

Parish of Cooley

First Sunday of Advent – 3rd December 2017

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Masses

Church of Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Boher

Sat Dec 2nd 7.00pm Eddie, Jimmy & Annie Halpenny
Tue Dec 5th 10.00am Hugh & Mary Margaret Clarke
Thu Dec 7th 10.00am No Mass
Fri Dec 8th 8.00pm Paddy, Ann & Gerard Treanor
Sat Dec 9th 7.00pm Daniel Fagan M.M.

Church of St. Anne, Mullaghbuoy

Sun Dec 3rd 10.00am People of the Parish
Thu Dec 7th 8.00pm Parish Dead List
Sun Dec 10th 10.00am Breedge O'Reilly

Church of St. James, Grange

Sun Dec 3rd 11.30am Padraig Sheelan; Michael, Christina, Pat & Michael (Jnr) Mackin
Mon Dec 4th 10.00am Tom Magee & dec'd family members
Wed Dec 6th 10.00am Parish Dead List
Fri Dec 8th 10.00am Henry & Mary Margaret Maguire & dec'd family members
Sun Dec 10th 11.30am Leo McGuigan; Mary McGrath; Joe Kane, Craigavon & Templetown

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



Recently Deceased

Rev Fr. Brendan McNally, PE. Tallanstown

Rev Fr. James Crowley, PE. Killeeshil

Gerry McMahon, Rockmarshall

Josie Saunders, nee Ferguson, Castletowncooley & Liverpool

Eileen Smyth, Dundalk

Moya Hoey, nee McGahon, Dundalk

Patrick Rogan, Carlingford

Teddy McGoey, Abbeyshrule

Deirdre Treadwell, Dunleer

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 Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

A holy day of obligation

Advent Meditation Programme

Sr. Briege will lead an experience of Christian
Meditation for the 4 Wednesdays of Advent in Church of
St. James, Grange from 8pm – 9pm

Christmas Carol Service

Carol Service with music, poetry and prayer in
St. James's Church, Grange on Thursday 14th
December at 7.30pm. Also Outdoor Christmas Market
Anyone who would like to have a stall should contact
Bernard O'Rourke 0872660852
Collection in aid of Simon Community at Carol Service

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.

Ministers of the Word

Grange Fri 10.00am
Boher Fri 8.00pm

Friday 8th December

Leo McGuigan
Ann Marchat

Ministers of the Eucharist

Grange Fri 10.00am
Boher Vigil Fri 8.00pm

Friday 8th December

Group D
Group A

Ministers of the Word

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

Next Weekend

Aimee McCumiskey
Eimear White
Bernadette McKevitt-Grills

Ministers of the Eucharist

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

Next Weekend

Group B
Group B
Group A

Baptisms (by arrangement)

Baptisms will be celebrated every Saturday at 5.00pm
We welcome Fiadh Mairead Byrne, Glenmore and Fiadh Teresa Murphy, Mucklagh into our Christian community

Grange Altar Society – Month of December - **Group 6**

Boher Altar Society – Month of December - **Group 6**

Cooley Lourdes Hospitalite Group Meeting

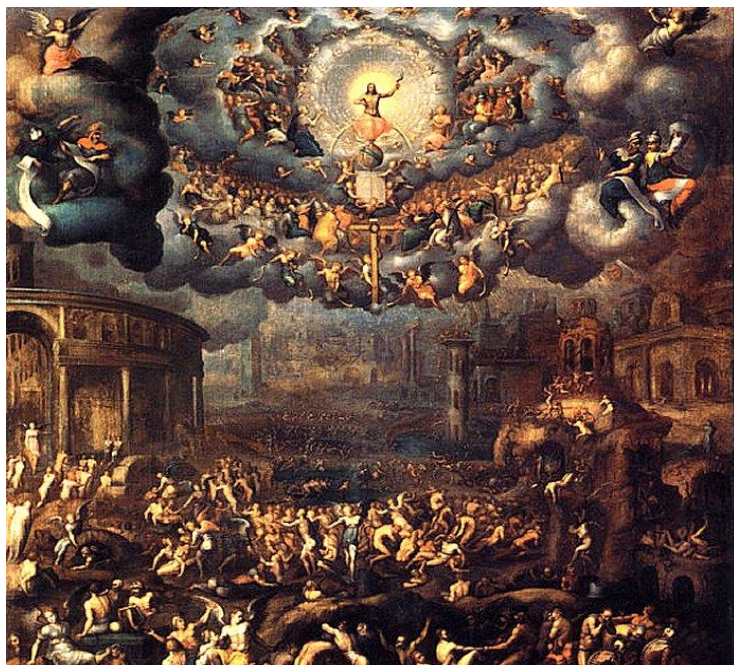
Meeting in Rathabbey Community House on Monday week 10th December at 8pm

Protect the 8th – Pro Life Talk

Protect the 8th Pro Life talk and training event with Sarah Ekada, Paddy Manning and Michael Dwyer of Family & Life on Tuesday 5th December at 7.30pm in the Plunkett Suite in West Court Hotel, Drogheda

Carlingford/Omeath Red Cross Christmas Party

Annual Christmas Party on Sunday 10th December at 6.30pm in Four Seasons Hotel, Carlingford. Music by Solitaire. Admission by ticket only – donation €15



Church Gate Collection

This weekend - St. Vincent de Paul – Christmas Appeal
Next weekend - Fighting Blindness

Cooley Community Projects Limited – Vacancies

2 Environmental workers – Cooley closing date 22.12.17
1 Cleaner – Cooley closing date 22.12.17
1 Youth Worker – Omeath closing date 22.12.17
Phone Ambrose 042-9376077 or cooleyce@eircom.net

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

Winning Nos. 3; 6; 21; 32; not won - Jackpot €5000

O'Neill's Flowers, Willville

Come visit Santa (under glass) on Sunday 3rd & 10th December from 1pm – 5pm – you can pre-book your tickets on line. Also, Christmas Market on Sunday 10th December from 1pm-5pm – come and browse around

Annual Christmas Craft Fair – this weekend

Craft Fair in St. Michael's Hall, Carlingford today Sunday 3rd December, all day - local exhibits

Cooley Charity Christmas Market in Cooley Hall

Charity Christmas Market on Sunday 10th December from 9am-1pm. Donations of home-baking, jams, etc very much appreciated. In aid of The Birches, Rathabbey
Phone Anne 086-3938289

Bingo in St. Patrick's Complex, Lordship

Today Sunday 3rd Dec at 3pm – everyone welcome. Proceeds in aid of North Louth Hospice & Homecare

Festive Floral Evening in Heritage Centre

Demonstration by Bernie Preston on Thurs 7th Dec at 8pm. Tickets €10 – all proceeds to Children's Hospital Crumlin

Cooley Genealogical & Historical Society

If you have any info regarding Mass Paths to or from Cill Mhuire or St. James' Well - please phone 085-1833110

Beginner Online Irish Classes

Want to learn Irish but don't have the time to go to classes? Why not learn online from the comfort of your own home. For info contact Mrs Larkin 074-88268208 or email fountoflearning@gmail.com

Ardee-Collon Parish Christmas Concert

Mary Duff with special guests Matt Leavy and Ruth Kelly Brady in Church of the Nativity of Our Lady, Ardee on Thursday 21st Dec at 8pm. Tickets €20

Cooley Parochial Hall

Bingo - Every Wednesday at 8.30pm

A Christmas Night with George – A Comedy Play Tuesday 12th December