

# Parish of Cooley

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time - 19<sup>th</sup> January 2020

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## Masses

### Church of Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Boher

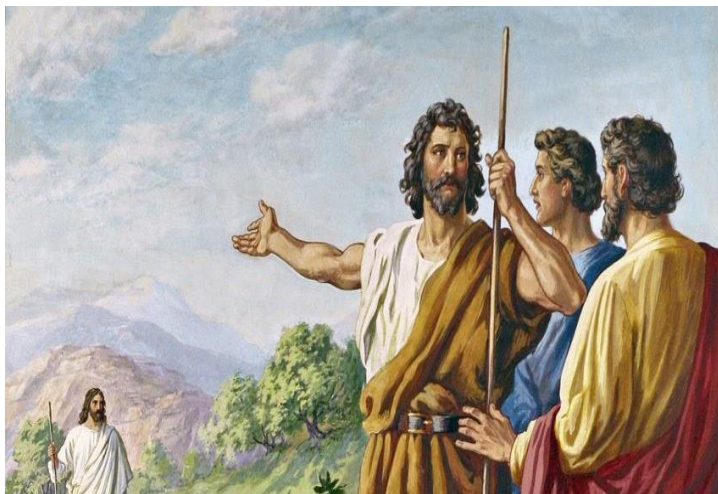
Sat Jan 18<sup>th</sup> 7.00pm Ronan, Nellie & Tommy McGrane  
Tue Jan 21<sup>st</sup> 10.00am Michael Elmore, Tom, Kathleen & Kevin Boyle  
Thu Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> 10.00am Special Intention  
Sat Jan 25<sup>th</sup> 7.00pm Michael, Mary & Brendan Thornton  
Kevin, Maggie, John & Thomas Maguire & Mary Cosgrove

### Church of St. Anne, Mullaghbuoy

Sun Jan 19<sup>th</sup> 10.00am Tommy O'Rourke  
Thu Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> 8.00pm No Mass  
Sun Jan 26<sup>th</sup> 10.00am People of the Parish

### Church of St. James, Grange

Sun Jan 19<sup>th</sup> 11.30am Caroline White  
James & Katie Maguire  
Michael Gregory  
Mon Jan 20<sup>th</sup> 10.00am No Mass  
Wed Jan 22<sup>nd</sup> 10.00am Special Intention  
Fri Jan 24<sup>th</sup> 10.00am Bridget Callan  
Sun Jan 26<sup>th</sup> 11.30am Leo O'Hanlon  
Gerard & Tom Kindlon  
Matt, Helen & Michael Campbell



## Recently Deceased

Margaret Carroll, Greenore

Patsy Henry, Ballagan & Malahide

Patsy McGarrity, Mucklagh & Donabate

Michael O'Connor, Bellurgan

Theresa Reilly, Corrakitt

Lilly Melia, Tallanstown

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*

## Spring Gerard Manley Hopkins

Nothing is so beautiful as Spring –  
When weeds, in wheels, shoot long and lovely and lush;  
Thrush's eggs look little low heavens, and thrush  
Through the echoing timber does so rinse and wring  
The ear, it strikes like lightnings to hear him sing;  
The glassy peartree leaves and blooms, they brush  
The descending blue; that blue is all in a rush  
With richness; the racing lambs too have fair their fling.

What is all this juice and all this joy?

A strain of the earth's sweet being in the beginning

In Eden garden. – Have, get, before it cloy,

Before it cloud, Christ, lord, and sour with sinning,

Innocent mind and Mayday in girl and boy,

Most, O maid's child, thy choice and worthy the winning.

## Mass of Healing with Anointing of Sick

Healing Mass with anointing of sick will be celebrated in Grange Church of Tue 28th January at 7.30pm.

## Ministers of the Word Next Weekend

Boher Vigil	Sat	7.00pm	Bronach Murphy
Mullaghbuoy	Sun	10.00am	Andy McGreehan
Grange	Sun	11.30am	Phelim Rice

## Ministers of the Eucharist Next Weekend

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

**Grange Altar Society** – Month of January - **Group 1**

**Boher Altar Society** – Month of January - **Group 1**

## Baptisms (by arrangement)

Baptisms will be celebrated on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month at 5.00pm.

## Children's Liturgy Group in Boher Church

Children's Liturgy continues at Saturday Vigil Mass

## Thank You

Sincere thanks to all who supported "Walk a Mile in her Shoes" back on 8<sup>th</sup> December 2019.

A cheque for €8280 was presented by Meg O'Hanlon on behalf of the Pastoral Council to Ann Larkin, from Dundalk Women's Aid. Thanks to all involved.

## Intention Tree

Please use the labels provided to express your intention – it may be your name, the name of someone you would like to remember or simply a mark to express your prayer and hang the label on the tree

## New Ministers of the Word and Eucharist

We are presently compiling rotas for the New Year 2020.

Anyone interested in joining the team of Ministers of the Word or Ministers of Eucharist should hand their name into Parochial House 042-9376105 as soon as possible.

We appreciate the patience of our present team of Ministers and thank them for their dedication

## New Altar Society Members needed

New Altar Society members (young male and female) urgently needed for cleaning our Churches. We really need new young people to become involved

## Cooley Lourdes Hospitalite – Appeal for Helpers

Armagh Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> May. Anyone interested in travelling on this pilgrimage should hand in their names to Parochial House as soon as possible. Deposits will have to be paid in February. Each year our Diocese take nearly 1000 people on Pilgrimage to Lourdes – a good portion of

this number need assistance and we are appealing for helpers. You can make a real difference! Contact:

Carmel White, Eileen Carroll or Fr. Malachy

## St. Brigid of Faughart – Pilgrimage Walk

Walk on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> Jan at 11am begins at Lisnawilly House, Mount Avenue, Dundalk A91 TO8F on to Faughart Shrine

## Church Gate Collection

This weekend - Irish Wheelchair Association

## Church Gate Collections Garda Permits

All organisations doing Church Gate Collections in 2020 must forward a copy of a valid Garda Permit to the Parochial house at least 2 weeks prior to the collection

## Cooley Community Projects Limited – Vacancies

1 Administration worker – Cooley closing date 24/01/20

2 Administration workers – C'ford closing date 24/01/20

1 Environmental worker – Omeath closing date 24/01/20

Phone Ambrose 042-9376077 or [cooleyce@eircom.net](mailto:cooleyce@eircom.net)

## Monksland National School – Enrolments 2020/2021

Enrolments for September 2020 now being taken. Please contact school 042-9376431

## Rathcor National School – Enrolments 2020/2021

Enrolments for 2020/2021. Please contact the school on Tues/Thurs 9am and 1pm 9376543 for enrolment form

## Cooley Community Playgroup – Vacancy

Childcare Assistant needed - Level 5/6 required. Experience working in the day to day running of a pre-school would be helpful.

Please email to manager with C.V. [ccpgroup@eircom.net](mailto:ccpgroup@eircom.net) before Wednesday 22nd January

## Cooley Credit Union Limited – Free Draw

Results of Free Draw – Month of December Congratulations  
€500 = Caoimhe McBride, Ballagan

€250 x 3 = Charlie O'Hagan, Corrakitt, Brian McKeivitt, Jun, Ballynamoney & Bridie Carroll, Benagh

€100 x 5 = Paul Umfreville, Dublin, Anne White, Castletowncooley, Linda Hanlon, Omeath, Catherine Murphy, Ballinamara & Roseleen O'Connor, Castletowncooley

## Cooley Connect Well

Cooley Connect Well – a new community group will host information meetups every Friday morning in Rathabbey Community House from 11am-1.30pm – organised events with social tea/coffee and informative chats.

There is a Free 4-week Course – Positive Wellbeing from 24<sup>th</sup> Jan – 13<sup>th</sup> February. The course will look at positive health and dealing with everyday stress – provided by Louth Volunteer Centre's Good Relations Initiative.

For more details contact Dorothy 083-3924117

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

Winning Nos. 5; 8; 10; 29; - not won Jackpot €2400

## Cooley Parochial Hall

Bingo. Every Wednesday night at 8pm