

Parish of Cooley

Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 17th September 2017

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Masses

Church of Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Boher

Sat Sep 16th 7.00pm Tommy McGrane & Derek & Rowena Burn
Tue Sep 19th 10.00am Stephen & Dan McGrane
Thu Sep 21st 10.00am Special Intention
Sat Sep 23rd 7.00pm Bernard Hughes & dec'd members of Hughes family;
Forgotten Co. Louth Soldiers of the First World War

Church of St. Anne, Mullaghbuoy

Sun Sep 17th 10.00am Forgotten Souls
Thu Sep 21st 8.00pm No Mass
Sun Sep 24th 10.00am Tommy, Martha & Jamie Boyle; Tom & Sheila McKeown

Church of St. James, Grange

Sun Sep 17th 11.30am Tommy & Rose White; Michael Carroll, Grange
Mon Sep 18th 10.00am John Rice
Wed Sep 20th 10.00am Special Intention
Fri Sep 22nd 10.00am Special Intention
Sun Sep 24th 11.30am Gerard & James McGuigan & Patrick McGinnity

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in Grange Church every Wednesday morning from after Mass till 11am



Desert Times

M.S. Lowndes

There are times in our lives,
The Lord may lead us through
A lifeless, barren desert,
A time of testing too.

But desert times can be
A place of special growth,
Where God can do a work
And let his healing flow.

I know that in these times,
We don't feel God is there,
We feel so very distant
And lost without His care.

But God is there beside you
To bring you to a place
Of cool, refreshing waters
Flowing with His grace.

But for the present moment,
Your maybe in a drought,
Don't give up on your faith
And don't you start to doubt.

God is always faithful
And He will walk with you,
Through the darkest moments,
He'll be leading you.

Recently Deceased

Fr. Oliver Breslan, P.E. A.P. Lissan

Florrie Rafferty, Ballagan

Jim Toner, Newtownhamilton

Mary Gaynor, Ardee

Patrick Carpenter, Kells

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



Church Gate Collection

This weekend - Order of Malta Ireland

Cooley Community Projects Limited – Vacancies

5 Environmental workers – Cooley closing date 22.09.17
 3 Environmental worker – Omeath closing date 22.09.17
 1 Caretaker – Cooley closing date 22.09.17
 1 Cleaner – Cooley closing date 22.09.17
 1 Youth Worker – Omeath closing date 22.09.17
 1 Administration worker – Carlingford closing date 20.10.17
 Phone Ambrose 042-9376077 or cooleyce@eircom.net

Cooley Community Playgroup – Assistant Required

Pre-school assistant required for 15hrs per week – must have minimum requirement Level 5 in Childcare – please apply to ccpgroup@eircom.net or Cooley Community Playgroup, Monksland. Closing date Fri 22.09.17 at 5pm

Cooley Parent & Toddler Group

Group meet in Cooley Parochial Hall every Thursday morning at 10am. New parents and children always welcome

CASA Collection

CASA are in urgent need of stock for their charity shops. Next collection at Cooley Parochial Hall on Saturday 14th October from 9am-1pm. Donations of second-hand clothing, footwear, bed linen, etc much appreciated. CASA cannot accept toys or electrical goods. For more info contact Anne 086-3938289

6 Week Pilates Class in Mullaghbuoy Centre

Pilates Classes every Tuesday at 6pm & 7.10pm; every Wednesday at 7pm and every Thursday at 10am. Classes suitable for all levels. Contact Annie 087-9721930

Broadway Babies presents Adult Dance Fit

Adult dance fit is a new fun exciting way to exercise. In Cooley Complex (upstairs) every Monday from 5.45pm to 6.45pm. Price €6 per class. Phone 086-2519844

Set Dancing Classes in St. Patrick's, Lordship

Classes every Wednesday from 8.30pm-10.00pm

Dolmen Business Centre, Omeath

Dolmen Business Centre provides professional services that could be of huge benefit to your business. Services offered include Sage Accounts; Revenue & Payroll; Admin & Secretarial Duties; Call Answering and Event Management. For more info phone 042-9375422

Cooley Parochial Hall

Bingo - Every Wednesday at 8.30pm

Dancing to Live Music – Tonight Sunday 17th Sept
 Music by Colin Harvey, Dancing from 9pm – 11.30pm
 Light supper served



Ministers of the Word

Boher Vigil Sat 7.00pm
 Mullaghbuoy Sun 10.00am
 Grange Sun 11.30am

Next Weekend

Marion Murphy
 Peggy O'Neill
 Phelim Rice

Ministers of the Eucharist

Boher Vigil Sat 7.00pm
 Mullaghbuoy Sun 10.00am
 Grange Sun 11.30am

Next Weekend

Group A
 Group C
 Group D

Baptisms (by arrangement)

Baptisms will be celebrated every Saturday at 5.00pm

Grange Altar Society – Month of September - **Group 3**

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Hospital Visitation

As it is no longer possible to access the patient list in hospitals – due to Data Protection – it would be helpful if families would let the priest know if they have someone in hospital they would like him to visit.

Irish Blood Transfusion Service

The opportunity to give Blood will arise in Foy Centre, Carlingford on Thursday 21st Sept from 4.30pm – 8.00pm. It is important that we all remember that many patients in hospitals need our blood and this need never ceases

Tusla Louth – Foster Carers Required

Tusla Louth are urgently recruiting foster carers for children in your area. If you are interested in receiving more information contact Fostering Team 042-9392201

Bereavement Support

One to one bereavement support with confidentiality assured on Thursday mornings from 10.30am to 12.30pm in Pastoral Centre, The Magnet, Dundalk. No cost involved and no appointment necessary. Phone No. 042-9336393

Mass in Calvary in honour of Fr. Luigi Gentili

Mass will be celebrated in Calvary, Omeath on Sunday 24th Sept at 3.00pm. Celebrant Fr. Cesare Decio O.P.

Torchlight Walk for M.S. in Carlingford Greenway

Torchlight walk for M.S. on Thursday 28th September starting at Marina at 7.30pm to Greer's Quay & back. Donations or Sponsor cards available. Contact: Andy 086-8435426; Terry 087-7929668 or Teresa 086-1505865

Cooley Genealogical and Historical Society

If you do not know the location of your family plot in Cill Mhuire but know the names of deceased phone 085-1833110