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www.monasterboiceparish.com

www.termonfechinparish.ie

St Colmcille's Pastoral Area Newsletter

Internet Broadcasting: Mass & other services will be broadcast each day over the internet. The operators of the systems are Fr Paul Byrne PP. & Fr Paddy Rushe PP.

Parish websites:

www.clogherheadparish.ie

www.togherparish.com



Sunday Cycle C; Weekdays Cycle 1; Psalter Week 1

Clergy: V. Rev. Patrick Rushe, PP., Vf, Monasterboice & Adm Togher 086 880 7470; V. Rev. Paul Byrne PP., Termonfechin & Adm Clogherhead 041 982 2121; Rev. Akan Ekpe, MSP, CC. 089 461 3811; V. Rev. Tom Daly, PE, AP. Togher 041-685 2110

TWENTY FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

21st September 2025

Masses Times - Clogherhead Parish

Sunday 21 September @ **10.45am Ss Peter & Paul's Church Walshestown** ~ Kevin, Mary & Edward Morgan • Kevin Fox

Sunday 21 September @ **12 noon Clogherhead** ~ Sean Matthews (*1st Anniversary*) • Willie Sharkey & family deceased • Eddie McArdle + Philomena & Denis Townsend • Thomas, Teresa & Diarmuid Murray

Thursday 25 September @ **9.30am St Michael's Church Clogherhead** ~

Sunday 28 September @ **10.45am Walshestown** ~

Sunday 28 September @ **12 noon Clogherhead** ~ Kieran Crilly (*Month's Mind*) • Alan Halpin (*1st Anniversary*) • Nicholas McLeer

Masses Times - Monasterboice Parish

Sunday 21 September @ **9.45am Fieldstown** ~ Michael & Breda Flanagan • Mary (3rd Av.) & Patsy Morgan • Anna (7th Av.) & Patrick (46th Av.) Winters

Sunday 21 September @ **11.30am Tenure** ~ Clifford Davis (*Month's Mind*) & Olive Veldman • Christina & Michael O'Brien, Castlelunney

Tuesday 23 September @ **9.30am Tenure** ~

Wednesday 24 September @ **9.30am Fieldstown** ~ Sheila Clarke

Friday 26 September @ **7pm Immaculate Conception Tenure** ~ Denis McLoughlin (4th Av.) • Special Intension

Sunday 28 September @ **9.45am Nativity of Our Lady Fieldstown** ~

Sunday 28 September @ **11.30am Tenure** ~ Clint Englishby (5th Av.)

Masses Times - Termonfechin Parish

Saturday 20 September @ **7.30pm Termonfechin** ~ Elizabeth Quaile (née Maguire) (*1st Anniversary*) • Breda & Patrick Berns

Sunday 21 September @ **9.15am Sandpit** ~ Joe & Patricia (30th Av.) Corrigan

Monday 22 September @ **9.30am Termonfechin** ~ No Mass

Tuesday 23 September @ **9.30am Termonfechin** ~ No Mass

Wednesday 24 September @ **9.30am Sandpit** ~ No Mass

Thursday 25 September @ **10.00am Church of the Immaculate Conception Termonfechin** ~ Termonfechin School year opening Mass

Saturday 27 September @ **7.30pm Church of the Immaculate Conception Termonfechin** ~ Mark Sweeney (*1st Anniversary*) • Paddy Farrell (4th Av.)

Sunday 28 September @ **9.15am Church of the Assumption Sandpit** ~ Jim & Margaret Whearty & deceased members of the Whearty family

Masses Times - Togher Parish

Saturday 20 September @ **6.15pm St Borchill's Church Dysart** ~

Sunday 21 September @ **10am St Colmcille's Church Togher** ~

Sunday 21 September @ **11.30am Dillonstown** ~ Ray & Ita Bickmore

Monday 22 September @ **7pm Togher** ~

Thursday 25 September @ **10am St Borchill's Church Dysart** ~

Friday 26 September @ **10am St Finian's Dillonstown** ~

Saturday 27 September @ **6.15pm Dysart** ~ Mick Byrne (4th Av.)

Sunday 28 September @ **10am Togher** ~ Jenny, John & May Barton, their parents and family deceased

Sunday 28 September @ **11.30am Dillonstown** ~ Patricia Corrigan (*Month's Mind*) • John Cahill

Recently Deceased - Rest in Peace

Kathleen Dixon (née Smith) Clonmore, Togher • **Turlach Cotter**, Blackrock & formerly Drumcar • **Bernadette Cawley** (née Carry) Dublin & formerly Collon • **Denis Doherty**, Drogheda • **Mary Bell** (née Walsh) Mullins Cross, Dunleer • **Patricia Corrigan**, Annagassan • **Geraldine Reynolds** (née Yelland) • **Eddie Albuquerque** India • **Bridie Hunt** (née Fay) Finvoy • **Michael Maguire**, Dublin • **Kieran Crilly**, Grangebellaw

Eucharistic Adoration – A Time of Quiet Praise and Blessing

Monday in Termonfechin Church 7pm to 8pm. **Tuesday** in Clogherhead

Church 10am to 11am and after Mass in **Tenure Church**. **Wednesday**

after Mass in **Fieldstown**. **Thursday** after Mass in **Dysart** and **Friday** after

Mass in **Dillonstown** and from 11am to 6pm via the internet only on

www.termonfechinparish.ie/webcam For those unable to be present in

person, we warmly invite you to join us online through the parish webcams.

As Scripture reminds us: **“Be still, and know that I am God.” — Psalm**

Week 5 of the Parish Fundraising Draw and the response has been fantastic – thank you to everyone who has bought or sold tickets so far! Did you know? Families can buy tickets together – sharing the cost and the chance to win! Tickets also make a thoughtful gift for birthdays or special occasions. Tickets: €50 each / €500 for a book of 10 Pay by cash, card, tap, Apple/Google Pay, Scan the QR code or online via www.monasterboiceparish.com Draw: 31st October If you can help with selling or distributing, please contact Fr Paddy or the Parish Office (087 3791443). Together we're restoring the past and investing in the future of our parish. #Monasterboice #BuyABrick #FundraisingTogether #CommunitySpirit #RestoringThePast #InvestingInTheFuture

The **Annual Prayer Service** to Commemorate the visit of Pope John Paul II to Killineer in 1979, will take place at the Papal Monument, Killineer on Sunday 28th September 2025 at 5 pm. All welcome.

Holy Hour of prayer - October is also known as the month of the Rosary, a Holy hour of prayer will take place in St Michael's Church, Clogherhead every Friday in October from 7.30-8.30pm. All are welcome to come along.

Philipstown Connect is a monthly support group for parents of children with additional needs. The next gathering takes place on Wednesday 8th October at 11am in St Kevin's Community Centre (A92 A9W3). It's an opportunity for coffee, chats, information and support - with a warm welcome for all.

Charity Tax Relief Scheme Do you contribute €250 or more to your parish in any one year? Are you self employed or a PAYE taxpayer? If you do and you pay tax you are eligible to participate in the Charity Tax Relief Scheme, this will cost you nothing but is of great benefit to the parish. For every €250 donated, the parish can claim back €112.32 from revenue.

All you have to do is complete a CHY3 cert which is available on line at www.revenue.ie or from Ann/Rosey in the parish office and return it on the plate at any mass or post it to the Parochial House at your convenience. If you completed a CHY3 form back in 2020 it's now time to complete another one please (they are only valid for 5 year's, if you can't remember call Ann/Mary in the office and they will help you). Many thanks for your support and Participation in this scheme.

**Next Sunday's Scripture
Twenty-Sixth Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

Amos 6:1, 4 - 7; Psalm 145;
1 Timothy 6: 11 - 16; Luke 16: 19 - 31



**September
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Diocesan Congress on Youth, Family and Faith (20th - 22nd March 2026). In preparation for the congress each parish council in the Archdiocese is gathering feedback through petition/comment boxes, bulletin and newspaper notices, and guest speakers at Masses. A pastoral areas meeting will be held in Termonfechin on 22nd October, leading to the Diocesan Gathering in the Carrickdale Hotel on 13th November. Please keep this process in your prayers and share your thoughts.

Season of Creation - A blessing for Creation

Bless us, in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. As we go forth with joy and hope to care for God's creation, – walking gently on the earth, – in right relationship, – nurtured by your Love, – taking only what we need, – giving back to the earth in gratitude, – honouring all with reverence, – reconciling and healing, – mindful of those who will come after, and of the poor today – recognising our proper place as part of, not apart from, your creation. Ignite your Spark within us, That we may know ourselves as truly human and irrevocably part of the Web of Life. (LS) *Welby of Canterbury*.

The Pope's Intention's for September

For our relationship with all of creation: Let us pray that, inspired by Saint Francis, we might experience our interdependence with all creatures who are loved by God and worthy of love and respect.

The Irish Catholic newspaper, will increase in price to €3.50 from 2nd October 2025

Charity Soccer Match in aid of *Early Intervention Tullydonnell* takes place on Saturday next (27th September) at 3pm in Clancy Park, Dundalk. Doolargy FC face Shamrock Rovers Legends—free entry, with refreshments afterwards in Clarke's Bar.

Breast Cancer Awareness month takes place October 1st-31st. For further information, please log onto www.beastcancerireland.com

Your Euro Gift to your Parish.

Termonfechin Parish - At last Sunday's Masses you gave €755.50 in envelopes, €438.90 on the plate collection, €195 online

Clogherhead Parish - At last Sunday's Masses you gave €444.65 in envelopes and €132.05 on the plate & €10 online.

Togher Parish - At last Sunday's Masses you gave €740.90 in envelopes, €277.06 on the plate, Dues €255, St Patricks Cathedral Fund €149.00 and €300 online.

Monasterboice Parish - At last Sunday's Masses you gave €510 in envelopes €566 on the plate, €185 Dues, €82.50 to St Patrick's Cathedral Fund & €235 online.

Thank you for your support to your Parish.



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.

Parish Office Hours: Please note the parish office is open **Monday - Thursday** from 9am-1pm, for all your enquiries, certificates & bookings. Please call Rosey/Ann **087-3791443**.

The Prayer & Praise meeting held every Tuesday at 8pm in the Parish Hall (Old School, Termonfechin) Eircode A92 DNT9. All are welcome.

Mullary Cemetery Draw: # 42 Mary Brennan

Pilgrimage to Rome & Assisi departing on 24th November for 5 nights. Spiritual Director Fr Maciej Zacharek. €1,250pps. See www.marian.ie for details.

Balsanter - Text Alert Reminder 086 2747474. Working together we will be safer.

