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www.monasterboiceparish.com
www.termonfechinparish.ie

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. & Fr Martin McVeigh PP

St Colmcille's Pastoral Area Newsletter

Parish websites:
www.clogherheadparish.ie
www.togherparish.com



5th October 2025

Sunday Cycle C; Weekdays Cycle 1; Psalter Week 3

Clergy: V. Rev. Patrick Rushe, PP., Vf, Monasterboice & Adm Togher 086 880 7470 (via Whatsapp); V. Rev. Paul Byrne PP., Termonfechin 041 98 22121; V. Rev. Martin McVeigh PP., Clogherhead 087 379 1443;

Rev. Akan Ekpe, MSP, CC. 089 461 3811; V. Rev. Tom Daly, PE, AP. Togher 041 685 2110

Masses Times - Clogherhead Parish

Sunday 5 October @ 10.45am Walshestown ~ Tony McDonnell
Sunday 5 October @ 12 noon Clogherhead ~ Maggie, Larry, Jane , Sr. Annette & Noel Kirwan • Laurence & Maeve Kirwan • Nancy Rath • Rosaleen Browne (née Kirwan) (15 th Av.)
Thursday 9 October @ 9.30am St Michael's Church Clogherhead ~
Sunday 12 October @ 10.45am Walshestown ~ Special Intention
Sunday 12 October @ 12 noon St Michael's Church Clogherhead ~ Margaret & Owen Brady & family deceased

Masses Times - Monasterboice Parish

Sunday 5 October @ 9.45am Nativity of Our Lady Fieldstown ~ Michael McDonagh & family deceased • Willie Winters (90 th BR) & family deceased
Sunday 5 October @ 11.30am Tenure ~ John O'Brien (50 th BR) + Johnny O'Brien & deceased members of the Callan & O'Brien families • Pat Usher & deceased members of the Usher family
Tuesday 7 October @ 9.30am Tenure ~
Wednesday 8 October @ 9.30am Fieldstown ~
Friday 10 October @ 7pm Immaculate Conception Tenure ~
Sunday 12 October @ 9.45am Nativity of Our Lady Fieldstown ~
Sunday 12 October @ 11.30am Tenure ~

Masses Times - Termonfechin Parish

Saturday 4 October @ 7.30pm Church of the Immaculate Conception Termonfechin ~ Corina McBride (14 th Av.) & Baby Jack McBride (4 th Av.)
Sunday 5 October @ 9.15am Church of the Assumption Sandpit ~
Monday 6 October @ 9.30am Termonfechin ~
Tuesday 7 October @ 7pm Termonfechin ~ St Padre Pio Prayer Group • Mary & Sylvester McAuley + Maeve & Paul Constable
Wednesday 8 October @ 9.30am Sandpit ~
Thursday 9 October @ 9.30am Termonfechin ~
Saturday 11 October @ 7.30pm Termonfechin ~ Michael McConnell • Mary Elizabeth & Nicholas Duff & family deceased • Roy Hayes • Paddy Mooney (Yellowgap) • Nancy & Andy McDonnell
Sunday 12 October @ 9.15am Sandpit ~ Nana Connor

Masses Times - Togher Parish

Saturday 4 October @ 6.15pm Dysart ~
Sunday 5 October @ 10am Togher ~ Maura Dunne (1 st Anniversary)
Sunday 5 October @ 11.30am Dillonstown ~ Jim (10 th Av), Angie (7 th Av.) & Baby Mikaela (13 th Av.) Osbourne
Monday 6 October @ 7pm St Colmcille's Church Togher ~
Thursday 9 October @ 10am St Borchill's Church Dysart ~
Friday 10 October @ 10am St Finian's Dillonstown ~
Saturday 11 October @ 6.15pm Dysart ~ Ben & Sheila Murphy • Donny & Connie Butterly
Sunday 12 October @ 10am Togher ~ Frank Murray (Salterstown) • Pat & Anne Manning • Michael (10 th Av) & Aileen (3 rd Av) Woods
Sunday 12 October @ 11.30am Dillonstown ~ Ann Carter (7 th Av.)

Recently Deceased - Rest in Peace

Peter Freeman Baltray • **Vincent Torris**, Dunleer • **Rita Giltrip**, Kildare • **Tommy Connor**, Drogheda • **Eamon Wright**, Drogheda • **John Sarsfield** Salterstown, Togher • **Kathleen Dixon** (née Smith) Clonmore, Togher • **Turlach Cotter**, Blackrock & formerly Drumcar • **Bernadette Cawley** (née Carry) Dublin & formerly Collon • **Denis Doherty**, Drogheda

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.”** — *Psalms* 46:10

October Devotions - with Adoration, Rosary and Benediction. Will take place on Sunday evenings at 7pm in the following churches : Today, Sunday 5th Oct St Colmcille's, Togher; Sunday 12th St Finian's, Dillonstown; Sunday 19th Nativity of Our Lady, Fieldstown, Sunday 26th St Borchill's, Dysart and on Sunday 2nd November (*All Souls Day*) Church of the Immaculate Conception, Tenure. All are welcome.

Rosary at the Grottos You are also warmly welcome to join others at the different Grottos in Termonfechin Parish to pray the Rosary on Thursday evenings at 7.30pm during October. The venues are as follows; Scoil Mhuire gan Smál 9th Oct; Baltray 16th Oct; Church of Immaculate Conception 23rd Oct; Scoil Mhuire gan Smál 30th October. The Rosary will also be offered in at the Grotto in Fieldstown every Sunday in October after the 9.45am Mass. All are welcome to come along.

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.

October month of the Rosary Pope Leo has asked everyone to pray the rosary for peace during the month of October and in particular he would like everyone to join him in the rosary at 6pm (7pm Rome time) on Saturday next 11th October. The Rosary will be prayed at the Grotto in Fieldstown and in Dysart church (*before Mass*) at this time.

Week 7 of the Monasterboice Parish Fundraising Draw- Countdown is On! Our Parish Fundraising Draw is getting close, and we don't want you to miss out! A huge thank you to all who have already bought tickets and shown such generous support — your kindness is what keeps our parish community alive and moving forward.

If you haven't yet picked up your ticket, now is the perfect time. Every ticket makes a real difference, and of course, it could also be your lucky one when the prizes are drawn! Tickets are available after Masses and from the parish office. Don't leave it to the last minute — get yours today and help us finish strong. Together, we can make this draw a success for the whole parish family.

Next Sunday's Scripture
Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Prisoners Sunday
2 Kings 5: 14 - 17; Psalm 97;
2 Timothy 2: 8 - 13; Luke 17: 11 - 19

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October – Month of Missions

World Mission Sunday always falls on the second last Sunday in October; this year it will be celebrated on the weekend of Sunday 19th October. World Mission Sunday is the Holy Father's annual appeal in support of overseas mission. All offerings made at this time will help missionaries care for some of the world's most vulnerable people in over 120 countries. Missio Ireland coordinates World Mission Sunday throughout all dioceses in Ireland.

Togher Parish Children's Choir returns on Tuesday 7th October, 5.45-6.30pm in Dillonstown Church. Contact Maria 087 900 1408 for more information,

November Dead List envelopes will be available in all churches from next weekend.

Ordination of Transitional Deacons (*Transitional Deacons will be ordained priests in due course*) Gabriel Neal and Jacek Tuskiewicz, of the Redemptoris Mater Seminary will be ordained Deacons for the Archdiocese of Armagh on Saturday, 4th October at 3pm in St Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh. Please remember them in your prayers.

Sung Evening Prayer As part of the continuing celebrations marking 50th Anniversary of the Canonisation of St Oliver Plunkett. Archbishop Eamon would like to invite parish choirs to **Sung Evening Prayer** in St Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, on Friday 10th October at 6.30pm. Choirs from across the Archdiocese of Armagh are invited to participate. Afterwards, there will be an opportunity for fellowship as refreshments will be served in the Synod Hall.

Church of the Immaculate Conception, Tenure - Church cleaners for October - Group 2 - Mary Flood, Ueslei Fernandes, Frank Gallagher, Joan Holdcroft and Julie Hickey. A big thanks to the September Group 1.

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

Your Euro Gift to your Parish.

Togher Parish - At last Sunday's Masses you gave €777.00 in envelopes, €324.18 on the plate, Dues €20, St Patricks Cathedral Fund €30.00, Sick & Retired Priests €197.50 and €40 online.

Monasterboice Parish - At last Sunday's Masses you gave €332.00 in envelopes €265 on the plate, €144 Sick & Retired Priest's & €135 online.

Termonfechin Parish - At last Sunday's Masses you gave €710.70 in envelopes, €385.39 on the plate collection, Sick & Retired Priests €11, St Patrick's Cathedral Fund €10, Priests Dues €45 & €663 online

Clogherhead Parish - At last Sunday's Masses you gave €685.00 in envelopes and €320.00 on the plate & €20 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.*

Mullary Cemetery Draw: # 32 Marie Russell and Teresa Flood.

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

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

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**.

