

Parish of Cooley

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 1st July 2018

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Masses

Church of Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Boher

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| Sat | Jun | 30 th | 7.00pm | Pat McCourt |
| Tue | Jul | 3 rd | 10.00am | Jake Garron & John Dunleavy |
| Thu | Jul | 5 th | 10.00am | Special Intention |
| Sat | Jul | 7 th | 7.00pm | Michael James McCarragher; Michael & Andrew O'Brien Dec'd members of McParland family. Also, Karen Breslin, Sally Collins, Teresa & Owen McParland and John Carroll (recently deceased) |

Church of St. Anne, Mullaghbuoy

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| Sun | Jul | 1 st | 10.00am | People of the Parish |
| Thu | Jul | 5 th | 8.00pm | No Mass |
| Sun | Jul | 8 th | 10.00am | Margaret McMahon |

Church of St. James, Grange

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| Sun | Jul | 1 st | 11.30am | Michael Malone, Ardtullymore |
| Mon | Jul | 2 nd | 10.00am | Special Intention |
| Wed | Jul | 4 th | 10.00am | Special Intention |
| Fri | Jul | 6 th | 8.00pm | Peter McCarthy |
| Sun | Jul | 8 th | 11.30am | Michael Malone, Rathcor Sarah Ann Malone, Templetown & dec'd family members Tom Oliver |



After May by Patrick Kavanagh

May came, and every shabby phoenix flapped
A coloured rag in lieu of shining wings;
In school bad manners spat and went unslapped –
Schoolmistress Fancy dreamt of other things.

The lilac blossomed for a day or two
Gaily, and then grew weary of her fame.
Plough-horses out on grass could now pursue
The pleasures of the very mute and tame.

A light that might be mystic or a fraud
Played on far hills beyond all common sight,
And some men said that it was Adam's God
As Adam saw before the Apple-bite.

Sweet May is gone, and now must poets croon
The praises of a rather stupid June.

Recently Deceased

Joe Toal, Muchgrange

Yolande Rafferty who died in Scotland
(Funeral arrangements for burial will be made later)

Jim Savage, Ballynahinch

Paddy Kavanagh, Kinvara, Galway

Bridie McKevitt, Carlingford

Joan Gaynor, Knockbridge

Malachy Begley, Lower Faughart

Mary Gaynor, Ardee

Parish Dead List

*Eternal rest grant on to them, O Lord, and let perpetual
light shine on them. May they rest in peace.*

*May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

Amen

Friday is the First Friday

The sick and housebound will be attended on Friday

On the First Friday of each month Holy Communion is brought to parishioners in their own home, who can no longer attend Mass. If you would like a relative, neighbour or friend added to the list please contact Parochial House 042-9376105

Ministers of the Word

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| Boher Vigil | Sat | 7.00pm | Bronagh Murphy |
| Mullaghbuoy | Sun | 10.00am | Andrew Cullen |
| Grange | Sun | 11.30am | Bernadette McKeivitt-Grills |

Next Weekend

Ministers of the Eucharist

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| Boher Vigil | Sat | 7.00pm | Group D |
| Mullaghbuoy | Sun | 10.00am | Group C |
| Grange | Sun | 11.30am | Group D |

Next Weekend

Baptisms (by arrangement)

Baptisms will be celebrated every Saturday at 5.00pm
We welcome Siún Blaise O'Neill and Tadhg Brendan O'Neill, Glasgow and Tahlia Jane McKenna, Castleblaney into our Christian community

Grange Altar Society – Month of July - **Group 7**

Boher Altar Society – Month of July - **Group 7**

Do you want to learn more about your Faith

If you do, why not enrol in our Diocesan Theology Programme. There are no entrance qualifications and no exams. It is a two-year course, there are 6 modules per year and it runs for 6 weeks per module of one night per week. Learning more about our faith is exciting and enjoyable. Phone Milanda 042-9336393

World Meeting of Families

As soon as we have clarity regarding tickets for the final Mass celebrated by Pope Francis in Phoenix Park on Sunday 26th August we will be in touch with all who have booked to make the final arrangements. Also, anyone who would like to travel and requires assistance please contact 0429376105

Parish BBQ at Bush Picnic Area – Sunday 29th July

Mass will be celebrated outside at Bush Picnic Area at 11.30am – there will only be one Mass on Sunday 29th July - followed by BBQ

Peninsula Pastoral Area – Blessing of Graves

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| Boher | Saturday 21 st July at 7.00pm |
| Cill Mhuire | Wednesday 15 th August |
| Lordship | Thursday 12 th July at 7.30pm |
| Omeath | Sunday 12 th August at 11.00am |
| Mountbagnal | Tuesday 14 th August 8.15pm |

St. Brigid's Shrine, Faughart

National pilgrimage to St. Brigid's Shrine today Sunday 1st July at 3pm with Mass and blessing of sick

Remembering Mairead – Walk

The family of the late Mairead Oliver RIP are holding a walk around Whitestown/Ballagan Shore today Sunday 1st July – to assemble at Lily Finnegan's at 1.30pm. Walk commencing at 2pm – light refreshments served afterwards.

No fee but any donations would be appreciated for North Louth Hospice & Homecare

Church Gate Collection

This weekend – St. Vincent de Paul

Tax Refund Scheme – Envelope Contributions

Work has commenced on the Tax Refund Scheme for year ended 31st December 2017.

We can only claim a tax refund for PAYE Parishioners who have contributed more than €250 per year through envelope contributions – we look forward to your help and co-operation

Cooley Community Projects Limited – Vacancies

1 Environmental worker – Cooley closing date 14.07.18
1 Youth Worker – Omeath closing date 14.07.18
1 Administration Worker – Carlingford closing date 14.07.18
1 Administration Worker – Omeath closing date 14.07.18
Phone Ambrose 042-9376077 or cooleyce@eircom.net

Mary Murphy's Retirement Function

Mary Murphy is retiring after 43 years teaching. Her retirement function will take place in Four Seasons Hotel, Carlingford on Saturday 29th September at 7pm

3 Course Dinner, Dancing and Sharing Memories – tickets available from the school or members of Parents Association

Carlingford/Omeath Red Cross Social

Red Cross Social on Tuesday 3rd July at 8.30pm in St. Mary's Parochial Hall, Cooley. Music by Mickey the Butcher. Usual transport and everyone welcome.

Names and deposits will be taken at the Social for the Annual holidays which is to the Yeats Country Hotel, Rosses Point, Sligo from Sunday 23rd September to Thursday 27th September

Cooley Kickhams G.F.C. – Lotto – Tickets €2

Winning Nos. 4; 21; 26; 30; - not won - Jackpot €5400

Irish Cancer Society - Thanks

Sincere thanks to all who supported the recent collection

Louth Irish Water Safety Summer Week

Summer week at Gyles Quay from Monday 16th July to Saturday 21st July. Price One child €55; Two siblings €90; Family €120; Phone 087-2856524 to book

Cooley Genealogical & Historical Society

Did you work on the final extension to Grange Church? If you did please phone 085-1833110

Carlingford Heritage Centre

"Our Diligent Souls" by Emer G.M. Lawless – book launch recital & book signing on Thurs 5th July from 7pm-9pm
Free admission and everyone welcome

Cooley Parochial Hall

Re-Vamped BINGO – Every Wednesday at 8.30pm
Book €6; Flyers €2; Prizes to be won €1460

Dancing to live Music – Sunday 8th July – 9pm-11.30pm
Music by Paddy Byrne