

# TERMONFECHIN PARISH

Church of the Immaculate Conception & Church of the Assumption

A Parish in the St Colmcille Pastoral Area

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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MISSION STATEMENT

*To enable parishioners to come together to discover, share, and celebrate the gifts of all, for the good of all, and so grow in faith for the glory of God.*

## MASS TIMES & CHURCHES (IC = Church of the Immaculate Conception; A = Church of the Assumption)

Saturday 26 October @ 7:00 IC ~ Frank Carroll & family deceased
Sunday 27 October @ 9:30am A ~
Sunday 27 October @ 11:00am IC ~
Monday 28 October @ 9.30am IC ~
Tuesday 29 October @ 9.30am IC ~
Wednesday 30 October @ 9.30am A ~
Friday 1 November @ 7.30am IC ~
Saturday 2 November @ 9.30am A ~
Saturday 2 November @ 7:00 IC ~ Vincent McGlew (1st Anniversary) & family deceased • Larry Cunningham (1st Anniversary) •Lizzie Kirk • Mary Murphy • Thomas, Joseph & Annie Sheridan
Sunday 3 November @ 9:30am A ~ James & Detta Meegan & Cis Campbell
Sunday 3 November @ 11:00am IC ~



## RECENTLY DECEASED - REST IN PEACE

Bernard McKenna, Dunleer • Mary Hughes (née McDermott), Jenkinstown • Antonia Vultur, Drogheda • Michael McHugh, Mornington • Eileen McEvoy, Dublin • Elizabeth (Betty) Kelly, The Paddocks • Nicholas McLeer, Castle Coe Hill • Fintan Matthews, Dunleer

## IF YOU ARE COELIAC

If you are Coeliac you are invited to go to the Celebrant to receive Holy Communion at any of our Masses.



## LOOP SYSTEM IN IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Remember if you use a BTE hearing aid then you can improve your hearing experience with the 'T' position on your hearing aid.



## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament continues each Monday between 7pm and 8pm in the church of the Immaculate Conception. In Scripture the beautiful verse from the Book of Psalms comes to mind:

*Be still and know that I am God (Psalm 45:10).*

## JOIN US FOR THE ROSARY ON THURSDAY

The final Rosary at the Grotto for the month of October will take place at the grotto at Scoil Mhuire gan Smál, Sandpit on Thursday 31 October @ 7.30pm Thanks to Margaret Finegan from our Parish Pastoral Council and others who lead the prayers and hymns each night.



## REMEMBERING BOARD

A 'Remembering Board' will be placed in front of the Sanctuary in the church of the Immaculate Conception during the month of November. People are invited to place photographs or memory cards on the board of anyone they wish to be remembered, these may include family, relatives or friends who have died recently or not so recently, whether they be from home or abroad.

## NOVEMBER DEAD LIST

November Dead List sheets and envelopes are now available at both churches. You are invited to take an envelope for the List and write down all your family deceased and others you know. When you have done this, then bring the envelope back to any Mass in the Parish.



## FIRST FRIDAY VISITS

The monthly visits will take place this coming Friday (1 November) at the usual times. If you or a member of your family is unable to get to Sunday Mass and would like to be included in the visit, please ring Fr. Paul @ 041-9822121.

## PARISH VOLUNTEERS & CO-WORKERS

The Parish Pastoral Council would like to thank all who attended the gathering in Termonfeckin N.S. last Wednesday evening. We hope to have more details in next weeks newsletter of areas in the Parish and how we will continue the listening exercise.

## ADVENT LITURGY WORKSHOP

Will take place in the Pastoral Centre Dundalk on Saturday 9 November from 10am-3pm with guest speaker Bishop Michael Router and music workshop with Brendan McCourt. Cost €10 per person and light lunch will be provided. Pre-booking is essential, contact Milanda on 042-9336393 or Milanda@parish&family.ie before 26 October.

## NEW SCHOOL EXTENSION

The new extension of Termonfeckin N.S. Was official opened and blessed by Bishop Michael Router Auxiliary Bishop of Armagh on his first official visit to the parish. A large number of people were present for the opening and Bishop Michael and pupils planted trees to mark the occasion.

## FLOURISH - 'WORKING WITH SUICIDE'

Flourish is a partnership between Lighthouse Ireland and clergy from churches throughout Ireland. The aim of these training modules is to explore the relationship between the theological understanding of suicide and how this translates into pastoral action. We invite all clergy, youth workers, lay pastoral workers and staff representatives from churches of all denominations to attend on Thursday 31 October from 9:30am to 4:30pm at Dromantine Conference Centre, Newry For a registration form please email [sharon@lighthousecharity.com](mailto:sharon@lighthousecharity.com) or phone Lighthouse on 048 9075 5070.

## NIGHT OF PRAYERS FOR HEALING

You are invited to a Night of Prayers for Healing with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament on Monday 28 October at 7.30pm, in the Diocesan Pastoral Centre, The Magnet, Dundalk. Praying especially for all with cancers and to prevent, testimony and first class relic of St Peregrine (patron of healings of cancers ) reflections and music. All welcome.

## ZAMBIA 2020

Next years visit to Zambia will take place between Sunday 28 June & Friday 17 July, the cost of the trip is €1,600 all in. Anyone wishing to volunteer please note that Thursday 31 October is the last day of registration. Please contact the Parish office before then to secure a place.

## INTERNET BROADCASTING

Mass and other services will be broadcast each day over the internet. The operator of the system is Fr. Paul Byrne PP VF, Parochial House, Termonfeckin. Tel 041-9822121, to whom queries should be referred.

## NEXT SUNDAY'S SCRIPTURE:

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time -  
Wisdom 11: 22 - 12:2 ▪ Psalm 144 ▪

2 Thessalonians 1: 11 - 2:2 ▪ Luke 19: 1 - 10



## COME AND SEE – 9 & 16 NOVEMBER

Meet with the Dominican Contemplative Nuns for Reflection, Prayer and Sharing on the theme of exploring the values of Dominican Contemplative Life and its vital contribution in our modern world. Saturday 9 & 16 November – 10am to 7pm. Venue- Monastery of St Catherine of Siena, The Twenties, Drogheda. Contact: Sr M Breda OP, [siena3@eircom.net](mailto:siena3@eircom.net) - Tel: 041 9838524.

## RENEWABLE ENERGY TRAINING PROGRAMME

Louth LEADER wish to recruit participants/businesses/ groups/farmers/teachers to participate in a LEADER funded 6 week Renewable Energy Training programme which will be held in Drumshallon Forge Heritage Centre starting on Monday 4 November. For more details contact Louth LEADER Partnership on 041 6857374.

## MISSION SUNDAY

Thank you for your prayers and generosity towards World Mission Sunday last weekend. Your kindness means so much. It will help missionaries and struggling communities to form and sustain communities of hope and faith. Please know that your continued kindness towards World Mission Sunday makes transformative differences in the lives of people who are suffering. The Mission collection amounted to €1,162.15. Thank you.

## ST VINCENT DE PAUL OUTREACH

Need help? Remember, you are not alone. Call... 1800 677777. *Your call can be the beginning of solutions.*

## BALSANTER - TEXT ALERT REMINDER

**086 2747474.** Working together we will be safer.

## YOUR EURO GIFT TO YOUR PARISH

At last Sunday's Masses you gave €810.10 in 82 envelopes and €479.82 on the plate collection totalling €1,289.92 to help run our Parish.

*Thank you for your continued generosity and loyalty to your Parish.*