

FR DONAL'S ORDINATION AS AUXILIARY BISHOP

The parish will be organising buses to St. Andrew's Church Westland Row, Dublin, on Sunday 26th May to Westland Row for the Mass installing Fr Donal as Auxiliary Bishop of Dublin.

The bus will cost €15 per person payable before travelling. You need to book your seat through the parish office only.

Time & place of departure will be announced closer to date



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Rear of Boots
Pharmacy,
Abbey Street,
Wicklow

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BLESSINGS OF THE GRAVES 2024



Barndarrig Cemetery: Tuesday, 2nd July @ 7.30pm

Three Mile Water Cemetery: Monday, July 8th at 7.30pm

Castletimon Cemetery: Monday, July 15th at 7.30pm

Rathnew Cemetery: Wednesday 17th July at 7.30pm

Glenealy Cemetery: Saturday 20th July at 3.00pm

Killoughter Cemetery: Tuesday 23rd July at 7.30pm

Your contribution to the Church is your appreciation for your parish. If you would like to become a regular contributor to the Parish, please fill in this slip and return to Parish Office or Sacristy

Name.....

Contact Number.....

Address.....

Sometimes
the best thing you can do
is not think, not wonder, not
imagine, not obsess.
Just breathe,
and have faith that
everything will work out
for the best.

Best Inspirational Quotes
On Life, Change and Success

ASHFORD & GLENEALY PARISH

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

19th May 2024

Pentecost Sunday

RCN 20016166

Gospel Reflections *Spirit of Unity* Donal Neary SJ

The effect of the Holy Spirit at the first Pentecost was to create unity – the incident of people understanding different languages should not be taken literally, but that some deep divisions among people can be overcome by the Spirit of God. Many of the gifts of the Spirit in the second reading are about a deep unity among us – trust, love, patience. These and other gifts of the Spirit bring unity at a deep level in families, friendships, all kinds of relationships and communities.

The effects of disunity can lead in the end to murders, violence and wars. No wonder Jesus prayed so often for unity, and his Spirit would unite us.

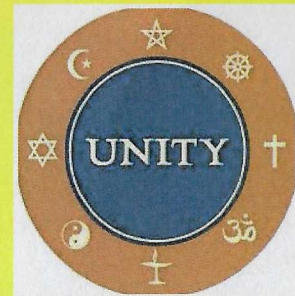
Disagreements may happen in the best of relationships, and lead often to peace in the end. Dividedness never leads to peace and is never from God.

Another unity of Pentecost was the reconciliation between Jesus' natural family and the new family of the apostles. Another gospel account says that in the upper room were people like James, his family 'brother', and Mary his mother, who was the uniting love of all Jesus' followers.

*On the inbreath, breathe in the Spirit of God,
the wind that blows where it wills.*

Come Holy Spirit; Fill our hearts.

*Bring your peace and unity to our world.
May your kingdom come and your will be done. Amen.*



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Office opening times Monday - Friday: 10am - 12.30pm

For all enquires and bookings

	This week we remember	Next week we remember
SATURDAY 6.00pm ASHFORD		Lucy Nugent
SUNDAY 10.30am GLENEALY	Niall O'Flaherty Florrie Doyle	John Behan - Months Mind Al and Dora Doyle - Anniversaries

ASHFORD & GLENEALY PARISH
12th May 2024

ENVELOPE/ CHURCH COLLECTION - goes towards maintaining our parish - € 155
1ST COLLECTION / COMMON FUND - pays salaries of Priests of Diocese - € 560
2ND COLLECTION / SHARE FUND - goes towards Diocesan Administration - € 430
MAINTENANCE - goes towards Parish upkeep - € 65

Many thanks for your continued support.

NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS

To reflect on the readings please check
catholicireland.net / sacredspace.ie / universalis.com

First Reading : Deuteronomy4: 32-34, 39-40
Psalm : 32

Second Reading: Romans: 8:14-17
Gospel: Matthew 28: 16-20

New Appointments in St Mantan Pastoral Area

Fr Eamonn Crosson, current Administrator of Ashford-Glenealy Parish will be reaching the retiring from active ministry age for Priests this year.

He has very generously agreed to continue in Ashford-Glenealy by taking up an appointment as a curate in the parish from the 6th July next.

Fr Aquinas Duffy will be appointed Parish Priest of Ashford-Glenealy in addition to his current appointment as Parish Priest of "Wicklow-Rathnew" and "Kilbride-Barndarrig-Brittias Bay" Parishes.



Come and join us for Afternoon Tea in the garden in aid of Ashford Community Group on Saturday 1st June from 1pm till 4pm at

Mary O'Brien's
11 Ballinalea, Ashford A6 TD28
Admission: €5 at the gate to include a gate prize and also a raffle on the day.

Easter Dues Envelopes
If you have not returned your Easter Dues envelope yet, you might do that as soon as possible, please.

Thank you for your continued generous support of the parish

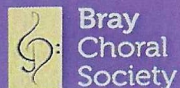
Congratulations

Congratulations to the children of Ashford and Glenealy National Schools who made their First Communion recently.

We keep them, their families and their teachers in our prayers.

Any parents who wish to have a child baptised are asked to attend an introductory meeting before booking a date for the baptism. At this meeting you will be given all the necessary information about the Sacrament of Baptism and the commitment required of the parents who request it for their child. The next meeting will be on

Thursday 23rd - May at 7.30pm in the Church of the Most Holy Rosary, Ashford


 **Bray Choral Society**

MUSICAL DIRECTOR: FRANK KELLY
WITH THE DEGANI SINFONIA,
LEADER: ALAN SMALE


PRESENTS

MOZART REQUIEM

GOODALL ETERNAL LIGHT



SOLOISTS:
JADE PHOENIX (SOPRANO)
ANNA-HELENA MACLACHLANN (MEZZO-SOPRANO)
ROSS SCANLON (TENOR)
DYLAN ROONEY (BASS-BARITONE)



Church of the Most Holy Redeemer, Bray | Sunday 26th May 2024 | 8pm
Tickets €25 on Eventbrite, from choir members or at the door.