

Parish of Cooley

Sixth Sunday of Easter – 21st May 2017

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Masses

Church of Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Boher

Sat May 20th 7.00pm Mick Murphy; Paddy Carron
Tue May 23rd 10.00am Michael & James Clarke
Thu May 25th 10.00am No Mass
Sat May 27th 7.00pm Dr. Andrew & Lily McDonald; Patsy Farrell M.M.

Church of St. Anne, Mullaghbuoy

Sun May 21st 10.00am William Heading & Geraldine Condron
Thu May 25th 8.00pm Dinny & Margaret Byrne & dec'd members of Donnelly & Murphy families
Sun May 28th 10.00am Mullaghbuoy School Children's First Holy Communion

Church of St. James, Grange

Sun May 21st 11.30am Cathy Maguire; Tess Gregory; Sean O'Hanlon
Mon May 22nd 10.00am People of the Parish
Wed May 24th 10.00am Patrick & Rose O'Rourke, Templetown & dec'd family members
Fri May 26th 10.00am Paddy & Mae McGrane
Sun May 28th 11.30am Patrick Finnegan; Tom & Annie Marks, Rathcor & dec'd family members

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



On the Grasshopper and Cricket John Keats

The Poetry of earth is never dead:
When all the birds are faint with the hot sun,
And hide in cooling trees,
A voice will run from hedge to hedge
About the new-mown mead;

That is the Grasshopper's –
He takes the lead in summer luxury,
He has never done with his delights;
For when tired out with fun
He rests at ease beneath some pleasant weed.

The poetry of earth is ceasing never:
On a lone winter evening,
When the frost has wrought a silence,
From the stove there shrills the Cricket's song,
In warmth increasing ever,
And seems to one in drowsiness half lost,
The Grasshopper's among some grassy hills.

Recently Deceased

James Carroll, Greenore

Rose Long, Carlingford

Eva Campbell, Manchester

Angela Connor, Mountbagnal

John Breen, Dublin & Downpatrick

Siobhan Toner, nee Hughes, Jenkinstown

Maibre Donnelly Conlon, nee Hughes, Carlingford

Patricia McArdle, nee Tuohy, Bellurgan

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

First Holy Communion 2017

Grange & Rathcor Saturday 27th May
Mullaghbuoy Sunday 28th May

Ministers of the Word

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

Next Weekend

Marie McMullin
Maeve McCann
Sile Murnaghan

Ministers of the Eucharist

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

Next Weekend

Group C
Group B
Group B

Baptisms (by arrangement)

Baptisms will be celebrated every Saturday at 5.00pm

Grange Altar Society – Month of May - **Group 5**
Boher Altar Society – Month of May - **Group 5**

Lough Derg 2017

Season opened for One Day Retreats on Monday 1st May
Advance booking is essential. Phone 071-9861518
Three Day Pilgrimage season begins Thursday 1st June.

Cursillo Weekends 2017

Cursillo weekend at Benburb Priory
Women's - 25th – 28th May
Contact: Martin 87748623 or Jim 9332341 for further info

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje – 30th May 2017

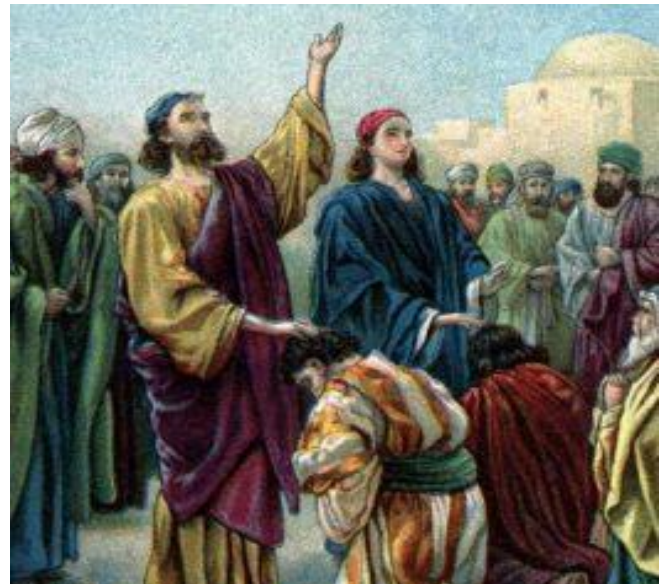
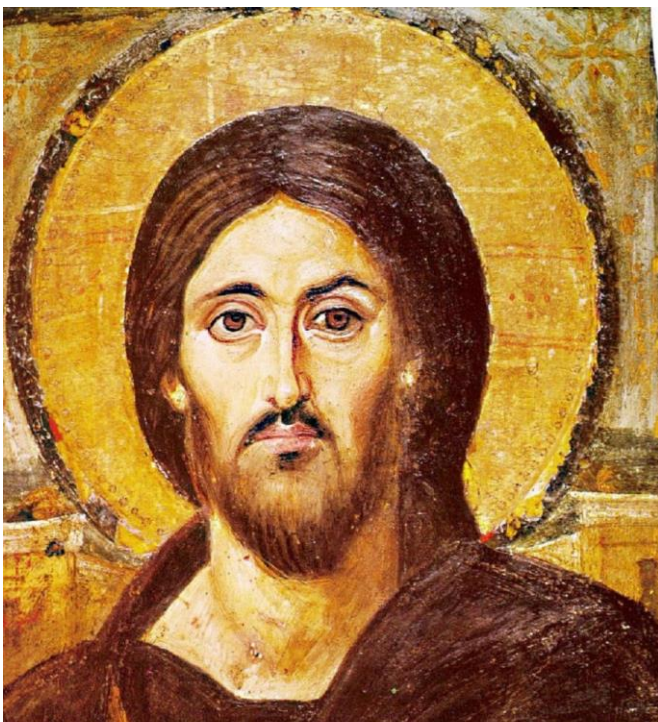
Pilgrimage to Medjugorje for 7 nights - €669 – Spiritual Director
Fr. Paul Montague. Contact James 087-2202173

Annual Novena in honour of St. Jude

From Saturday 3rd June – Sunday 11th June at 7.30pm each evening at Calvary, Omeath. Healing Mass on Sunday at 7.30pm. Celebrant this year will be Fr. Oliver Stansfield

Fortify - Catholic Youth Ministry Conference 2017

Inspiring youth ministry at a Parish level – Saturday 10th June from 9am-5pm at St. Paul's, Arran Quay, Dublin. Followed by world renowned Contemporary Catholic Music artist Matt Maher Concert (7pm-10pm). Cost €30
Book via www.fortify2017.ie or email dermot@adyc.ie



Church Gate Collection

Next weekend - Monksland School Parents Association

Cooley Community Projects Limited – Vacancies

4 Environmental workers – Cooley closing date 31.05.17
1 Environmental worker – Omeath closing date 31.05.17
1 Caretaker – Cooley closing date 31.05.17
2 Cleaners – Cooley closing date 31.05.17
1 Youth Worker – Omeath closing date 31.05.17
Phone Ambrose 042-9376077 or cooleyce@eircom.net

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.

Monksland National School – Enrolment

Enrolment for September 2017 are now taking place – please contact school 042-9376431 for enrolment form

Cooley Active Retirement

Active Retirement group meet in Cooley Complex every Thursday from 2.30pm. Come along – everyone welcome

North Louth Border Vintage Club – Vintage Run

Tractor and Car run on Sunday 18th June starting at Bush at 2pm. In aid of Multiple Sclerosis. Ph 087-6362822

Country Market in O'Neill's Flowers, Willville

Country Market on Saturday 27th May from 9.30am till 12noon. Fruit & Veg; Spuds; home-baking; flowers; crafts and lots of other produce. This will be a monthly venture – call down and grab a bargain

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

Winning Nos. 3; 7; 9; 30; not won – Jackpot €3000

Cooley Genealogical and Historical Society

If you require a map to register your family members in Cill Mhuire phone 085-1833110

Fishing Club Meeting

Meeting on Wednesday 24th May at 8pm in Parochial Hall, (Dining Room). Everyone interested is welcome

Cooley Parochial Hall

Bingo - Every Wednesday at 8.30pm

Dancing to Live Music - Next Sunday 28th May
Music by Kevin Kearney. Dancing from 9pm-11.30pm
Adm €8 – Light supper served