# Lough Derg

One Day Pilgrimage.

On Saturday, August 17th, 2013

Services commence with opening prayers at 10:30am and finish with Concelebrated Mass at 3:00pm.

There is no fasting on the one day retreat.

As our numbers are limited
early booking is recommended.

Bus leaves from St. Columba's Church, Iona Rd.

The total cost to include Breakfast, Bus, Lunch, Boat and Evening Dinner is €92.00.

A booking Deposit is required. For full details phone Michael 8304365

There are still some places left on

Third

Age's trip on the

# Camino de Santiago

which takes place on the first week of September. All proceeds will go to our Senior Help Line, a peer to peer listening service for older people.

If you know anyone who would be interested in this opportunity, please contact

Neil on

nbruton@thirdageireland.ie or 0834260081 to receive more information or book a place.'



St Columba's Parents Association

# **CAKE SALE**

Sunday 16th June 2013

Outside St. Columba's Church after 11am Mass



# parishlink@gmail.com

Items for the Parish Link should be marked 'Parish Link' and dropped into the Parish Office letter-box, or emailed to above address.

Items should be posted by 5.00pm on the Thursday of the week of publication.

A Contact name and telephone number is required for each item.

Parish Link Contacts: Trish 8302851/Ann 8309983

# Parish Office Opening Times and contact:

Thursdays and Fridays 10.00a.m. - 16.00pm Ph. 8308257 or email:saintcolumba@eircom.net



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#### **Mission Statement**

St. Columba's parish is a vibrant and welcoming community of faith, continuing to give practical witness to the Good News of Christ, through worship and reflection, and through Christian service to the community.

# **Cemetery Sunday:**

Glasnevin Cemetery Sunday will be held at 3pm on Sunday 30th June.

# Mass for Sick, Elderly and their Carers

Mass for the Sick, Elderly and their Carers will take place next Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June at 6pm. This is a very special Mass which will include anointing of the sick.

We encourage everyone to make an effort to help any neighbours who might like to attend.

If you need a lift please call the Parish Office 01 830 8357, leave your name and address and transport will be arranged for you.

Light refreshments will be served after the Mass.

#### Knock

Fr. Jim Caffrey will lead the parish pilgrimage to Knock on Monday 9th September 2013. Tickets are €50 each (including coach, breakfast, dinner, tips) and will be available after the 6 p.m. Mass on Saturday 29th June and after the 11 a.m. Mass on Sunday 30th June.

#### **Iona Active Retirement**

Monday 10th June: Monthly meeting in Annex at 10.15 a.m.

Monday 23rd Sept. 5 night's B&B & dinner in Castlecourt Hotel, Westport. €50 deposit to Angela McCann or Maureen Phelan.

Wed. 9th October: Sicily: Cathedrals and churches. Book with The Travel Department and mention you are with the Iona Group.



"Young man, I tell you to get up."

And the dead man sat up and began to talk, and Jesus gave him to his mother.

Everyone was filled with awe and praised God saying,

'A great prophet has appeared among us;

# **Parish Contributions**

for the week commencing
June 2nd 2013

€579.00

Many Thanks





Sat. 8th June 6.00pm Martin Edward Eugene Tallon (A),

Brian Sherry, Sally Doran months

mind, Edward Lacev

Sun. 9th June 11.00am Kathleen & Thomas Penston (A)

Wed. 12th June 9.30am Thur. 13th June 9.30am Fri. 14th June 9.30am

Mon. 10th June 9.30am

Tue. 11th June 9.30am

Sunday morning mass @ 9.45am in Glasnevin Cemetery (Finglas Rd)

Mass Times in the Monastery of St. Alphonsus, Iona Road :

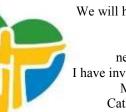
Monday to Friday @ 5.45 p.m.

Saturday morning @ 9.30 a.m.

Sunday morning @ 9.30 am.

For all **baptisms** please contact Sr. Bridget through the Parish Office @  $830\ 8257$  or call into the Sacristy.





We will have a liturgical send off for our two young people going to Rio de Janeiro for WORLD YOUTH DAY next Sunday 16th June at 11am Mass.

I have invited Bishop Raymond Field to celebrate the Mass as we wish God's blessing on Catherine Cormican and John O'Connor.

Fr. Jim

### **An Exam Prayer**

Lord, may your Holy Spirit be constantly with me as my helper and guide through this exam. Breathe your peace upon me, that I can remain calm and focus on what is essential. Help me to do justice to all the work I have done and inspire me when faced with difficulties. I thank you that your eternal love for me is not based on how I do in this test and that you always hold me in your hand. I ask this in the name of Jesus our Lord, Amen. Our Lady, seat of Wisdom and help of Christians, Pray for us.