

PARISH OF LARNE AND INVER PARISH OF GLYNN AND RALOO

THE LORD bless you
and KEEP you; THE
LORD make His face
shine upon you,
AND BE GRACIOUS TO
you; THE LORD lift
up His COUNTENANCE
upon you, AND GIVE
you PEACE.



March / April 2019



****** IMPORTANT ******

Due to recent changes in data protection regulations, we now need your consent to communicate with you.

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USEFUL NUMBERS . . .IN THE COMMUNITY . . .

Age Concern, 15 Point Street	028 2827 3996
Chest, Heart and Stroke (NI)	028 9032 0184
Citizens Advice Bureau - Reception –028 2826 0379	Advice Line— 0300 1233 233
Housing Executive	034 4892 0900
Larne Borough Council, Smiley Buildings	0300 124 5000
Larne Registrars office Mon/Wed/Fri (9.30am-3.30pm) by appointment	028 2826 2385
Inver Surgery (Dr's Shepherd, McClean, Gordon, Kirk)	028 2826 1611
Corran Surgery (Dr's McIlroy, Murphy, Corrigan, Hopkins, Howe)	028 2826 1600
Victoria Surgery (Dr's Beck, Ferguson, Lusk & Kennedy)	028 2826 1620
The Health Centre, Gloucester Avenue (Dr's Lalsingh, Black)	028 2826 1919
Larne Family Practice, Gloucester Ave (Dr's Brown, Caldwell, Armstrong & Gardner)	028 2826 1910
DOCTOR-OUT OF HOURS EMERGENCIES	028 2566 3500
DENTIST–OUT OF HOURS EMERGENCIES	028 2566 3510
Funeral Director—Ramseys	028 2826 0189
Funeral Director—Mulhollands	028 2827 3333
Police Station	0845 600 8000 or (101 non emergency)
Larne Railway Station (Town)	028 2826 0604
Ulsterbus	028 2827 2345
Larne Jobs & Benefits, Pound Street	0800 022 4250
Moyle Hospital Site -	Elder Care Services— 028 2826 6142
	Home Help Services— 028 2826 6145
	OT Services— 028 2826 6158

HOSPITALS . . .

Antrim Area Hospital	028 94 424000
Belfast City Hospital	028 90 329241
Belvoir Park Hospital	028 90 699069
Holywell Hospital	028 94 465211
Mater Hospital	028 90 741211
Moyle Hospital	028 28 275431
Musgrave Park	028 90 902000
Royal Victoria Hospital	028 90 240503
Whiteabbey Hospital	028 90 865181

MORE USEFUL NUMBERS

FOR CONFIDENTIAL HELP AND SUPPORT . . .

Alcoholics Anonymous	028 90 681084
Arthritis Care NI	028 90 782947
Aware Defeat Depression	028 90 321734
Drugline - run by Contact Youth	028 90 456645
Gamblers Anonymous	028 90 249185
Nexus NI - helping survivors of sexual violence and abuse	t: 028 90 326803 e: info@nexusni.org www.nexusni.org

Rape Crisis and Sexual Abuse	028 90 249696
Relate Marriage Guidance Council	028 90 323454
Samaritans	UK Helpline 116123
Victim Support (for those who have suffered crime)	028 25 630784
Women's Aid NI Helpline	0800 91 71414

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**The Ministerial Team for
Larne / Glynn / Gleno**

Rector - Rev David Lockhart
(pictured on the left)

Rev Dr Ian Mills
(right)

Dear Parishioners,

Sitting in my Study on this beautiful morning writing this letter I find myself gazing out of the window. Such a wonderful sight as the sunshine highlights the beauty of creation. The many shades of green foliage, the gentle swaying of trees. For me the most wonderful sights are the hints of colour the bright white of the snowdrops having just popped through the ground and the magnificent bright daffodils with their trumpets proclaiming "The dark days of Winter death are over, the new life of Spring has arrived."



Easter can have a similar meaning for us as Christians. The brightness of the decorated Church full of Spring flowers, the exuberance of the worship proclaiming a similar truth: "the dark days of Lent are over, Good Friday will soon be and the new life of the risen Christ is available for us all to enjoy."

40 days of Lent

Lent has given us the opportunity to examine our relationship with Christ and it's true state and maybe to highlight the deadness of our spiritual lives. It is as if we are going through a long and difficult spiritual Winter. Acknowledging this spiritual Winter is the first step towards Spring.

In admitting our spiritual need of restoration we can come to the Cross of Good Friday, the lowest point of Christ's suffering for us. There, as He took upon Himself our spiritual poverty and sin, He cried out in despair 'My God, My God, why have You forsaken me?' That agonizing cry was made to release us from our sin and spiritual poverty in order that we might receive the blessing of forgiveness and spiritual wellbeing.

As we meet Christ in His agonized, punished form on His Good Friday Cross so He meets us in His glorified risen form at the empty tomb of Easter day. As we allow His risen power to fill our hearts in worship and adoration it is as if we become like those Spring daffodils. Highlighted by the Spring sunshine of the risen Son of God we trumpet forth the declaration: 'The Winter of death is past and the new life of the Son has arrived.'

I pray that, as you travel towards this Easter time, you will take time to come to Church during Holy Week in particular, in order that you might have time aside to meet with God, time to acknowledge your spiritual need of His Son. As we travel together surrendering ourselves to the God-forsaken Son of Good Friday He will meet with us in His risen refreshing form and will recreate in us the joy of the Easter message.

Yours in Christ
David



Lenten Pause for Reflection

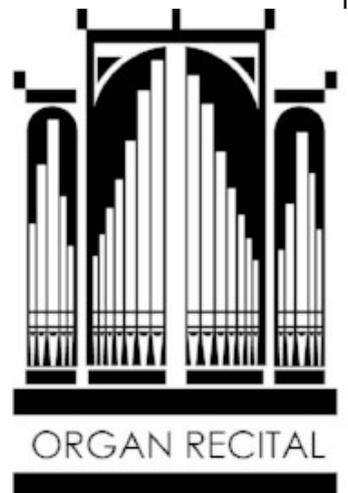
Have you given up chocolate, wine or some other pleasure as a discipline for Lent?

It's important to also nourish your soul and a great way to do this would be to spend an hour in St Cedma's on four of the Fridays during Lent. Our curate who is also a distinguished organist will be giving a 25 minute recital at lunchtime on the Fridays in March.

To ensure that nobody needs to go hungry there will be bread and cheese served with tea and coffee immediately after each recital.

If you work in the town you could have a relaxing lunch break and a lovely refreshing start to the weekend. Please come and join in. Whatever your day contains this will be an opportunity to relax with fellow music lovers.

Anyone wishing to make a voluntary donation will help swell the Hall Building Fund.



Together we can build a hall!

We have reached a very exciting stage in the building of our new hall - the roof is virtually complete and work has started on the interior - we are nearly there and hopefully by September all our organisations including the Brownies, the Bowling Club and Little Angels, all of whom have been displaced in the interim, will be able to return to St Cedma's and enjoy the new surroundings. The hall is for everyone at St Cedma's young and old - a focus for all our futures - to maintain our Christian community in this place.

We have come a long way in reaching this point and we have raised a substantial amount of the money needed to pay for the hall. Everyone has been incredibly generous; however, we still have to find about £150k!

Those of you who were at the 10am service on Sunday 10th February will have seen the model made of the new hall and the latest idea to help pay for it! The model now rests on the table at the west door and all parishioners are invited to place a £1 coin in through the appropriate window each time they come to church. £1 is not a huge amount for each person but if everyone does this by the end of a year we will have raised an amazing £5,000!! How amazing is that? Please think about contributing and helping us reach our target.



Thank you Anne Marcus.

Parish Piecemakers- Quilts of Joy - A Celebration of Easter

I think it's fair to say that many of the parishioners of St Cedma's love to see the Christmas quilts in church - they add something to the unique atmosphere created by centuries of worship from committed people. Well the good news is that the sewing ladies of the Parish Piecemakers have



once again been very busy stitching over the last number of months and have created a wonderful new selection of quilts to celebrate the joy of the Easter season. The reality of the meaning of Easter revealed after the long penitential season of Lent is truly a joyful and celebratory moment!

We hope to have these on display in church on **Easter Sunday** for the services and then to have the church open in the afternoon between 2 - 4pm for anyone who wishes to come and look more closely and enjoy the atmosphere . (On this occasion there will be no refreshments served.)

Then on **Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th April** the church will be open for visitors and there will be 'Tea and Cake' in the adjoining hall with all funds raised going towards the new hall building fund.

Please put the date in your diaries and bring your friends and family along for a lovely afternoon out!

Anne Marcus.



One year on - A reflection on Parish Life

I have been reflecting on the 4th February 2018 when a good number of us went to St Anne's Cathedral to see our rector installed as Dean of Belfast. It was a joyous occasion filled with colour and music but at the end of the service as we celebrated with Stephen we all faced into a future, uncertain where our path would lead next.

Under Stephen's leadership we had worked for years towards our goal of a new parish hall fit for future generations. He left us just as we had cleared all the planning hurdles and ready to appoint a builder. Two days later the nominators set out in some degree of trepidation to discuss with Bishop Alan the process of appointing a new Rector for our Parish. He reassured us that we only had to listen to God and he would give us the person we needed.

During the following months, life in the parish continued smoothly thanks to Anne in the office with the oversight of the Rural Dean, the tireless ministry of Rev Philip Benson and the support of Very Rev John Bond with the help of Lay Readers. From day to day the normal routines were carried forward. Meanwhile a considerable extra programme of making the rectory ready to welcome a new clergy family was undertaken by all those people who give their time generously to Parish life.

Any parish managing to continue a very successful fund-raising campaign under these circumstances should be congratulating themselves. Ronnie Lee as Project Leader for the building project saw

the site works begun in the summer and at the January Vestry Meeting the new Rector was in a position to discuss a date for the Official Opening of our new parish hall.

A lot has changed since that day a year ago. Today we have a new Rector Rev David Lockhart. In appearance and in his personality he is a very different person from Rev Stephen Forde, but they are both men who heard God's call to serve and they are both men who were willing to change their lives and follow the call, as did the new curate chosen by David, Rev. Ian Mills. He is gifted with very different and complementary skills and together they make a great team.

David has been with us for six months, getting to know a whole new congregation. Week after week David has preached a message of good news about the love of God. He is well supported by Beverley, who has thrown herself into total immersion in the life of our Parish, and Naomi who is engaged with our Sunday School.

As Christians we are taught that if we put our trust in God he will care for us and we shall be safe. All through the years of our church I believe that God has sent us clergy with the gifts of ministry which we have needed. So if we take our place alongside them in the Body of Christ and follow God's call together we can achieve great things. A glance backwards occasionally to see how far we've come can give reassurance for the road ahead so "Onward Christian soldiers!"

Norma Nixon



Organ Recitals in St Cedma's, Lent 2019



Our Curate, Rev Dr Ian Mills, will present four organ recitals on St Cedma's Conacher organ on Friday lunchtimes during Lent.

Before training for Ordination Ian was the Organist & Master of the Choristers of St Columb's Cathedral, Londonderry and is an Associate of the Royal College of Organists.

In January he was elected President of the Ulster Society of Organists and Choirmasters.

Recitals will be held on the following dates:

Friday 8th March
Friday 15th March
Friday 22nd March
Friday 29th March

Each recital will begin at 1:05pm and will last 25 minutes.

Admission is free, and the audience is invited for a bread and cheese lunch in the hall following each performance.

There will be a retiring collection in aid of the St Cedma's Church Hall.



QUILTS

OF

JOY



A celebration of Easter

EASTER SUNDAY 2-4PM

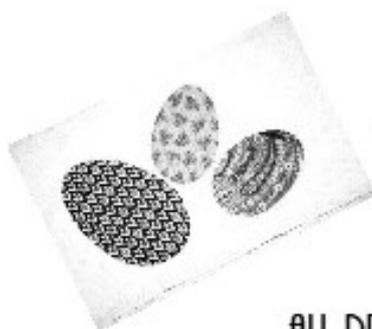
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SATURDAY 27TH APRIL AND SUNDAY 28TH APRIL 2-4PM

WITH

'TEA AND CAKE' IN THE ADJOINING HALL.



ALL PROCEEDS TO ST. CEDMA'S NEW HALL BUILDING FUND

St. Cedma's

Church Road

Larne

BT40 3EU

St. Cedma's

Parish
Piecemakers

www.lrgparishes.co.uk

028 2827 4633



@larneglynraloo

St John's Glynn — Church Bell re-installed on 19th February 2019



Thank you to John Blair local farmer in allowing access for the bell via his field, and also to Ian McKee local land owner.



ADVANCE NOTICE - USED CLOTHING COLLECTIONS

We will be collecting used clothing starting on Wed 1st May and continuing through to 29th May. Please leave filled bags to St Cedma's Lych Gate on Wednesday mornings before 12noon on 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th May. Thank You!!



EASTER HOLY COMMUNION AT HOME

If you know of someone who would like to have Holy Communion at Home during the Easter Period please let Anne know in the Parish Office. 028 2827 4633.



PARISH REGISTERS THIS MONTH



Baptisms

24th Feb 2019 - Ivy Laura Wallace - St Cedma's Church

Funerals



2nd Feb 2019 - Rory Thompson from Huntersbuoy - St Cedma's

17th Feb 2019 - Alice Lennox from McNeill Court - St Cedma's

Revamp!

Calling all you fashionistas out there - does your wardrobe need refreshing? Does a bargain sound appealing?

Spring dresses, classy handbags and much much more will be on offer from St Cedma's Revamp in conjunction with Parish

Piecemakers Quilts of Joy exhibition on Saturday 27th April and Sunday 28th April from 2 - 4pm in St Cedma's hall. What more could a girl ask for!!



Video and virtual tour of St Cedma's Church

The limited edition of Videos of the church history, which lasts for 20 minutes, are still available from Anne Shaw at the parish office and from Patricia McKinley- Hutchinson (02828272705), at a cost of £10, all of which goes towards the funds for the new church hall. Also available for all is a 3D virtual tour of St Cedma's Church on our church and Facebook websites.

www.lgrparishes.co.uk

It can be a bit tricky to negotiate if you're new to this technology, but basically mouse-click on the round circles and or use the arrows on your keyboard. Also click on the little symbol on the bottom left to get to the 'dollhouse' view and use it to navigate around. You will also see at certain views an additional tag providing information about e.g. Wilhelmina Geddis two windows and the chancel ceiling. More tags are being added to provide the viewer with information about various people and other features in the church, already explained in the video and also detailed in the written church history and graveyard leaflets, available at the church.



Patricia E. McKinley - Hutchinson

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Theatre
at the Mill

MOVIE
Musicals

SATURDAY 23RD MARCH 2019

TICKETS: ADULTS: €15 & CONCESSIONS €12

THEATRE AT THE MILL - 7.45PM

BOX OFFICE: 02890 340 202

WWW.THEATREATTHEMILL.COM



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Revamp

New Season - New Threads!!

*Revamp will be showcasing their
Spring/Summer Collection of Pre-Loved
Clothes in St. Cedma's Church Hall in*



conjunction with

QUILTS OF JOY

Saturday 27th April

and Sunday 28th April 2-4pm



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Parish of Larne and Inver
With Glynn & Raloo

Your privacy is important to us and we would like to communicate with church members in a way which has their consent and also in line with European Law on Data Protection.

As a result of a change in Data Protection regulation we now need your consent as to how we contact you. Please complete both sides of this form to indicate how you wish us to communicate with you.

Preferred Contact details:

Contact Person:	
Email Address:	
Phone Number:	

Please sign and tick the boxes below if you consent to the parish holding and processing your personal data, on a secure database.

I consent to the church contacting me with information concerning events, activities, news and services at St Cedma's Larne, St John's Glynn and St Columba's Gleno by :-
(please tick appropriate boxes)

- Post
- Phone
- Email
- Text message

(note you can unsubscribe at any time)

Signed: _____ **Dated:** _____

Please sign here if you wish your details to be removed from the parish database:-

Signed: _____ **Dated:** _____

Where you do not grant consent we will not be able to use your personal data; (so for example we may not be able to let you know about forthcoming services and events); except in certain limited situations, such as where required to do so by law or to protect members of the public from serious harm. You can find out more about how we use your data from our "Data Privacy Notice" which is available from our website or from the Parish Office.

You can withdraw or change your consent at any time by contacting Anne Shaw, Parish Administrator, St Cedma's Church, Church Road, Larne, BT40 3EU (Tel 028 2827 4633). Please note that all processing of your personal data will cease once you have withdrawn consent, other than where this is required by law, but this will not affect any personal data that has already been processed prior to this point.

Registered Charity, No 102657

Names of adults living at address



Names	Address
	Post Code

Names of children

Names	DOB of children	Address (if different)

Telephone contact numbers

Name -		
Name -		

Email addresses

Parish Magazine

(please circle)

Do you wish to receive a copy of the parish magazine?	YES / NO
Are you happy to collect your magazine at Church/Parish Office?	YES / NO
Would you like the magazine emailed to you <i>instead</i> of a paper copy?	YES / NO

Donations to Church *(excluding building fund or special one-off collections)*

Are you currently paying into your Church with weekly Free Will Offering Envelopes?	YES / NO
If NO, would you like to receive envelopes?	YES / NO
Are you contributing to your Church with a monthly standing order?	YES / NO
If NO, would you like to set up a standing order?	YES / NO
Do you contribute to your Church on an annual basis?	YES / NO
Do you Gift Aid your donations to the parish?	YES / NO
If NO would you like to Gift Aid so that the parish can claim another 25% from the Government?	YES / NO

**Thank you so much for taking the time to complete this form.
Please return to the Parish Office.**

LITTLE ANGELS TODDLER GROUP



I Hope you all enjoyed the half term holiday and looking forward to your morning with the Little Angels again.

4th March

We have been invited to Larne & Inver Primary School for a play morning. We will meet at the school for 10am. I hope to see a good 'turn out' please.

Sunday 31st March

Mothering Sunday also celebrating not only our Mothers but the "Mother Church". I hope all Mothers have a lovely day.

8th April

Our last morning before Easter break. We hope to go to World of Wonder at Carrickfergus. We will leave from the hall by bus at 9.30am (please note time). Lunch will be provided and leaving at 1pm to return to Larne for 1.30pm.

6th May

We will be closed for the bank holiday.

May I take this opportunity to wish everyone a very Happy Easter.

We open again after Easter on 29th April 2019.

Any parent both male or female, grannies, grandads and carers will be most welcome at The Cliff, Seacourt. Mondays 10am-12noon.

Come along make new friends and get a cuppa and homemade treats, yum. Hope to see you soon.

Roberta Adams

mothers
union



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Mothers' Union Dates for your diary

Wednesday 13th March—
7.30pm—Craft Night

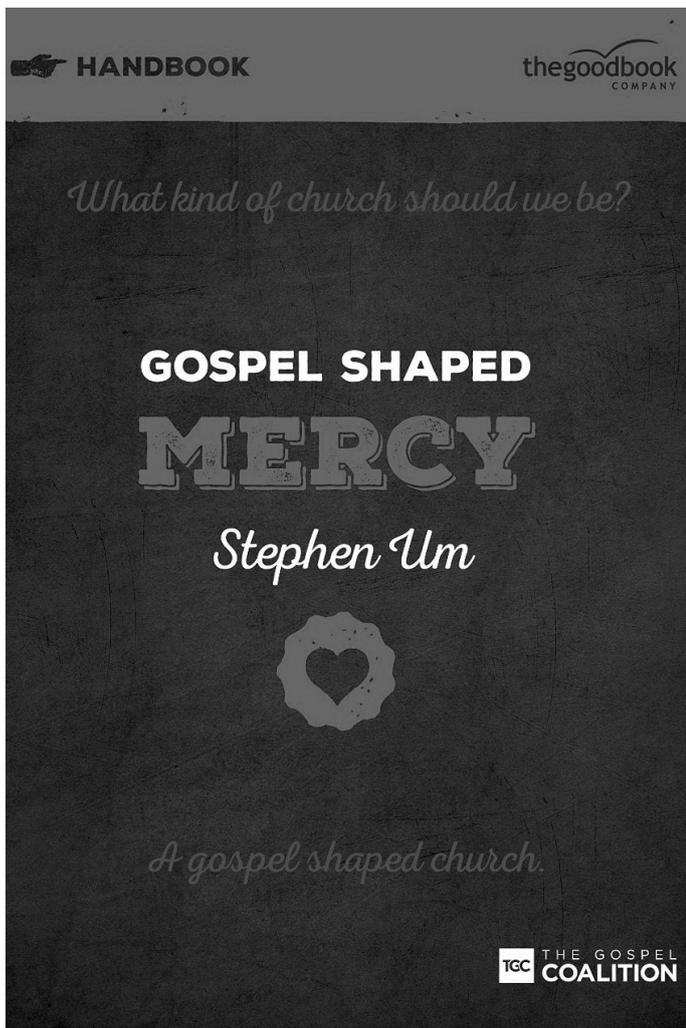
Sunday 7th April - 3.30pm—
MU Festival Service at St Anne's
Cathedral, Belfast

Wed 17th April - 7.30pm—
Holy Week Service at St Cedma's.

Lenten Course

St Cedma's Church Hall

Wednesday evenings starting on
13th March at 7.30pm 2019



Wed 13th March - Shalom

Wed 20th March - Justice

Wed 27th March - Love

Wed 3rd April - Mercy

Wed 10th April - Generosity

Wed 17th April (Holy Week) -
Reconciliation

Wed 1st May - Diversity

PLEASE JOIN US ON 13th MARCH - EVERYONE IS MOST WELCOME

EASY SUDOKO

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INTERMEDIATE SUDOKO

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25 years of ordaining women

25 years ago, on 12th March 1994, the first 32 women priests in the Church of England were ordained. It happened in Bristol Cathedral, and Bishop Barry Rogerson ordained them in alphabetical order; so Angela Berners-Wilson was considered the very first woman to be ordained. She is now chaplain at the University of Bath and prebendary at Wells Cathedral. The youngest was Karen MacKinnon, now spiritual care manager at Southampton Hospital. Ten years later, one in five priests was a woman. Of the 542 candidates entering training this year, more than half (274) are women, which is 19 per cent more than last year.

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Years	Rogerson
March	Alphabetical
First	Angela
Thirty	Chaplain
Two	University
Women	Karen
Priests	Spiritual
Ordained	Care
Bristol	Hospital
Cathedral	Candidates

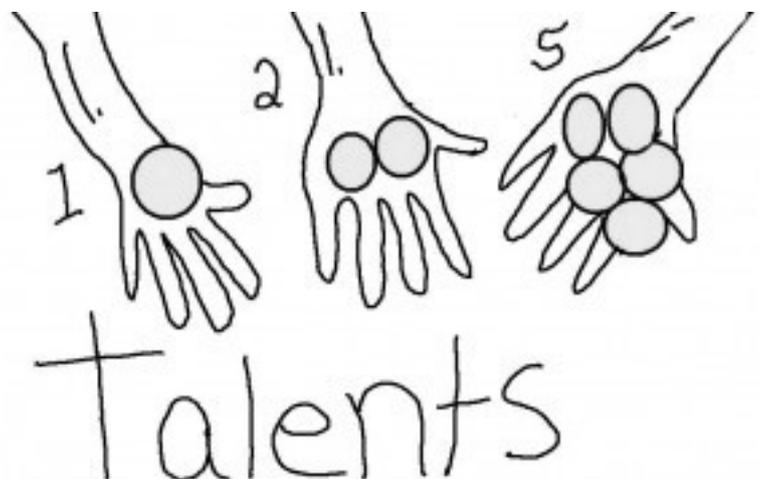
St Cedma's Handmade Christmas!

Yes! I know it's only March and much too early to be talking about next Christmas but for those of a 'crafty' nature it's never too early to start creating!

During the year of 'talents' it was amazing to see all the fabulous items our really talented parishioners made from buns to cushions, cardigans to weather vanes etc etc. By next Christmas our new hall will be up and running and what better way to enjoy it than by having a Fair to show off all those fabulous creations.

So on **Saturday 30th November** we hope to hold a Handmade Fair in conjunction with the Advent Quilts, Second Chance and Teas. Stalls will be available for parishioners (there will be no outside stalls) in the main hall to sell their wares - baking, sewing, painting, knitting, metalwork, woodwork, cards, etc - in fact anything that you can make! In return we would ask for a minimum of 50% of the profits after costs as a contribution. All funds raised will go to the hall building fund.

If you are inspired to take a stall or want any further information please speak to Anne Marcus or ring me on 028 28274304.



Glynn and Raloo Parish Churches FWO 2018

No	Amount	Harvest	No	Amount	Harvest	No	Amount	Harvest
1	530.00	50.00	51	10.00				
2	270.00		52	10.00				
3	10.00		53	110.00		1	240.00	20.00
4	260.00	10.00	54	110.00		2	160.00	
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6	10.00		56	265.00	5.00			
7			57	60.00				
8	325.00	10.00	58	104.00				
9			59	55.00				
10	266.00	10.00	60	125.00				
11			61	130.00	5.00			
12	510.00	10.00	62	27.50				
13	290.00	10.00	63	1,080.00	10.00			
14	170.00	10.00	64	104.00				
15	100.00		65	280.00				
16			66	810.00				
17			67	1.00				
18	515.00	5.00	68	100.00				
19			69	265.00	10.00			
20	120.00		70					
21	38.00		71	215.00	1.50			
22			72	27.00				
23	62.00		73	610.00				
24	30.00		74	20.00				
25	30.00		75	59.60				
26	300.00	25.00	76					
27	290.00	5.00	77	69.00				
28	155.00	5.00	78	65.00				
29	130.00	10.00	79	155.00	5.00			
30	79.50		80	255.00	5.00			
31			81	80.00				
32	205.00	10.00	82	195.00	5.00			
33	290.00	20.00	83	330.00	50.00			
34	102.00	10.00	84					
35	270.00	10.00	85	52.00				
36	110.00	10.00	86	30.00				
37	125.00		87	82.50				
38			88	475.00	10.00			
39	284.10	20.00	89	4.00				
40	266.00	5.00	90	155.00	10.00			
41	80.00		91					
42	70.00		92	260.00	20.00			
43			93	40.00	2.00			
44	229.00		94	200.00				
45	615.00	40.00	95	190.00				
46	80.00	5.00	96	80.00	5.00			
47			97					
48	250.00	10.00	98					
49	665.00		99					
50	120.00		100	260.00	10.00			

Standing Orders

1	240.00	20.00
2	160.00	
3	120.00	

Annual FWO

McC	30.00
J	104.00
McC	156.00
G	60.00
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B	100.00
G	350.00
M	156.00
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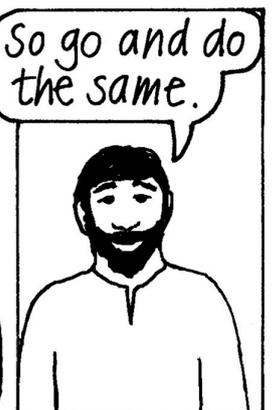
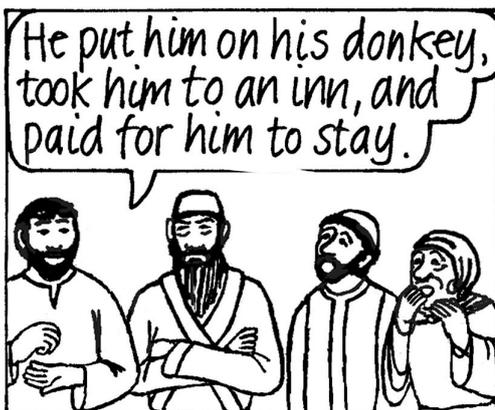
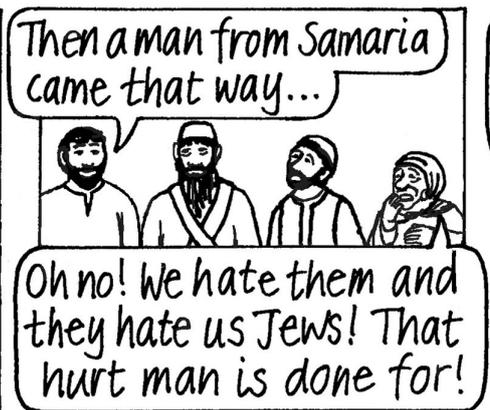
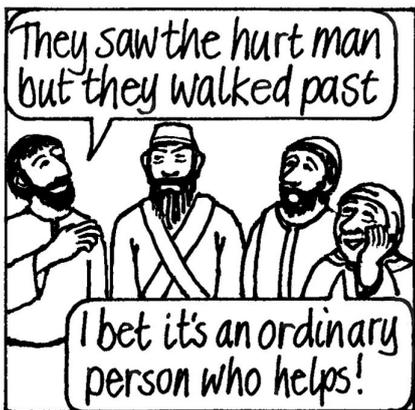
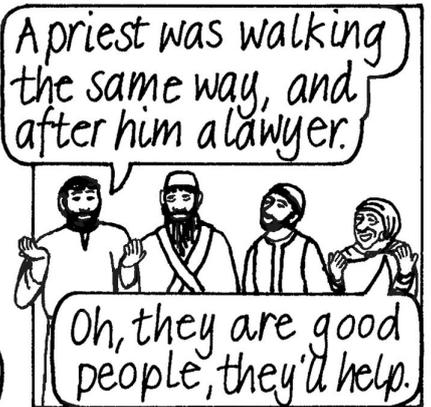
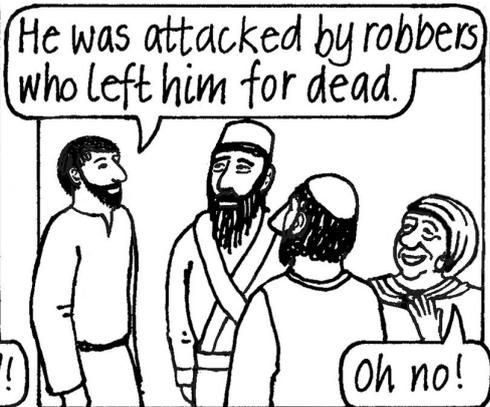
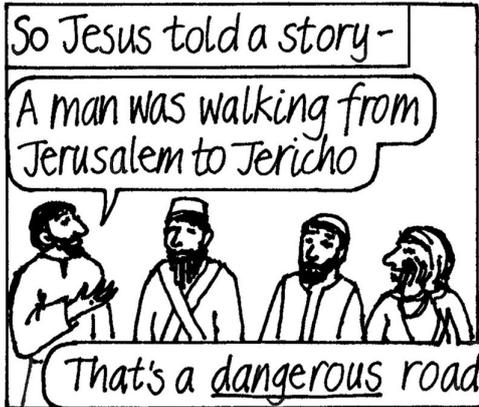
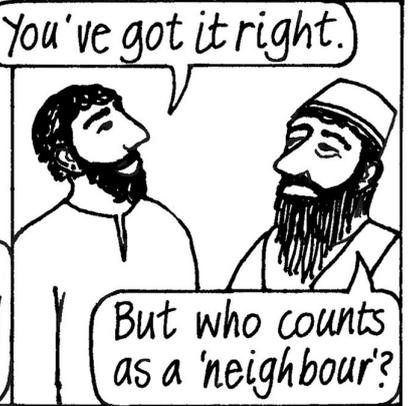
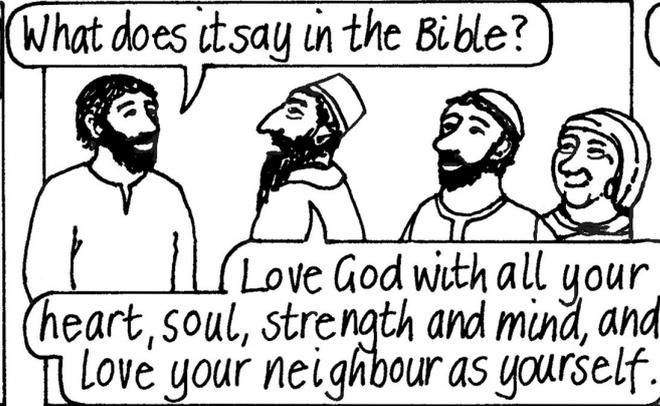
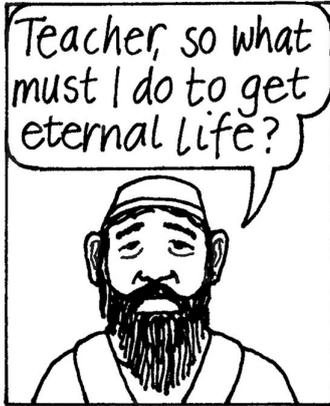
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Bible Bite

A short story from the Bible

It can be read in the Bible in
Luke 10:25-37

An expert in the Law of Moses wanted to test Jesus' knowledge of the laws in the Bible, so he asked Jesus a question.



PRAYERS AND POEMS

God's Garden

God made a beauteous garden
With lovely flowers strown,
But one straight, narrow pathway
That was not overgrown.
And to this beauteous garden
He brought mankind to live,
And said: "To you, my children,
These lovely flowers I give.
Prune ye my vines and fig trees,
With care my flowerets tend,
But keep the pathway open
Your home is at the end."

Then came another master,
Who did not love mankind,
And planted on the pathway
Gold flowers for them to find.
And mankind saw the bright
flowers,
That, glitt'ring in the sun,
Quite hid the thorns of av'rice
That poison blood and bone;
And far off many wandered,
And when life's night came on,
They still were seeking gold
flowers,
Lost, helpless and alone.

O, cease to heed the glamour
That blinds your foolish eyes,
Look upward to the glitter
Of stars in God's clear skies.
Their ways are pure and harmless
And will not lead astray,
Bid aid your erring footsteps
To keep the narrow way.
And when the sun shines brightly
Tend flowers that God has given
And keep the pathway open
That leads you on to heaven.

Robert Frost

Prayer for help and healing

Father,
You are always loving, always
generous and kind to your children.
Please have mercy on us as a
nation at this time of turmoil and
division.
Help us to be tolerant and
understanding of those who have
different, sincerely-held opinions.
And guide our leaders so that your
will be done in our country and in
our relationships with each other
and with Europe and the rest of the
world.
Lord, have mercy on us, forgive us
and heal us.
In Jesus name,
Amen.

By Daphne Kitching

Jesus my Lord

My spirit soars to hear the name
Of Jesus my Lord;
His Spirit sets my soul aflame
O Jesus my Lord!
No evil vexes while I cling
To Jesus my Lord,
So shall my joyful spirit sing
Of Jesus my Lord!

He gave His life that I should live
O Jesus my Lord!
My sinful soul He will forgive
Sweet Jesus my Lord!
Of His salvation now I'm sure
Through Jesus my Lord
I'll sing His praises evermore
Dear Jesus, my Lord.

By Nigel Beeton

SMILE LINES & QUOTATIONS

Hair-cut

A minister, known for his lengthy sermons, noticed a man leave during the middle of his message. The man returned as the service concluded. Afterwards the minister asked the man where he had gone. "I went to get a hair-cut," was the reply.

"But," protested the minister, "why didn't you do that before the service?"

"Because," said the man, "I didn't need one then."

Happy

Never miss an opportunity to make others happy, even if you have to leave them alone in order to do it.

Science

Protons have mass? I didn't even know they were Catholic.

TV

The mind is like a television...when it goes blank, it's a good idea to turn off the sound.

Unique

Always remember you're unique. Just like everyone else.

Don't lie

If you tell the truth, you don't have to remember anything.



Some miscellaneous observations on life

- A sharp tongue can cut your own throat.
- Keep smiling - it makes people wonder what you've been up to.
- If you want your dreams to come true, you mustn't oversleep.
- The heaviest thing you can carry is a grudge.
- One thing you can give and still keep...is your word.
- You lie the loudest when you lie to yourself
- If you lack the courage to start, you have already finished.
- One thing you can't recycle is wasted time.
- It is too late to become what you might have been?
- Be kinder than necessary because everyone you meet is fighting some kind of battle.

Your Facebook friends are praying for you to give up Facebook for Lent.



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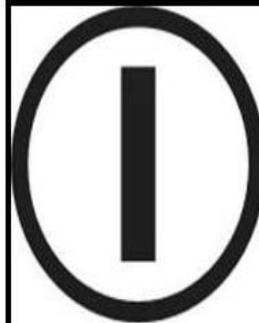
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 10th Mrs Liz Rutherford
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 24th Mrs Isabel Burke
 31st Mrs F Houston

7th April Mrs N Nixon
 14th PALM SUNDAY
 21st EASTER FLOWERS
 28th EASTER FLOWERS

Flower Rota

St John's Church



3rd March Mrs J Davidson
 10th Mrs J Davidson
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MARCH SERVICES 2019

Sunday 3rd March 2019 - Sunday before Lent

Larne 8:30am	Larne 10am	Glynn 11:30am	Gleno 11:30am	Larne 7pm
Traditional Holy Communion	Family Holy Communion	Morning Prayer	Morning Prayer	Evening Prayer

ASH WEDNESDAY - 6th March 2019

**St John's Church, Glynn at 11am - Holy Communion
St Cedma's Church, Larne at 7.30pm - Penitential Service**

Sunday 10th March 2019 - First Sunday in Lent

Larne 8:30am	Larne 10am	Glynn 11:30am	Gleno 11:30am	Larne 7pm
Traditional Holy Communion	All Age Service	Morning Prayer	Holy Communion	Evening Prayer

Sunday 17th March 2019 - Second Sunday in Lent (St Patrick's Day)

Larne 8:30am	Larne 10am	Glynn 11:30am	Gleno 11:30am	Larne 7pm
Traditional Holy Communion	All Age Service	Holy Communion	Morning Prayer	Evening Prayer

Sunday 24th March 2019 - Third Sunday in Lent

Larne 8:30am	Larne 10am	Glynn 11:30am	Gleno 11:30am	Larne 7pm
Traditional Holy Communion	All Age Service & Baptism	Morning Prayer	Morning Prayer	Holy Communion

Sunday 31st March 2019 - Fourth Sunday in Lent (Mothering Sunday)

Larne 8:30am	Larne 10am	Glynn 11:30am	Gleno 11:30am	Larne 7pm
Traditional Holy Communion	All Age Service	Morning Prayer	Morning Prayer	Evening Prayer



**EVERY WEDNESDAY at St Cedma's – 11am
HOLY COMMUNION with PRAYERS FOR
HEALING**



APRIL SERVICES 2019

Sunday 7th April 2019 - Fifth Sunday in Lent (Passiontide)

Larne 8:30am	Larne 10am	Glynn 11:30am	Gleno 11:30am	Larne 7pm
Traditional Holy Communion	Holy Communion	Combined Morning Prayer & Easter Vestry	(Combined service at St.John's, Glynn)	Evening Prayer

Sunday 14th April 2019 - Palm Sunday

Larne 8:30am	Larne 10am	Glynn 11:30am	Gleno 11:30am	Larne 7pm
Traditional Holy Communion	All Age Service	Morning Prayer & Dedication of Bell	Holy Communion	Evening Prayer

Sunday 21st April 2019 EASTER SUNDAY

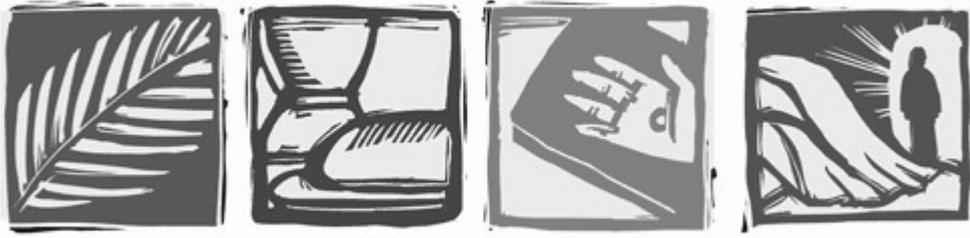


Larne 8:30am	Larne 10am	Glynn	Gleno 11:30am	Larne 7pm
Traditional Holy Communion	Family Holy Communion	Holy Communion	Holy Communion	No Service

Sunday 28th April 2019 - Second Sunday of Easter

Larne 8:30am	Larne 10am	Glynn 11:30am	Gleno 11:30am	Larne 7pm
Traditional Holy Communion	All Age Service & Easter Vestry	Morning Prayer	Morning Prayer	Service of Easter Readings & Hymns

HOLY WEEK



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

First Larne Presbyterian, All Saints & Cairncastle Parishes and the Parish of Larne & Inver with Glynn & Raloo Shared Holy Week Services

HOLY WEEK 2019 - "JOURNEY TO THE CROSS"

Monday 15th April 2019

- 12.30pm - Lunch Time Reflection at 1st Larne Presbyterian followed by lunch at 1pm.
7.30pm - Evening Prayer at All Saint's Church, Craighill

Tuesday 16th April 2019

- 12.30pm - Lunch Time Reflection at 1st Larne Presbyterian followed by lunch at 1pm.
7.30pm - "Stainer's Crucifixion" by Larne Concert Choir at St Cedma's Church

Wednesday 17th April 2019

- 12.30pm - Lunch Time Reflection at 1st Larne Presbyterian followed by lunch at 1pm.
7.30pm - Evening Prayer at St Cedma's Church

Thursday 18th April 2019

- 12.30pm - Lunch Time Reflection at 1st Larne Presbyterian followed by lunch at 1pm.
7.30pm Maundy Thursday Service of Holy Communion at St Cedma's Church

Friday 19th April 2019

- 11am - Good Friday Walk of Witness (Leaving Salvation Army Hall, followed by refreshments).
7.30pm - Good Friday Evening Service at St Cedma's Church