

St Colmcille's Church, Glendowan

4th July 2021

14th Sunday Ordinary Time

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Prayer to St Colmcille

Creator God, source of all good, we thank you for the life of St Colmcille. You have called Colmcille to teach the Gospel and to be an example of Christian perfection. As we journey on life's way, may we remain, like Colmcille, strong in faith, firm in hope and active in charity. Help us to love and serve you in liberty and peace. We ask this for ourselves, for our country and for all peoples, through Christ our Lord. Amen. St Colmcille pray for us.

Mass during the week 5th – 9th July 2021

Tuesday, Wednesday – No Mass
Monday, Thursday & Friday – Mass at 7pm

Saturday Vigil 8pm, Sunday 10am

✠ Prayers for the Dead ✠

Months Mind

Sadie McKeever, Killybegs (Tues 6th July at 7pm in Killybegs)

Anniversaries

Kieran Callaghan, Keelogs (Sat 3rd July at 8pm)

Marcus McLaughlin, Tirargus (Sun 4th July at 10am)

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord

Protocols for attending the public celebration of Mass:

Face coverings and sanitising is requested, Church capacity is **50 people**

Cooperation with the stewards would be appreciated.

Wedding and Funeral capacity is set at 50 people.

Statement by Bishop Alan McGuckian SJ on recent Covid19 Guidelines from Government Postponement of Sacraments – Confirmation and First Holy

Communion It is with a heavy heart that I have to inform priests, young people and their families and the staff in our schools of the need to postpone our Confirmations yet again. The government, at very short notice, has declared that Confirmations and First Holy Communion 'are off'. I know that all of our schools and parishes were making preparations to have small ceremonies in complete compliance with the Covid 19 guidelines. The Government have made it clear that NPHET have called for this deferment as a result of the rising threat from the very contagious Delta variant. This sudden decision will be a cause of deep disappointment to all those involved. Again I am very sorry that that we need to comply with this decision and I recognise the great inconvenience this causes to so many people. Bishop Alan McGuckian SJ, Bishop of Raphoe

A selection **Mass cards** (Sympathy, Mass Bouquet) are available from the Sacristy of the Church or the Parochial House.

Church Contributions: There is a box available at the entrance to the Church for envelopes and donations. *Thank you for your support.*

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Contributions: Envelopes and online 27th June: €240

Prayer to sleeping St Joseph O Glorious St. Joseph, thou who hast power to render possible even things which are considered impossible, come to our aid in our present trouble and distress. Take this important and difficult affair under thy particular protection, that it may end happily. O dear St. Joseph, all our confidence is in thee. Let it not be said that we would invoke thee in vain; and since thou art so powerful with Jesus and Mary. Show that thy goodness equals thy power. St. Joseph, to whom God entrusted the care of the holiest family that has ever been, grant, we ask of you, the father and protector of ours, and let the grace be brought to us to live and die in the love of Jesus and Mary. St. Joseph, pray for us who have recourse to thee.

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