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## genealogy

### Meet the Ancestors...

Glasnevin was opened in 1832 by Daniel O'Connell as a place where people "of all religions and none" could be buried with dignity and respect. Since then the records of over 1.5 million people have been meticulously kept.

**\*Free €5 genealogy search voucher with every museum ticket**

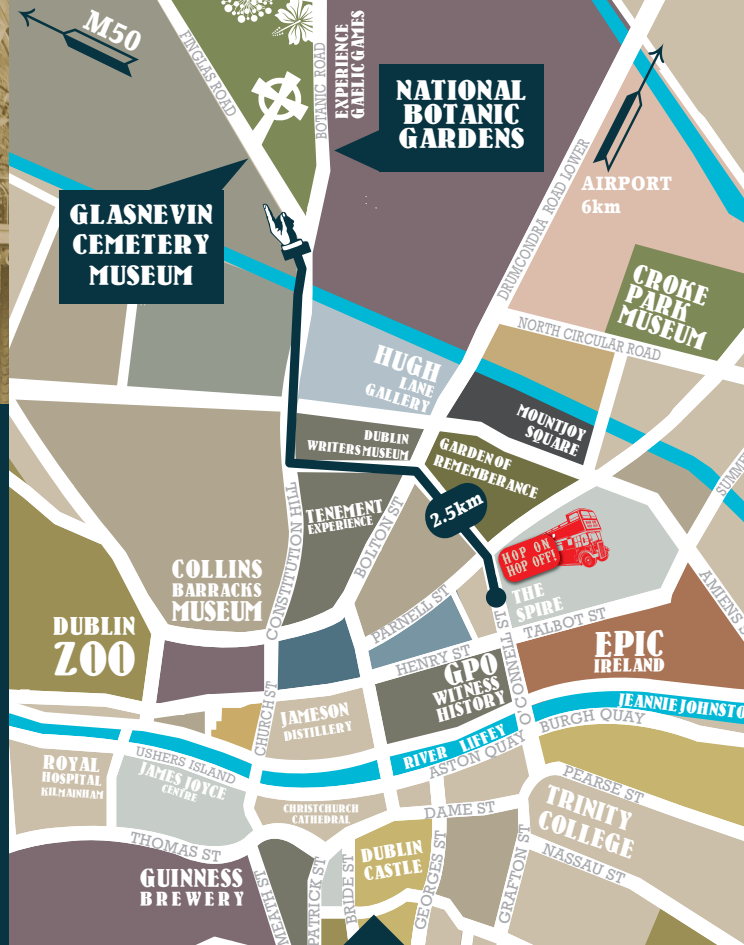
Relax in the Tower Café or browse the range of crafts, art and literature in the gift shop.

### Events and Happenings

An extensive list of events is in place – please see website for updates. Glasnevin is a not for profit organisation and all proceeds are redirected to the restoration of Ireland's Necropolis. Glasnevin aims to preserve and honour the heritage of past generations, serve and respect the needs of the present generation, and provide a legacy for future generations.



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& café



## PUBLIC INFORMATION

Opening hours: 0900hrs – 1800hrs\* 7 days incl Bank hols  
\*closes 1700hrs in winter

Public and private tours daily from 0930hrs

Please see website for tour times | Pedestrian link to Botanic Gardens

Entry fee includes full guided walking tour, access to museum and exhibitions, re-enactment, genealogy voucher and 10% discount in the Tower Café

**Car and coach parking onsite**

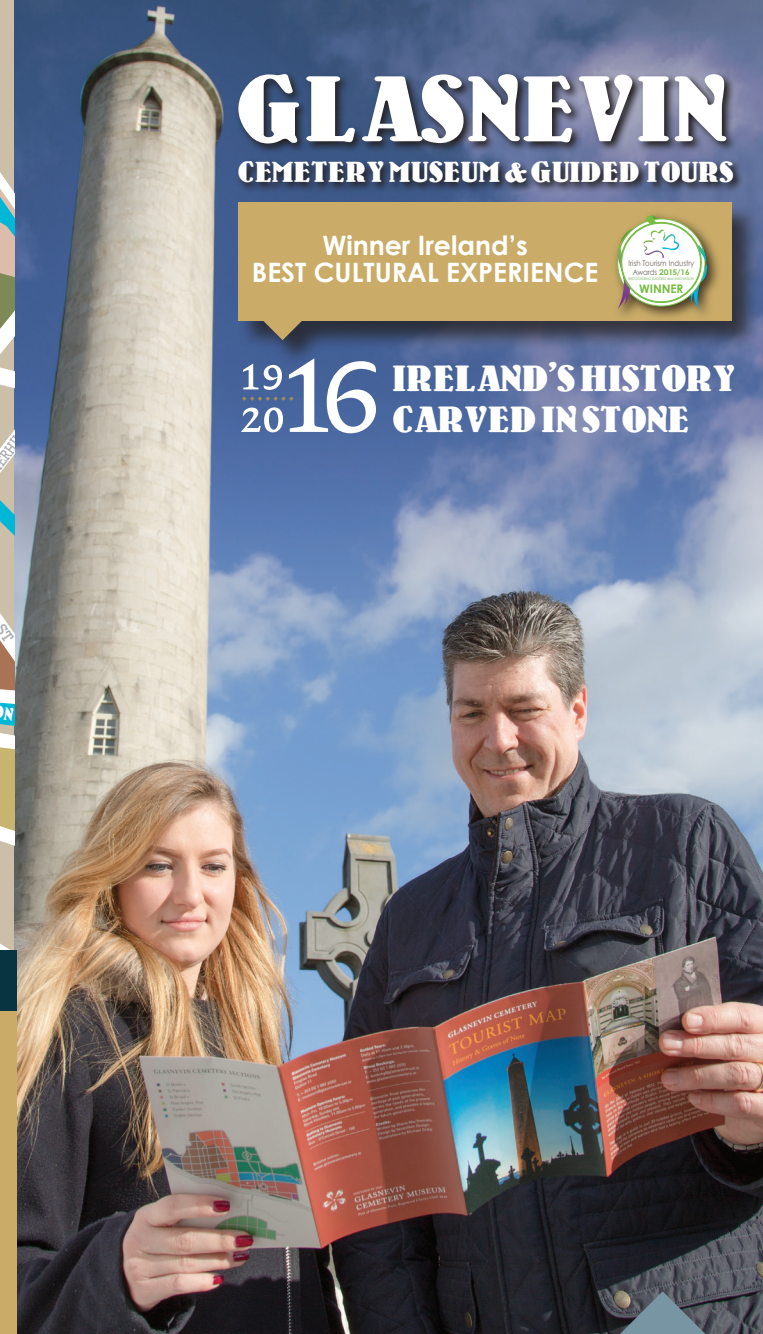
Bus service from O'Connell St – No's 40 & 140

**Dublin City Sightseeing hop on hop off Blue Route every 30 mins**

Glasnevin Cemetery Museum, Finglas Road, Dublin 11

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**GLASNEVIN CEMETERY** is located just 2.5km from Dublin's City Centre. It is a hauntingly gorgeous Victorian Garden Cemetery covering 124 acres of glorious parkland and adjoins the National Botanic Gardens. Since 1832, more than 1.5 million people have been interred in Glasnevin - rich and famous, paupers and politicians, artists, warriors and heroes.



## museum and 1916 exhibition

This award-winning museum charts the fascinating history of this hallowed place, telling the stories of grave diggers and grave robbers, cholera epidemics, and world wars through fascinating guided tours, visiting the graves of Ireland's heroes – Daniel O'Connell, Michael Collins, Eamon De Valera, Charles Stewart Parnell, Roger Casement, Maud Gonne, Countess Markievicz to name a few.

Glasnevin was awarded Best Cultural Experience at the Irish Tourism Industry awards and is now one of Ireland's most popular attractions. Tripadvisor frequently lists it at number 1 highlighting Glasnevin as a cemetery of historical importance.



Each and every tour guide at Glasnevin is passionate about sharing their love of heritage and history. They skilfully turn a learning experience into a period of magic with a careful balance of passion, sensitivity and even fun. You will hear the stories of Ireland's complex and interesting past, and the colourful personalities that helped to shape modern Ireland as we know it today. This is the story of Dublin and Dubliners – their lives, their heritage, their culture, their politics, their passions.



meet  
your  
guide

## tours



## re-enactments

**"The Fools, the Fools, the Fools! – they have left us our Fenian dead – And while Ireland holds these graves, Ireland unfree shall never be at peace."**

Dramatic re-enactments bring legend to life featuring the orations and words of the famous. The funeral of prominent Fenian, Jeremiah O'Donovan Rossa took place on the 1<sup>st</sup> August 1915. It saw an unknown man step forward from the crowd and make a graveside oration which would influence a nation. This would rouse Irish republican feeling and would be a significant element in the lead-up to the Easter Rising of 1916. That man was Patrick Pearse. The now famous speech is re-enacted daily at 2.30pm, at O'Donovan Rossa's grave, by an actor dressed as Pearse in full uniform.

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