 2.00 pm Monday 6th January 2020.