

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.

Saturday 4 May @ **7.00pm** Termonfeckin ~ Deirdre Morris (*1st Anniversary*) • Kitty Fanning & Lizzie Kirk

Sunday 5 May @ **9.15am** Sandpit ~

Deirdre Morris (*1st Anniversary*) • Stanley & Levins family deceased • Rosaleen & Tommy Cunningham

Sunday 5 May @ **10.45am** Walshestown ~

Colm Berkery (*Month's Mind*) • Deirdre Morris (*1st Anniversary*) • Morgan Family, Cloghlea

Sunday 5 May @ **12noon** Clogherhead ~ Carmel Edwards (*Month's Mind*) • Michael Byrne, Harbour Rd (*1st Anniversary & Birthday remembrance*) • Margaret Mathews (*1st Anniversary*) • Deirdre Morris (*1st Anniversary*)

Monday 6 May @ 9.30am Termonfeckin ~ Special Intention

Tuesday 7 May @ 7pm Termonfeckin ~ Padre Pio Prayer Group

Wednesday 8 May @ 9.30am Sandpit ~

Thursday 9 May @ 9.30am Termonfeckin ~



Saturday 11 May @ **7.00pm** Termonfeckin ~

Sr Paula (*1st Anniversary*) + John & Margaret Leech & her nephew Joe Leech • Kitty & Larry Quaille • Paddy Healey, Lena Healy, Helen Rogers, Jim Forde & Niall Dooley • Tanya McEvoy (*Birthday remembrance*)

Sunday 12 May @ **9.15am** Sandpit ~ Rose & Ultan McEvoy

Sunday 12 May @ **10.45am** Walshestown ~

Sunday 12 May @ **12noon** Clogherhead ~

Noel Kirwan (*Month's Mind*) • Lil & Patsy McKenna • Martina Mooney + Kate & Joseph Smith & family deceased

RECENTLY DECEASED - REST IN PEACE

Mary King (née Mooney) (Garrolagh, Clogherhead) • **Larry Ward** (Mornington) • **Dom Hoey** (Newtownstalaban)

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION -

TIME OF QUIET FOR PRAISE AND BLESSINGS

Eucharistic Adoration in the church of the Immaculate Conception, Termonfeckin
from 7pm to 8pm every **Monday**.

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).



MAY: THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY

As Church we celebrate the great prayer of the Rosary at special times. The month of May is one of them. You are invited to join others to pray the Rosary at the Grottos in our Parish at 7.30pm on the following dates: Thursday 9 May, Grotto in Baltray; Thursday 16 May, Scoil Mhuire gan Smál; Thursday 23 May, Church of Immaculate Conception Grotto; Thursday 30 May Grotto in Baltray.

Public Rosary Rally in Clogherhead on Saturday 11 May at 4pm, in honour of Our Lady of Fatima for Ireland.

Gathering at the bottom of the Main Street. All welcome.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us.....



PRAISE & WORSHIP PRAYER MEETING

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



ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

The Armagh Diocesan pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday 26 May (Trinity Sunday) under the leadership of Archbishop Eamon Martin. Monasterboice & Togher Parishes are organising a bus on the day, if you would like to book a seat please call Ann or Mary on 087-3791443 during office hours or email monasterboiceparishoffice@gmail.com or togherparishoffice@gmail.com

YOUTH SYNODAL GATHERING

The Diocesan Pastoral Team would like to extend an invitation to young people between the ages of 18 and 35, and young families, to a synodal gathering to discuss issues relating to the Church and to faith. The main question discussed on the night will be: *How can you imagine the life of your parish where you as a young person are welcomed and included, and your gifts and talents are appreciated and used?*

It will be held in the Confraternity Room in St. Patrick's Church, Dundalk at 7pm on the Thursday 9 May.

Please note those younger than 18 who wish to come must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

ST FECHIN'S

Social dancing this Sunday at 5pm
Bernie Heaney is the artist. All welcome
Please note this will be the last dance until next winter

ALONE

Would you be willing to provide companionship or make calls to Older People once a week? ALONE are seeking volunteers in this area. Full training and support provided. If interested please sign up here: <https://alone.ie/volunteers/> for more information, contact Fiona on fiona.boyle@alone.ie or on 086 1366539

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YOUR EURO GIFT TO YOUR PARISH

At last Sunday's Masses you gave €618.50 in 63 envelopes and €464.78 on the plate collection totalling €1,083.28 to help run our Parish.

Thank you for your support to your Parish.

NEXT SUNDAY'S SCRIPTURE:

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD
(World Communications Day)

Acts 1:1 - 11 ▪ Psalm 46 ▪

Ephesians 4: 1 - 13 ▪ Mark 16: 15 - 20



TRIP TO THE NATIONAL SEMINARY

In Maynooth on Sunday 12 May led by Fr Paddy Rushe. Bus leaving Valley Inn at 12.30pm returning at 7.30pm. Trip will include a tour of the Seminary & grounds, light refreshments, and Evening Prayer. Cost €20pp please call Ann/Mary on 087-3791443 during office hours or email the parish office to book your seat.

CHAPLET OF THE DIVINE MERCY

Takes place this Sunday (5 May) at 3pm, with Confessions from 2pm onwards in St. Nicholas' Church, Dundalk. Featuring Holy Hour, the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Confessions and Anointing of the Sick. Come and receive God's blessing. All are welcome.



MARCH FOR LIFE

Tomorrow, Bank holiday Monday (6 May) @ 2pm. Marching from University Church side of St Stephen's Green to Leinster House. Let's make reducing abortion rate a major election issue. This is a family friendly event. See marchforlife.ie for more information.

PILGRIMAGE TO SAN GIOVANNI & ASSISI

16 October for 7 nights full board with local Spiritual Director. 3 nights Assisi & 4 nights San Giovanni. Contact Marian Pilgrimages 01-8788159 or Paul Johnstone 086 8281889 for more details. Or check out Shrines of Italy at www.marian.ie

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.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL OUTREACH

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



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.**



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.