

PARISH OF GARTAN AND TERMON

26th February 2023 — 1st Sunday of Lent

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St Columba's Church, Termon— www.churchservices.tv/termon		
Sat 25th Feb	6.30pm	Priest' Intention
Sun 26th Feb	9am	Pro Popolo
Mon 27th Feb	9.30am	Priest's Intention
Tues 28th Feb	9.30am	Priest's Intention
Sat 4th Mar	6.30pm	Priest's Intention
Sun 5th Mar	9am	Pro Popolo
Died recently: Seamus Sweeney, Letterfad, Termon		
Church Contributions 19th February €895		<i>Thank you for your support</i>
Parish Account IBAN: IE57IPBS99064622877883		

SEASON OF LENT: Trócaire boxes are available as the back of each Church. Full details of this year's Lenten campaign can be found on www.trocaire.org

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.

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 or see poster in porch.

Dates for Graveyard Masses for 2023: Templedogulas Graveyard Mass Sunday 11th June at 3pm, Gartan Graveyard Mass—Sunday 2nd July at 3pm & Termon Graveyard Mass—Sunday 9th July at 7pm.

Diocesan Survey on Mass attendance will take place this weekend 25th /26th February in the Diocese as part of the Diocesan Planning for the future.



We would be delighted to hear from you if you're interested in becoming an Accord Marriage Preparation facilitator. Contact marriagepreparation@accord.ie for information on recruitment and training

St Colmcille's Church, Glendowan— www.churchservices.tv/churchhill		
Sat 25th Feb	8pm	Josie Mitchell, Letterkenny (1st Anniv)
Sun 26th Feb	10.30am	Priest's Intention
Thurs 2nd Mar	7pm	Priest's Intention
Fri 3rd Mar	7pm	Johnny & Katie Duddy and Family, Falbane
Sat 4th Mar	8pm	Jimmy & Teresa Callaghan, Leifrin
Sun 5th Mar	10.30am	Rita Duddy, Mountpleasure
Church Contributions 19th February: €525		<i>Thank you for your support</i>
Parish IBAN: IE85AIBK93734766406054 Building Fund IBAN: IE69AIBK93734727384309		

As part of the Diocesan Plan, 'Forward Together', Bishop Alan is calling for formation of **Parish Pastoral Councils** in as many Parishes as possible. The next meeting is on **Monday 27th February at 7pm** in the Mulroy Woods Hotel, Milford. All are welcome. To view the Diocesan Plan go to www.raphoediocese.ie

RALLY FOR LIFE BELFAST 2023: Custom House Square, Belfast 2pm, 11th March 2023
It would be great to see the people of Donegal continue to stand up for life. For information on sponsored buses leaving your area please ring your local contact **Letterkenny:** Margaret – 083 4052841 & Michael - 087 2922499 to book your seat. It would be great to see you all there!

Lough Derg are recruiting a range of roles for extra staff during their Pilgrimage and Retreat Season in 2023. The Application Pack is available on www.loughderg.org/jobs or please email: hr@loughderg.org - Phone: +353 (0)7198 61518. Closing Date Friday March 3rd at 3 pm

Mary's Meals are having their Church Gate Collection on 4/5 March this year and we are including Earthquake Appeal. If you could kindly put the information in Newsletters we are grateful for any help we receive. We are currently feeding 2,429.182 children at a cost of €22 for a year in schools.