

## PARISH OF GARTAN AND TERMON

12th March 2023 — 3rd Sunday of Lent



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Parish Office: Monday & Friday 10am—1pm—Tel: 074 9139016

St Columba's Church, Termon— <a href="http://www.churchservices.tv/termon">www.churchservices.tv/termon</a>		
Sat 11th Mar	6.30pm	Charlie & James McDaid, Doon
Sun 12th Mar	9am	Pro Popolo
Mon 13th Mar	9.30am	Priest's Intention
Thurs 16th Mar	7pm	Eddie Helferty, Termon— <b>Vigil of St Patrick</b>
Fri 17th Mar	9am	Colm Gallagher, Knocknabollan— <b>St Patrick's Day</b>
Sat 18th Mar	6.30pm	Hugh McDermott, Drumbrick
Sun 19th Mar	9am	Mia Gallagher, Terhillion
<b>Died recently:</b> Eileen Daly, Letterkenny & Barnes		
Church Contributions 5th March €825;		<i>Thank you for your support</i>
Parish Account <b>IBAN:</b> IE57IPBS99064622877883		

The **Sacrament of Confession** is available before or after mass, come to the Sacristy.

A selection of Mass Cards, Mass Intention Cards are available from the sacristy of either Church. Suggested Stipend €10, card €1.

**Solemnity of St Patrick 17th March 2023**—Mass times, Termon Vigil Thursday 16th at 7pm and Friday 17th at 9am, Glendowan 10.30am. The special collection is towards the Education of Students for the Priesthood for the Diocese. At present Raphoe has 4 students at various stages of training, please keep them in your prayers.

**Naíonra An Tearmann** are now enrolling for next year starting September 2023. This is for children who will be 2 years and 8 months or older from September 2023 & is free. Contact 086 867 0168 for more details.

The people of the Parish of Raphoe invite you to the placing of the **Relic of St Maria Faustina Kowalska** for permanent honour and veneration in St Mary's Church, Convoy on Sunday, 19 March 2023 (2pm) see noticeboard for more details.

The **Raphoe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes** departs from City of Derry Airport on May 23rd, 2023. Full details on notice board. All bookings **DIRECTLY** with Joe Walsh Tours. More information on [www.joewalstours.ie](http://www.joewalstours.ie) or see poster in porch.

**Pilgrimage to San Giovanni & Assisi** departing 31st August 2023 from Dublin airport. See poster in porch for more details .

St Colmcille's Church, Glendowan— <a href="http://www.churchservices.tv/churchhill">www.churchservices.tv/churchhill</a>		
Sat 11th Mar	8pm	Pro Popolo
Sun 12th Mar	10.30am	Annie & John Joseph O'Donnell, Corkey
Thurs 16th Mar	7pm	NO MASS
Fri 17th Mar	10.30am	Johnny Walsh, Stackernaugh— <b>St Patrick's Day</b>
Sat 18th Mar	8pm	Patrick Mc Daid & Mary Rooney
Sun 19th Mar	10.30am	Pro Popolo
Church Contributions 5th March: €850; Building Fund: €240 <i>Thank you for your support</i>		
Parish <b>IBAN:</b> IE85AIBK93734766406054 Building Fund <b>IBAN:</b> IE69AIBK93734727384309		

The last information session on **Parish Pastoral Councils** is on **Monday 13th March at 7pm** in the Mulroy Woods Hotel, Milford.

**Cursillo Retreat Weekend**—Will be held in Ards Friary, Creeslough from the 24th - 26th March. To book a place or for further information, please phone: 086-8142961.

**Call to Ministry in St Columba's Church, Termon**— new **Ministers of the Word** are needed, if you are willing to volunteer please put your name on the sheet at the back of the Church and put it in the collection box. Training will be offered. **Ministers of the Eucharist** are also required— use the sheets at the table to put your name, contact details and place in the collection box. *Don't leave your responsibility as a parishioner to someone else!*

**Call to Ministry in St Colmcille's Church, Glendowan**—It is hoped to get the Eucharistic Ministers rota sorted, again after COVID, if you would be willing to join the team, put your name, contact details on the sheets provided and place in the collection bag. *Don't leave your responsibility as a parishioner to someone else!*

A bus will be going to Knock Shrine on Saturday 25th March (Feast of the Annunciation) from Letterkenny and stopping in Ballybofey, Donegal Town and Ballyshannon. A priest will travel with the group and Mass is booked at the Shrine. Prayers of Healing will also be offered. For more info please call 087 7530132

Notices for the newsletter can be emailed to [gartantermon@raphoediocese.ie](mailto:gartantermon@raphoediocese.ie) by lunchtime on Thursdays.