

# 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 9 March @ 7.00pm IC ~

Sunday 10 March @ 9.30am A ~

Sunday 10 March @ 11.00am IC ~

### Anniversary Masses this weekend

Michael King (Month's Mind) • Joe Leech • Mary Murphy • John & Rose Murphy + Sinead Reilly • Thomas, Margaret & Geraldine Finnegan • Paddy & Vera Flynn • Tanya & Zac McCabe • Tommy Robertson

Monday 11 March @ 9.30am IC ~

Tuesday 12 March @ 7pm IC ~

Wednesday 13 March @ 9.30am A ~

Thursday 14 March @ 9.30am IC ~



Saturday 16 March @ 7.00pm IC ~

Sunday 17 March @ 9.30am A ~

Sunday 17 March @ 11.00am IC ~

### Anniversary Masses next weekend

Teresa Murphy (1st Anniversary) + Frank, Mary & Nicholas Murphy + Margaret & Patrick Reynolds + Kate Roche • Owen Coyle & family deceased • Agnes & Jimmie Grimes & family deceased • Frank Beirth • May, Paddy & Martin Flynn • Billy & Andy Fanning & Dorothy Doran • Jue Murphy

## RECENTLY DECEASED - REST IN PEACE

**Daphne Branigan** (Baltray) • **Margaret McDonald** (Liverpool) • **Damien Reynolds** (England & late of Drogheda Rd)

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION - TIME OF QUIET FOR PRAISE AND BLESSINGS

### INVITATION TO 12 HOUR EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Praying with Blessed Carlo Acutis for Vocations, tomorrow (Monday 11 March) for 12 hours, commencing with Mass at 9.30am in the church of the Immaculate Conception, Termonfeckin.

You are invited to sign up for a period of Adoration during this day so that there is always someone in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.

Blessed Carlo was an Italian Catholic teenager. His love of the Eucharist was his life, he said "*The Eucharist is my Highway to Heaven*". He was beatified by Pope Francis on 10 October 2020, 2 days before the 14th Anniversary of his death. See document at back of Church to sign up for period of Adoration.

**Friday** from 11am– 6pm via the internet only, see <https://www.termonfechinparish.ie/webcam>

In Scripture the beautiful verse from the Book of Psalms comes to mind:

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



## STATIONS OF THE CROSS FOR LENT

Stations of the Cross will take place at **4pm** on the Sunday's of Lent in the church of the Immaculate Conception Termonfeckin, all are welcome.





## 17 MARCH - WORSHIP THE LORD; HONOUR ST PATRICK

Please note normal Sunday Mass times apply for St. Patrick's Day next week.

Church of the Assumption @ 9.30am

Church of the Immaculate Conception @ 11.00am



### TROCAIRE LENT CAMPAIGN

'Whoever lives the truth, comes to the light.' (John 3:21)

Happy Mother's Day from all in Trócaire. In the Machinga district of Malawi, Malita is a strong and resilient woman, despite the challenges she faces. She works tirelessly in her community to improve the life of all its members. Like all mothers, she prays for the best for her children. She wants them to have an education and opportunities for a better life. Trócaire and its local partners are working with women like Malita to build a more just world. To learn more, go to: <https://www.trocaire.org/our-work/working-inireland/parishes/>



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### MOTHER'S DAY PRAYER

Let us pray, Loving God of all creation, Be near our mothers on this day, Keep our precious nurturers in your tender care, just as they hold us close to their hearts no matter what age we are. Grant light and peace to mothers who have died and who continue to watch over us. Give all people the grace of your healing, bless us with patience and open our hearts to reach out to those most in need today. We ask this in the Spirit, through Christ your selfless Son. Amen



### LENTEN JOURNEY WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

Armagh Parish Holy Spirit Prayer Group invite you to St Malachy's Church on Tuesday evenings at 7:30pm for a Lenten Journey with the Holy Spirit. All welcome!  
12 March – "Baptism in the Holy Spirit" with Fr Gerry Campbell  
19 March – "Growth" with Teresa Lappin  
26 March – "Transformation in Christ" with Deacon Pat Butterly

### PRaise & WORSHIP PRAYER MEETING

Held every **Tuesday at 8pm**. Will now meet in the Parish Hall (Old School) Eircode A92 DNT9 . Further inquiries contact Sandra 085 8110475.

### SOCIAL DANCING

This Sunday in St Fechin's Community Centre with music by Aidan Clerkin. Doors open at 4.30pm dancing 5-7.30pm. Admission €10, refreshments served. All welcome

**Our March Newsletters are kindly Sponsored in Memory of Sr Paula Leech**



### YOUR EURO GIFT TO YOUR PARISH

At last Sunday's Masses you gave €890.37 in 74 envelopes and €575.23 on the plate collection totalling €1,465.60 to help run our Parish. Thank you for your support to your Parish.

### NEXT SUNDAY'S SCRIPTURE:

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

ST PATRICK, BISHOP, PRINCIPAL PATRON OF IRELAND

Jeremiah 31:31 - 34 ▪ Psalm 50


▪ Hebrews 5: 7 - 9 ▪ John 12: 20 - 30



### ACCORD CATHOLIC MARRIAGE CARE SERVICE CLG

Is currently recruiting volunteers to train as marriage preparation programme facilitators. If you have a positive attitude towards marriage in the Catholic Church & have the enthusiasm to be part of the Accord team in supporting couples who are preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage, Accord wants to hear from you! Successful applicants will receive professional training and will be part of a team delivering marriage preparation programmes locally. Contact Aisling on 01 505 3112 or by email to [marriagepreparation@accord.ie](mailto:marriagepreparation@accord.ie)

### ST VINCENT DE PAUL OUTREACH

Need help? Remember, you are not alone. Ring this number..... 1800 677777. 

### 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.

### BALSANTER - TEXT ALERT REMINDER 086 2747474.

Working together we will be safer.

### PAYZONE BUTTON AND QR CODES

Have you tried out our secure online 'Donate' facility yet? It is available through the parish website and on the parish Facebook page or **you can actually donate to the parish here using your smart phone and the newsletter! Just scan the QR Code.**



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### INTERNET BROADCASTING

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